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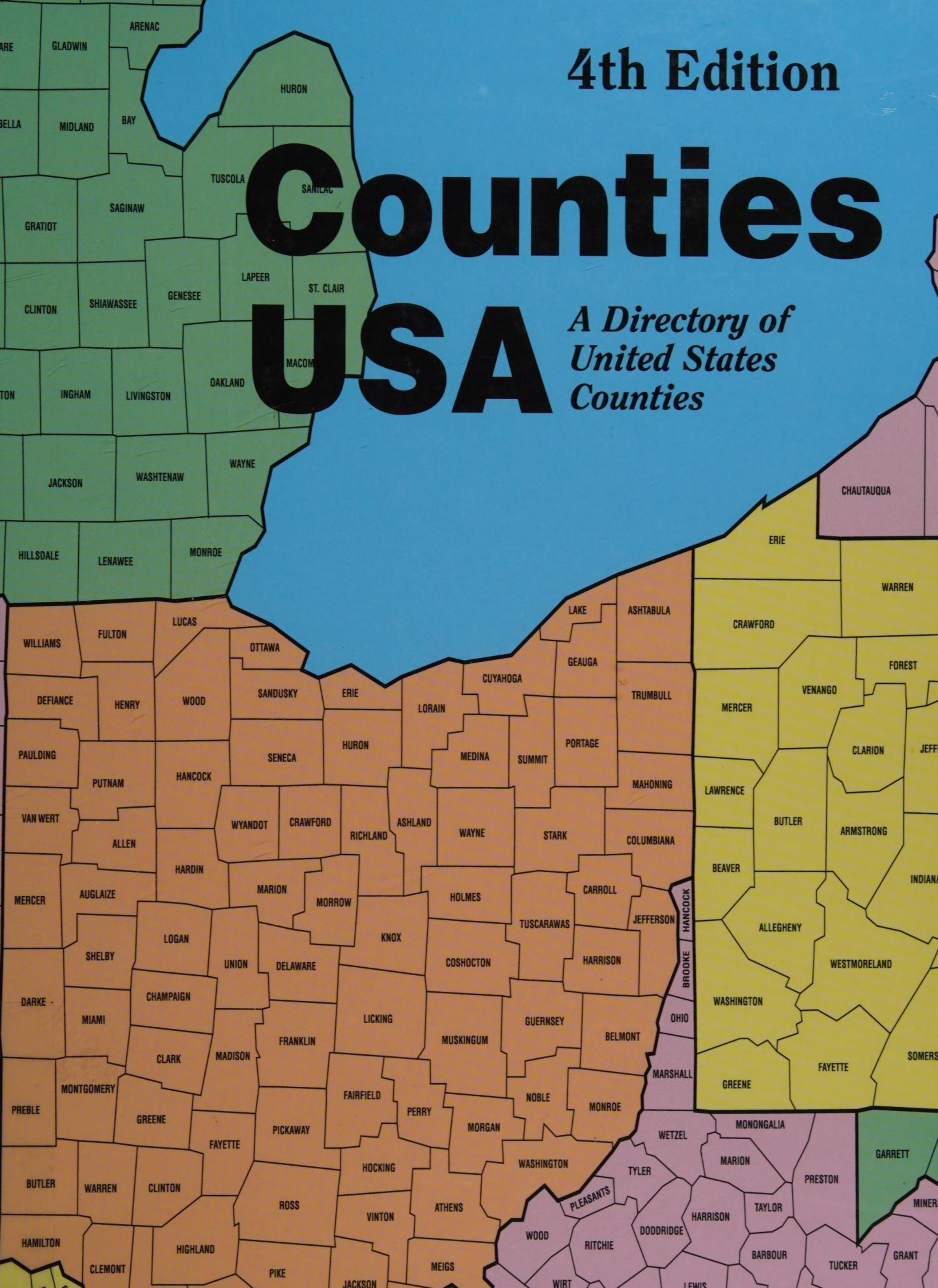

# Sample Entry

**❶ BROWARD COUNTY**
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❷ On southeastern coast of FL, north of Miami; organized Apr 30, 1915 from Dade and Palm Beach counties. ❸ **Name Origin:** For Napoleon Bonaparte Broward (1857-1910), FL governor (1905-09).

❹ **Area (sq mi):** 1,324.03 (land 1,209.79; water 114.24). ❺ **Pop per sq mi:** 1444.9.

❻ **Pop 2010:** 1,748,066. ❼ **State rank:** 18. ❽ **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. ❾ **Pop 2005:** 1,777,638 (White 63.1%; Black or African American 26.7%; Hispanic or Latino 25.1%; Asian 3.2%; Others 25.1%, including % Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). ❿ **Foreign born:** 30.9%. ⓫ **Median age:** 39.7.

⓬ **Income 2007:** per capita $28,631;median household $51,694; ⓭ **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ⓮ ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,321 - $41,146.

⓯ **Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. ⓰ **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. ⓱ **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. ⓲ **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

⓳ **Cities with pop over 10,000:** 26 (see page 31 for cities).

This sample entry provides detailed information about the content found in the individual county listings in this directory. Statistics presented in *Counties USA* include data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, and the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

❶ **Contact.** Name of the county (or county-equivalent entity); street and/or postal address; telephone and fax numbers for the county seat; and the county's website.
❷ **Description.** A brief description of the general location of the county. Information about the county's dates of incorporation or organization, or other background information, may be provided here as well.
❸ **Name origin.** Historical information about the origin of the county's name.
❹ **Area.** The total area of the county is given in square miles, followed by individual figures for the land area and water area of the county (also in square miles).
❺ **Pop per sq mi.** The county's total population per square mile of land area.
❻ **Pop 2010.** The total population estimate as compiled by the Census Bureau.

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❼ **State rank.** Denotes the county's rank in its state in terms of 2010 total population size.

❽ **Pop Change.** Indicates the percentage by which the county's population has increased or decreased between the 2005 census and the 2010 population estimate, as well as between the 2000 and 2005 censuses.

❾ **Pop 2005.** The total population reported in the 2005 census conducted by the US Bureau of the Census, followed (parenthetically) by the racial/ethnic breakdown of the population figures of 2010 census into five categories: White; Black or African American; Hispanic or Latino; Asian; and Other. The "Other" designation includes respondents categorized in the 2010 Census as American Indian/Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander, or persons who are members of more than one race. If the population of a county includes more than 1% American Indian/Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander, then this percentage is noted at the end of the racial/ethnic breakdown.

❿ **Foreign born.** Percentage of the county population born in a country other than the United States.

⓫ **Median age.** The median age for that county's residents.

⓬ **Income 2007.** Income figures are presented in terms of both per capita income and median household income. Per capita means per person. *Per capita income* for a county represents the total income of county residents divided by the number of county residents. *Household income* refers to the sum of money received in the previous calendar year by all household members aged 15 and older, including those not related to the householder, as well as persons living alone and others in nonfamily households.

⓭ **Pop below poverty level.** The percentage of the population that falls below the amount of income designated as "poverty level." Poverty thresholds incorporate a number of varying factors such as family size, age of householder, number of children under 18, etc., and are updated annually to reflect changes in the Consumer Price Index.

⓮ **Personal per capita income 2007-2010.** This figure is calculated by the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and represents the personal income of residents of a given area divided by the resident population of the area (based on the Census Bureau's annual midyear population estimates). The *per capita income* data produced by the Census Bureau includes only income that is received by individuals in cash and its equivalents, whereas the *personal per capita income data* produced by the Bureau of Economic Analysis includes other types of income as well (e.g., employer contributions to private health and pension funds, Medicaid or Medicare payments, food stamps, etc.).

⓯ **Unemployment.** The percentage of the county's residents who are unemployed. (Persons are classified as *unemployed* if they do not have a job, have actively looked for work in the prior four weeks, and are currently available for work. Persons are considered *employed* if they did any work at all for pay or profit during the previous survey week, including part-time or temporary work as well as regular full-time, year-round employment. Persons are also considered employed if they have a job but did not work during the survey week due to illness, vacation, etc.)

⓰ **Change from 2007.** The percentage of change in unemployment from 2007 to 2010.

⓱ **Median travel time to work.** The median amount of time that it takes county residents who are 16 years of age or older, and who do not work at home, to get from their homes to their places of work.

⓲ **Working outside county of residence**: The percentage of residents who work in a county other than the one in which they reside.

⓳ **Cities with pop over 10,000.** If a county has five or fewer cities with populations above 10,000, those cities are included here in descending order of population. If a county has six or more cities in this category, the cities are listed on page 31 under the heading Cities with Populations Over 10,000.

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# Foreword

It is my distinct pleasure to introduce this directory of the counties of the United States. County governments are a unique form of government in the federal structure. Counties were one of the first forms of local government established when colonists settled our country in the 1600s. County governments are thriving today and meeting the needs of Americans with a wide range of services.

Counties are diverse. They are called parishes in Louisiana and boroughs in Alaska. The officials that lead county governments are called commissioners, supervisors, police jurors, council members, county executives and freeholders.

Their populations range in size from nearly 10 million in Los Angeles County, California, to fewer than 100 people in Loving County, Texas. Two thirds of the counties in the U.S. have populations less than 50,000. There are many smaller counties, but most of the people live in the 200 largest counties.

Counties are created by and carry out responsibilities for state governments. For that reason, the roles and responsibilities of counties vary from state to state. In the northeastern part of the United States, the role of county governments is limited. In fact, Connecticut and Rhode Island do not have county governments.

There are geographical boundaries for counties in those states, but no working county governments. But in the south and the west, counties have considerably more authority and responsibility because of the large areas of unincorporated land. Counties in those areas also provide more services to their residents. The services provided by counties include courts and corrections, record keeping, solid waste management, road maintenance, elections, health care, planning and zoning, libraries, emergency management and public safety. As counties have grown in population, the responsibilities have grown as well. Many counties are now providing recreation and parks programs, transportation systems, recycling programs and homeland security.

County names are interesting to study. Counties are named for U.S. Presidents, early leaders of our country, those who fought for independence in the Revolutionary War, Native American names, and families and locations in the old country, wherever that may be.

The leading name for counties is Washington. 31 counties are named for the first President of the U.S. Not too far behind is Jefferson with 28 counties and Franklin County with 25 counties named for the third President and the author of the declaration of Independence. Tied at 24 are Jackson County and Lincoln County. Twenty counties are named Madison and 18 are named Montgomery.

The list of county names runs from A to Z. Abbeville County, South Carolina is the first. Ziebach County, South Dakota is the last. In between are Yazoo County, Mississippi; Wirt County, West Virginia; Transylvania County, North Carolina; Otter Tail County, Minnesota; Love County, Oklahoma; Eureka County, Nevada; and Bee County, Texas.

This directory lists all counties and is an excellent source of basic information about counties. You can learn more about each county by going to the county's Web site, a link to which is included in each listing.

You can also learn more about counties through the National Association of Counties (NACo). NACo is the only national organization representing counties in the United States. It is a full-service association that provides legislative, research, technical and public affairs assistance to county governments. Created in 1935, NACo continues to ensure that the message from the nation's counties is heard and understood in the White House and Congress. To find NACo's Web site, go to www.naco.org.

Learning about counties is great fun. I hope that you find the directory interesting and informative.

Larry E. Naake
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National Association of Counties

# An Overview of County Government

Forty-eight of the fifty U.S. states have operational county governments. Connecticut and Rhode Island are divided into geographic regions that are called counties but don't have functioning governments. Alaska and Louisiana have county governments but they call their counties boroughs and parishes, respectively. Counties vary greatly in size, ranging in area from 26 square miles in Arlington County, Virginia, to 147,843 square miles in Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area. Counties also vary greatly in population – Loving County, Texas has just 82 residents, while Los Angeles County, California has 9,818,605. On the whole, county populations are not exceptionally large. Counties with populations under 50,000 accounted for nearly two-thirds of all county governments in 2010.

Counties trace their roots to the English shire of a thousand years ago, which acted as both the administrative arm of the national government and as the citizens' local government. The colonists along the eastern seaboard of North America adopted the structural form of the shire and adapted it to suit the diverse economic and geographic needs of each of the colonies. When our national government was formed, the framers of the Constitution did not provide for local governments. That was left to the states, and early state constitutions generally conceptualized county government as an arm of the state.

After World War I, with the growth in population and development of the suburbs, the government reform movement strengthened the role of local governments. Post-World War II urbanization brought changes in structure, greater autonomy from the states, rising revenues, and stronger political accountability, and counties began providing an ever-widening range of services.

Traditionally, counties performed state-mandated duties, which included assessment of property, record keeping (e.g., property and vital statistics), maintenance of rural roads, administration of election and judicial functions, and providing relief for the poor. Today, counties are moving into other areas as well, with programs relating to child welfare, consumer protection, economic development, employment and training, planning and zoning, and water quality, among others.

Service delivery responsibilities vary widely among counties. For example, construction and maintenance of local roads is one of the primary duties of most counties, but North Carolina counties have no responsibilities in this area. In addition, the mix of services often involves shared responsibilities with cities. In Indiana, cities and towns provide police protection only within their boundaries, and the county police (i.e., the Sheriff's Department) handle calls in the unincorporated areas (although all police units are expected to provide mutual aid when needed). Similarly, cities and towns handle their own planning, zoning, and building permits, while the county provides these services in the unincorporated areas.

The three basic forms of county government are commission, commission/administrator, and council-executive. Under all three, many administrative responsibilities are vested by state constitution or statute to independently elected row officers (e.g., clerk, coroner, sheriff, and treasurer). With the Commission type of structure, both legislative authority and executive powers are exercised jointly by an elected commission or board of supervisors. (Although governing body members are most frequently called commissioners or supervisors, these are not universal titles in Louisiana, for example, governing body members are called parish police jurors, and the county governing body in most New Jersey counties is the board of chosen freeholders.)

Under the Commission/Administrator form of government, the county board of commissioners appoints an administrator who serves at its pleasure. That individual may be vested with a wide range of powers, including the authority to hire and fire department heads and to formulate a budget.

The separation-of-powers principle forms the basis of the Council-Executive system of governance, in which a county executive is the chief administrative officer of the jurisdiction. Typically, he or she has the authority to veto ordinances enacted by the county board (subject to their possible override) and hire or fire department heads.

Although most counties still operate under the commission form of government, more than 40 percent have shifted to either the county administrator or the elected executive type. State policymakers have contributed to this trend, as Arkansas, Kentucky, and Tennessee now mandate that an elected executive head counties in those states.

The states also dictate, through state constitutions and statutes, the revenue sources counties may use. Barely half the states allow counties to impose a sales tax, and a tax on income is a significant county revenue source only in Indiana and Maryland. Nevertheless, taxes are the number one revenue-generating source for counties, with property taxes accounting for the single most important revenue source. (However, for the 25 largest counties, state aid provides a larger percentage of revenue than property taxes.)

County expenditures fall generally into the areas of education services, social services and income maintenance, transportation, public safety, environment and housing, and general governmental administration. In addition, to fulfill their service responsibilities, county governments employ millions of professional, technical, and clerical personnel.

Continuing to provide these services when states are experiencing budget problems has not been easy for county governments. According to a survey conducted in 2011 on the budgetary crisis facing counties, 65% of the responding counties have experienced revenue shortfalls, and 26% of those stated that their state either proposed cutbacks or has cut back on funding for state-mandated programs.

*This overview is based on information provided to the editors by the National Association of Counties (NACo).*

# Introduction

*Counties USA* provides statistical, descriptive, and contact information for the 3,140 counties and county-equivalent entities in the United States. Similar information is also provided for the 50 U.S. states and for the United States as a whole. Statistics presented in *Counties USA* include data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

## What's New in This Edition

This fourth edition of *Counties USA* contains more categories of information for each county listing than previous editions, as well as additional statistical tables and other new features.

New information provided for each county includes:

1. Population per square mile
2. Estimated population in 2010
3. Percentage of population increase or decrease from 2005-2010 (as well as from 2000-2005)
4. Personal per capita income
5. Change in unemployment from 2007 through 2010
6. Percentage of the county's residents who work outside the county
7. Cities within each county that have a population of 10,000 or higher

Statistical tables are included in this edition for 23 categories of data—more than four times the number included in last edition.

Other new features in this fourth edition of *Counties USA* include:

1. A table that lists the cities in each county that have populations greater than 10,000
2. A listing for the United States that contains the same types of data found in the county listings, which can be used to compare county or state statistics against statistics for the country as a whole
3. A feature that lists all Counties Associations in the U.S., with addresses, phone and fax numbers, and websites given for each association
4. Enhanced state maps that pinpoint the location of every county seat

## Counties and County-Equivalent Entities

Forty-eight of the 50 states have governmental entities that operate at a county level. Alaska and Louisiana call their county-type governments boroughs and parishes, respectively; Connecticut and Rhode Island are divided into geographic regions *called* counties, but these regions don't have functioning governments as defined by the U.S. Census Bureau.

The 3,140 county listings in this directory comprise the following entities:

- 3007 counties
- 64 parishes (Louisiana)
- 16 boroughs (Alaska)
- 11 census areas (Alaska)
- 42 independent cities

The parishes of Louisiana were originally formed as ecclesiastical districts of the Roman Catholic Church under Spanish rule. Today they function the same as counties, as do the boroughs of Alaska. Cities that have consolidated government functions with their surrounding counties include Jacksonville, FL (Duval County), Kansas City, KS (Wyandotte County), and the Alaskan cities of Juneau, Sitka, and Yakutat (with counties by the same name). Of the 42 independent cities listed, 39 are in Virginia; the others are Baltimore, MD and Carson City, NV. Independent cities function with an autonomy similar to counties, but legally they are separate entities from the counties in which they are located.

## Arrangement of Information

Information in *Counties USA* is organized by states, with the following types of information included for each state grouping:

1. A state map outlining the names and boundaries of the counties and statistically equivalent areas for each state. Each state map also identifies the county seat for each county.

2. A brief listing for that state, with a number to call for general information about the state; the state's website; and statistical data in the same categories as the data provided for county listings.

3. Detailed listings for each of the counties/county equivalents in that state, including contact and statistical data as well as some descriptive information.

## Content of Counties Listings

Information provided for each county includes:

**Contact data**. The name of the county seat and its address and telephone number; fax numbers and county websites also are given as available.

**Description**. A brief description of the general location of the county, as well as other background information such as dates of incorporation or organization, if available.

**Name origin**. Historical notes on the origin of the county name.

**Area**. Total county area in square miles, along with separate figures for land and water areas. This edition also gives the population per square mile in each county.

**Statistical data**. Includes population and related data as well as statistics on income and employment. The specific categories in which statistics are provided in this edition are described in detail in the **sample entry** inside the front cover of this book.

## Definition of Terms

Statistical data provided in several of the listing categories are identified as *median* figures (e.g., median age, median income). The term 'median' refers to a value such that half the data in the population set is above that number and half is below it. This should not be confused with *mean*, or *average*, which is the sum of the data elements, or values, divided by the number of data elements in the set.

Income statistics given in *Counties USA* include both ***per capita income*** and ***personal per capita income***. Per capita income data are produced by the U.S. Bureau of the Census and include only income that is received by individuals in cash and its equivalents. Personal per capita income is calculated by the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and represents the personal income of residents of a given area divided by the resident population of the area (based on the Census Bureau's annual midyear population estimates). Personal per capita income includes not only cash income or its equivalent, but also Medicaid or Medicare payments, food stamps, employer contributions to private health and pension funds, and similar forms of compensation.

## Statistical Tables and Other Special Features

As noted at the beginning of this Introduction, this edition of *Counties USA* includes 23 separate Statistical Tables, which are presented as a group following the main body of listings. These tables provide rankings for various types of population, income, and employment statistics, as well as lists of counties ranked by total area and a list of the most common names for counties in the United States.

Features included in this edition of *Counties USA* include: a table that lists for each applicable county the cities in it with populations greater than 10,000; a United States listing containing the same types of data found in the county listings, which can be used to compare county or state statistics against statistics for the country as a whole; and a list of all of the associations of counties in the U.S., with addresses, phone and fax numbers, and websites given for each association.

## Index to Counties

All of the counties and comparable legal entities listed in *Counties USA* are interfiled alphabetically in the **County Index** located at the back of the book. Index

citations include the telephone number for each county, together with a reference to the page on which that county's listing appears in the main body of the book. (A detailed state-by-state list of all counties in *Counties USA* is provided as part of the book's table of contents.

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# Cities with Populations over 10,000

Counties that have more than five cities with populations above 10,000 are listed here, together with the names of those cities and their populations. Information is organized alphabetically by county names in state-by-state order. The cities are listed in ranked order under each county's name, beginning with the city having the largest population.

If a county has five or fewer cities with populations in excess of 10,000, that information is provided within the individual county listings in the main body of the book.

### Jefferson County, AL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Birmingham 🏛 | 212,237 | Center Point | 16,921 |
| Hoover | 81,619 | Hueytown | 16,105 |
| Madison | 42,938 | Gardendale | 13,893 |
| Vestavia Hills | 34,033 | Irondale | 12,349 |
| Bessemer | 27,456 | Leeds | 11,773 |
| Homewood | 25,167 | Fairfield | 11,117 |
| Mountain Brook | 20,413 | Forestdale | 10,162 |
| Trussville | 19,933 | Pleasant Grove | 10,110 |

### Maricopa County, AZ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Phoenix 🏛 | 1,445,632 | Buckeye | 50,876 |
| Mesa | 439,041 | Sun City | 37,499 |
| Chandler | 236,123 | El Mirage | 31,797 |
| Glendale | 226,721 | El Mirage | 31,797 |
| Scottsdale | 217,385 | Queen Creek | 26,361 |
| Gilbert | 208,453 | Sun City West | 24,535 |
| Tempe | 161,719 | Fountain Hills | 22,489 |
| Peoria | 154,065 | Anthem | 21,700 |
| Surprise | 117,517 | New River | 14,952 |
| Avondale | 76,238 | Sun Lakes | 13,975 |
| Goodyear | 65,275 | Paradise Valley | 12,820 |

### Pima County, AZ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tucson 🏛 | 520,116 | Sahuarita | 25,259 |
| Casas Adobes | 66,795 | Green Valley | 21,391 |
| Catalina Foothills | 50,796 | Tanque Verde | 16,901 |
| Oro Valley | 41,011 | Flowing Wells | 16,419 |
| Marana | 34,961 | Tucson Estates | 12,192 |
| Drexel Heights | 27,749 | Vail | 10,208 |
| San Luis | 25,505 | | |

### Pinal County, AZ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Casa Grande | 48,571 | Eloy | 16,631 |
| Maricopa | 43,482 | Coolidge | 11,825 |
| Apache Junction | 35,840 | Cottonwood | 11,265 |
| Florence 🏛 | 25,536 | Arizona City | 10,475 |

### Yavapai County, AZ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Prescott 🏛 | 39,843 | Cottonwood | 11,265 |
| Prescott Valley | 38,822 | Camp Verde | 10,873 |
| Verde Village | 11,605 | Chino Valley | 10,817 |

### Alameda County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oakland 🏛 | 390,724 | Castro Valley | 61,388 |
| Fremont | 214,089 | Dublin | 46,036 |
| Hayward | 144,186 | Newark | 42,573 |
| Berkeley | 112,580 | San Lorenzo | 23,452 |
| San Leandro | 84,950 | Ashland | 21,925 |
| Livermore | 80,968 | Albany | 18,539 |
| Alameda | 73,812 | Cherryland | 14,728 |
| Pleasanton | 70,285 | Piedmont | 10,667 |
| Union City | 69,516 | Emeryville | 10,080 |
| Union City | 69,516 | Fairview | 10,003 |

### Contra Costa County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Concord | 122,067 | Hercules | 24,060 |
| Richmond | 103,701 | Lafayette | 23,893 |
| Antioch | 102,372 | El Cerrito | 23,549 |
| Mountain View | 74,066 | Pinole | 18,390 |
| San Ramon | 72,148 | Orinda | 17,643 |
| Walnut Creek | 64,173 | Moraga | 16,016 |
| Pittsburg | 63,264 | Valle Vista | 14,578 |
| Brentwood | 51,481 | Alamo | 14,570 |
| Danville | 42,039 | Discovery Bay | 13,352 |
| Martinez 🏛 | 35,824 | El Sobrante | 12,723 |
| Oakley | 35,432 | El Sobrante | 12,669 |
| Pleasant Hill | 33,152 | Clayton | 10,897 |
| San Pablo | 29,139 | | |

### El Dorado County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| El Dorado Hills | 42,108 | Cameron Park | 18,228 |
| Spring Valley | 28,205 | Diamond Springs | 11,037 |
| South Lake Tahoe | 21,403 | Placerville 🏛 | 10,389 |

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### Fresno County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fresno 🏛 | 494,665 | Parlier | 14,494 |
| Clovis | 95,631 | Kerman | 13,544 |
| Sanger | 24,270 | Coalinga | 13,380 |
| Reedley | 24,194 | Kingsburg | 11,382 |
| Selma | 23,219 | Mendota | 11,014 |
| Barstow | 22,639 | | |

### Humboldt County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Riverside | 303,871 | Arcata | 17,231 |
| Glendale | 191,719 | McKinleyville | 15,177 |
| Eureka 🏛 | 27,191 | Fortuna | 11,926 |

### Kern County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bakersfield 🏛 | 347,483 | Shafter | 16,988 |
| Alameda | 73,812 | Greenfield | 16,330 |
| Delano | 53,041 | Lamont | 15,120 |
| Oildale | 32,684 | Tehachapi | 14,414 |
| Ridgecrest | 27,616 | California City | 14,120 |
| Wasco | 25,545 | Rosedale | 14,058 |
| Arvin | 19,304 | McFarland | 12,707 |
| Rosamond | 18,150 | | |

### Los Angeles County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Los Angeles 🏛 | 3,792,621 | Culver City | 38,883 |
| Long Beach | 462,257 | Monrovia | 36,590 |
| Glendale | 191,719 | Willowbrook | 35,983 |
| Santa Clarita | 176,320 | Temple City | 35,558 |
| Lancaster | 156,633 | Bell | 35,477 |
| Palmdale | 152,750 | Manhattan Beach | 35,135 |
| Pomona | 149,058 | Claremont | 34,926 |
| Torrance | 145,438 | West Hollywood | 34,399 |
| Pasadena | 137,122 | Beverly Hills | 34,109 |
| East Los Angeles | 126,496 | San Dimas | 33,371 |
| El Monte | 113,475 | Lawndale | 32,769 |
| Downey | 111,772 | Westmont | 31,853 |
| Inglewood | 109,673 | La Verne | 31,063 |
| West Covina | 106,098 | Walnut | 29,172 |
| Norwalk | 105,549 | Atwater | 28,168 |
| Burbank | 103,340 | Maywood | 27,395 |
| Compton | 96,455 | South Pasadena | 25,619 |
| South Gate | 94,396 | Cudahy | 23,805 |
| Carson | 91,714 | San Fernando | 23,645 |
| Santa Monica | 89,736 | Calabasas | 23,058 |
| Whittier | 85,331 | Valinda | 22,822 |
| Hawthorne | 84,293 | Lennox | 22,753 |
| Alhambra | 83,089 | West Puente Valley | 22,636 |
| Lakewood | 80,048 | West Carson | 21,699 |
| Bellflower | 76,616 | Duarte | 21,321 |
| Baldwin Park | 75,390 | South San Jose Hills | 20,551 |
| Lynwood | 69,772 | Agoura Hills | 20,330 |
| Redondo Beach | 66,748 | Lomita | 20,256 |
| Pico Rivera | 62,942 | La Canada Flintridge | 20,246 |
| Montebello | 62,500 | South El Monte | 20,116 |
| Monterey Park | 60,269 | Hermosa Beach | 19,506 |
| Gardena | 58,829 | Castaic | 19,015 |
| Huntington Park | 58,114 | El Segundo | 16,654 |
| South Whittier | 57,156 | Artesia | 16,522 |
| Arcadia | 56,364 | Santa Fe Springs | 16,223 |
| Diamond Bar | 55,544 | Walnut Park | 15,966 |
| Paramount | 54,098 | Vincent | 15,922 |
| Hacienda Heights | 54,038 | Avocado Heights | 15,411 |
| Rosemead | 53,764 | East San Gabriel | 14,874 |
| Brentwood | 51,481 | Hawaiian Gardens | 14,254 |
| Glendora | 50,073 | Palos Verdes Estates | 13,438 |
| Cerritos | 49,041 | San Marino | 13,147 |
| Rowland Heights | 48,993 | Commerce | 12,823 |
| La Mirada | 48,527 | Malibu | 12,645 |
| Covina | 47,796 | Lake Los Angeles | 12,328 |
| Azusa | 46,361 | Signal Hill | 11,016 |
| Altadena | 42,777 | Sierra Madre | 10,917 |
| Bell Gardens | 42,072 | Quartz Hill | 10,912 |
| Rancho Palos Verdes | 41,643 | Citrus | 10,866 |
| La Puente | 39,816 | Del Aire | 10,001 |
| San Gabriel | 39,718 | | |

### Marin County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Rafael 🏛 | 57,713 | Mill Valley | 13,903 |
| Novato | 51,904 | San Anselmo | 12,336 |
| Shafter | 16,988 | Larkspur | 11,926 |

### Merced County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Merced 🏛 | 78,958 | Livingston | 13,058 |
| Los Banos | 35,972 | Delhi | 10,755 |
| Atwater | 28,168 | Winton | 10,613 |

### Monterey County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Salinas 🏛 | 150,441 | Prunedale | 17,560 |
| Seaside | 33,025 | Greenfield | 16,330 |
| Monterey | 27,810 | Pacific Grove | 15,041 |
| Soledad | 25,738 | King City | 12,874 |
| Marina | 19,718 | | |

### Orange County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Anaheim | 336,265 | Placentia | 50,533 |
| Santa Ana 🏛 | 324,528 | Rancho Santa Margarita | 47,853 |
| Irvine | 212,375 | Aliso Viejo | 47,823 |
| Huntington Beach | 189,992 | Cypress | 47,802 |
| Garden Grove | 170,883 | Brea | 39,282 |
| Orange | 136,416 | Stanton | 38,186 |
| Fullerton | 135,161 | San Juan Capistrano | 34,593 |
| Costa Mesa | 109,960 | Dana Point | 33,351 |
| Mission Viejo | 93,305 | Laguna Hills | 30,344 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Westminster | 89,701 | North Tustin | 24,917 |
| Newport Beach | 85,186 | Seal Beach | 24,168 |
| Buena Park | 80,530 | Ladera Ranch | 22,980 |
| Lake Forest | 77,264 | Laguna Beach | 22,723 |
| Tustin | 75,540 | Laguna Woods | 16,192 |
| Yorba Linda | 64,234 | La Palma | 15,568 |
| San Clemente | 63,522 | Coto de Caza | 14,866 |
| Laguna Niguel | 62,979 | Los Alamitos | 11,449 |
| La Habra | 60,239 | Rossmoor | 10,244 |
| Fountain Valley | 55,313 | | |

### Placer County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Roseville | 118,788 | Granite Bay | 20,402 |
| Lake Forest | 77,264 | Auburn | 13,330 |
| Rocklin | 56,974 | North Auburn | 13,022 |
| Lincoln | 42,819 | Clayton | 10,897 |

### Riverside County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Riverside | 303,871 | Rubidoux | 34,280 |
| Moreno Valley | 193,365 | Wildomar | 32,176 |
| Corona | 152,374 | Banning | 29,603 |
| Murrieta | 103,466 | Norco | 27,063 |
| Temecula | 100,097 | Desert Hot Springs | 25,938 |
| Hemet | 78,657 | El Cerrito | 23,549 |
| Menifee | 77,519 | Mira Loma | 21,930 |
| Indio | 76,036 | Blythe | 20,817 |
| Perris | 68,386 | Glen Avon | 20,199 |
| Lake Elsinore | 51,821 | East Hemet | 17,418 |
| Cathedral City | 51,200 | Rancho Mirage | 17,218 |
| Palm Desert | 48,445 | Valle Vista | 14,578 |
| Palm Springs | 44,552 | Woodcrest | 14,347 |
| San Jacinto | 44,199 | Pedley | 12,672 |
| Coachella | 40,704 | Home Gardens | 11,570 |
| La Quinta | 37,467 | Lakeland Village | 11,541 |
| Beaumont | 36,877 | Canyon Lake | 10,561 |
| Martinez | 35,824 | | |

### Sacramento County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sacramento | 466,488 | Fair Oaks | 30,912 |
| Elk Grove | 153,015 | Vineyard | 24,836 |
| Citrus Heights | 83,301 | Galt | 23,647 |
| Folsom | 72,203 | Rosemont | 22,681 |
| Rancho Cordova | 64,776 | Ramona | 20,292 |
| Carmichael | 61,762 | Live Oak | 17,158 |
| Florin | 47,513 | Rio Linda | 15,106 |
| Antelope | 45,770 | Parkway | 14,670 |
| North Highlands | 42,694 | Oak Park | 13,811 |
| Orangevale | 33,960 | Citrus | 10,866 |
| Foothill Farms | 33,121 | La Riviera | 10,802 |

### San Bernardino County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fremont | 214,089 | Colton | 52,154 |
| San Bernardino | 209,924 | Yucaipa | 51,367 |
| Fontana | 196,069 | Montclair | 36,664 |
| Rancho Cucamonga | 165,269 | Adelanto | 31,765 |
| Ontario | 163,924 | Twentynine Palms | 25,048 |
| Victorville | 115,903 | Bloomington | 23,851 |
| Rialto | 99,171 | Loma Linda | 23,261 |
| Hesperia | 90,173 | Barstow | 22,639 |
| Chino | 77,983 | Yucca Valley | 20,700 |
| Chino Hills | 74,799 | Phelan | 14,304 |
| Mountain View | 74,066 | Lake Arrowhead | 12,424 |
| Upland | 73,732 | Big Bear City | 12,304 |
| Apple Valley | 69,135 | Grand Terrace | 12,040 |
| Redlands | 68,747 | Crestline | 10,770 |
| Highland | 53,104 | Muscoy | 10,644 |

### San Diego County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Diego | 1,307,402 | Fallbrook | 30,534 |
| Chula Vista | 243,916 | Spring Valley | 28,205 |
| Oceanside | 167,086 | Imperial Beach | 26,324 |
| Escondido | 143,911 | Lemon Grove | 25,320 |
| Roseville | 118,788 | Rosemont | 22,681 |
| Carlsbad | 105,328 | Rancho San Diego | 21,208 |
| El Cajon | 99,478 | Lakeside | 20,648 |
| Vista | 93,834 | Winter Gardens | 20,631 |
| San Marcos | 83,781 | Ramona | 20,292 |
| Encinitas | 59,518 | Coronado | 18,912 |
| National City | 58,582 | Bostonia | 15,379 |
| La Mesa | 57,065 | Alpine | 14,236 |
| Santee | 53,413 | Solana Beach | 12,867 |
| Poway | 47,811 | Bonita | 12,538 |
| La Presa | 34,169 | San Diego Country Estates | 10,109 |

### San Joaquin County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Stockton | 291,707 | Fair Oaks | 30,912 |
| Tracy | 82,922 | Lathrop | 18,023 |
| Manteca | 67,096 | Ripon | 14,297 |
| Lodi | 62,134 | Garden Acres | 10,648 |

### San Luis Obispo County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Luis Obispo | 45,119 | Los Osos | 14,276 |
| Atascadero | 28,310 | Oak Park | 13,811 |
| Arroyo Grande | 17,252 | Grover Beach | 13,156 |
| Nipomo | 16,714 | Morro Bay | 10,234 |

### San Mateo County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Daly City | 101,123 | Burlingame | 28,806 |
| San Mateo | 97,207 | San Carlos | 28,406 |
| Redwood City | 76,815 | East Palo Alto | 28,155 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| South San Francisco | 63,632 | Belmont | 25,835 |
| San Bruno | 41,114 | Millbrae | 21,532 |
| Pacifica | 37,234 | North Fair Oaks | 14,687 |
| Menlo Park | 32,026 | Half Moon Bay | 11,324 |
| Foster City | 30,567 | Hillsborough | 10,825 |

### Santa Barbara County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Santa Maria | 99,553 | Orcutt | 28,905 |
| Santa Barbara 🏛 | 88,410 | Isla Vista | 23,096 |
| Lompoc | 42,434 | Carpinteria | 13,040 |
| Goleta | 29,888 | | |

### Santa Clara County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Jose 🏛 | 945,942 | Gilroy | 48,821 |
| Sunnyvale | 140,081 | Campbell | 39,349 |
| Santa Clara | 116,468 | Morgan Hill | 37,882 |
| Burbank | 103,340 | Saratoga | 29,926 |
| Mountain View | 74,066 | Los Gatos | 29,413 |
| Milpitas | 66,790 | Los Altos | 28,976 |
| Palo Alto | 64,403 | Alum Rock | 15,536 |
| Cupertino | 58,302 | Stanford | 13,809 |

### Sonoma County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Santa Rosa 🏛 | 167,815 | Windsor | 26,801 |
| Petaluma | 57,941 | Healdsburg | 11,254 |
| Rohnert Park | 40,971 | Sonoma | 10,648 |
| Lawndale | 32,769 | | |

### Stanislaus County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Modesto 🏛 | 201,165 | Oakdale | 20,675 |
| Turlock | 68,549 | Patterson | 20,413 |
| Ceres | 45,417 | Salida | 13,722 |
| Riverbank | 22,678 | Newman | 10,224 |

### Tulare County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Visalia 🏛 | 124,442 | Lindsay | 11,768 |
| Tulare | 59,278 | Farmersville | 10,588 |
| Porterville | 54,165 | Exeter | 10,334 |
| Dinuba | 21,453 | Fairview | 10,003 |

### Ventura County, CA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oxnard | 197,899 | Santa Paula | 29,321 |
| Thousand Oaks | 126,683 | Port Hueneme | 21,723 |
| Simi Valley | 124,237 | Fillmore | 15,002 |
| Camarillo | 65,201 | Oak Park | 13,811 |
| Moorpark | 34,421 | Fairview | 10,003 |

### Adams County, CO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aurora | 325,078 | Brighton 🏛 | 33,352 |
| Thornton | 118,772 | Sherrelwood | 18,287 |
| Westminster | 106,114 | Welby | 14,846 |
| Commerce City | 45,913 | Federal Heights | 11,467 |
| Northglenn | 35,789 | Berkley | 11,207 |

### Boulder County, CO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Boulder 🏛 | 97,385 | Louisville | 18,376 |
| Longmont | 86,270 | Erie | 18,135 |
| Lafayette | 24,453 | Superior | 12,483 |

### Douglas County, CO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Highlands Ranch | 96,713 | The Pinery | 10,517 |
| Castle Rock 🏛 | 48,231 | Castle Pines North | 10,360 |
| Parker | 45,297 | Lone Tree | 10,218 |

### Jefferson County, CO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lakewood | 142,980 | Wheat Ridge | 30,166 |
| Arvada | 106,433 | Columbine | 24,280 |
| Ken Caryl | 32,438 | Golden 🏛 | 18,867 |

### Fairfield County, CT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bridgeport 🏛 | 144,229 | Shelton | 39,559 |
| Stamford | 122,643 | Trumbull | 36,018 |
| Norwalk | 85,603 | Westport | 26,391 |
| Danbury | 80,893 | Darien | 20,732 |
| Stratford | 51,384 | Greenwich | 12,942 |

### Hartford County, CT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hartford 🏛 | 124,775 | Manchester | 30,577 |
| New Britain | 73,206 | Newington | 30,562 |
| West Hartford | 63,268 | Wethersfield | 26,668 |
| Bristol | 60,477 | Windsor Locks | 12,498 |
| East Hartford | 51,252 | | |

### New Haven County, CT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New Haven 🏛 | 129,779 | East Haven | 29,257 |
| Waterbury | 110,366 | North Haven | 24,093 |
| Meriden | 60,868 | Ansonia | 19,249 |
| West Haven | 55,564 | Orange | 13,956 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Milford | 51,271 | Derby | 12,902 |
| Naugatuck | 31,862 | | |

### New Castle County, DE

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wilmington 🏛 | 70,851 | Brookside | 14,353 |
| Newark | 31,454 | Glasgow | 14,303 |
| Bear | 19,371 | Hockessin | 13,527 |
| Middletown | 18,871 | | |

### Brevard County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Palm Bay | 103,190 | West Melbourne | 18,355 |
| Melbourne | 76,068 | Cocoa | 17,140 |
| Titusville 🏛 | 43,761 | Cocoa Beach | 11,231 |
| Merritt Island | 34,743 | Satellite Beach | 10,109 |
| Rockledge | 24,926 | | |

### Broward County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fort Lauderdale 🏛 | 165,521 | Tamarac | 60,427 |
| Pembroke Pines | 154,750 | Margate | 53,284 |
| Hollywood | 140,768 | Coconut Creek | 52,909 |
| Miramar | 122,041 | Oakland Park | 41,363 |
| Coral Springs | 121,096 | North Lauderdale | 41,023 |
| Miami Gardens | 107,167 | Hallandale Beach | 37,113 |
| Pompano Beach | 99,845 | Lauderdale Lakes | 32,593 |
| Davie | 91,992 | Dania Beach | 29,639 |
| Plantation | 84,955 | Cooper City | 28,547 |
| Sunrise | 84,439 | Parkland | 23,962 |
| Deerfield Beach | 75,018 | West Park | 14,156 |
| Lauderhill | 66,887 | Wilton Manors | 11,632 |
| Weston | 65,333 | Lighthouse Point | 10,344 |

### Duval County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jacksonville | 821,784 | Englewood | 14,863 |
| Riverview | 71,050 | Sweetwater | 13,499 |
| Jacksonville Beach | 21,362 | Atlantic Beach | 12,655 |

### Escambia County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Riverview | 71,050 | Ensley | 20,602 |
| Pensacola 🏛 | 51,923 | Myrtle Grove | 15,870 |
| Ferry Pass | 28,921 | Brownsville | 15,313 |
| Bellview | 23,355 | Warrington | 14,531 |
| Brent | 21,804 | Gonzalez | 13,273 |
| West Pensacola | 21,339 | | |

### Hillsborough County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tampa 🏛 | 335,709 | Westchase | 21,747 |
| Brandon | 103,483 | Lutz | 19,344 |
| Town 'n' Country | 78,442 | Sun City Center | 19,258 |
| Riverview | 71,050 | Pinecrest | 18,223 |
| Valrico | 35,545 | Ruskin | 17,208 |
| Plant City | 34,721 | Midway | 16,115 |
| Carrollwood | 33,365 | Gibsonton | 14,234 |
| East Lake | 30,962 | West Park | 14,156 |
| Lake Magdalene | 28,509 | Fish Hawk | 14,087 |
| Temple Terrace | 24,541 | Apollo Beach | 14,055 |
| Citrus Park | 24,252 | Thonotosassa | 13,014 |
| Keystone | 24,039 | Mango | 11,313 |
| Bloomingdale | 22,711 | Cheval | 10,702 |
| Northdale | 22,079 | | |

### Lake County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pine Hills | 60,076 | Eustis | 18,558 |
| Oakland Park | 41,363 | Tavares 🏛 | 13,951 |
| Clermont | 28,742 | Lady Lake | 13,926 |
| Leesburg | 20,117 | Mount Dora | 12,370 |

### Lee County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cape Coral | 154,305 | Estero | 22,612 |
| Lehigh Acres | 86,784 | San Carlos Park | 16,824 |
| Fort Myers 🏛 | 62,298 | Iona | 15,369 |
| Bonita Springs | 43,914 | Cypress Lake | 11,846 |
| North Fort Myers | 39,407 | Villas | 11,569 |

### Martin County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Golden Gate | 23,961 | Hobe Sound | 11,521 |
| Palm City | 23,120 | Lighthouse Point | 10,344 |
| Stuart 🏛 | 15,593 | Port Salerno | 10,091 |
| Jensen Beach | 11,707 | | |

### Miami-Dade County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miami 🏛 | 399,457 | The Crossings | 22,758 |
| Hialeah | 224,669 | Leisure City | 22,655 |
| Miami Gardens | 107,167 | Princeton | 22,038 |
| Miami Beach | 87,779 | Hialeah Gardens | 21,744 |
| Kendall | 75,371 | Sunny Isles Beach | 20,832 |
| Homestead | 60,512 | Ives Estates | 19,525 |
| Fountainebleau | 59,764 | Pinecrest | 18,223 |
| North Miami | 58,786 | Ojus | 18,036 |
| Kendale Lakes | 56,148 | Glenvar Heights | 16,898 |
| Tamiami | 55,271 | Pinewood | 16,520 |
| The Hammocks | 51,003 | Sunset | 16,389 |
| Country Club | 47,105 | Country Walk | 15,997 |
| Coral Gables | 46,780 | Brownsville | 15,313 |
| Doral | 45,704 | Opa-locka | 15,219 |
| North Miami Beach | 41,523 | Three Lakes | 15,047 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cutler Bay | 40,286 | Miami Springs | 13,809 |
| Aventura | 35,762 | Palmetto Estates | 13,535 |
| South Miami Heights | 35,696 | Sweetwater | 13,499 |
| West Little River | 34,699 | Olympia Heights | 13,488 |
| Golden Glades | 33,145 | Key Biscayne | 12,344 |
| Westchester | 29,862 | South Miami | 11,657 |
| Miami Lakes | 29,361 | Gladeview | 11,535 |
| University Park | 26,995 | Florida City | 11,245 |
| Coral Terrace | 24,376 | Miami Shores | 10,493 |
| Palmetto Bay | 23,410 | Goulds | 10,103 |

### Okaloosa County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wright | 23,127 | Longwood | 13,657 |
| Crestview 🏛 | 20,978 | Niceville | 12,749 |
| Fort Walton Beach | 19,507 | Destin | 12,305 |
| Seminole | 17,233 | | |

### Orange County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Orlando 🏛 | 238,300 | Maitland | 15,751 |
| Pine Hills | 60,076 | Lake Butler | 15,400 |
| Apopka | 41,542 | Hunters Creek | 14,321 |
| Ocoee | 35,579 | Conway | 13,467 |
| Winter Garden | 34,568 | Lockhart | 13,060 |
| Winter Park | 27,852 | Azalea Park | 12,556 |
| Meadow Woods | 25,558 | Doctor Phillips | 10,981 |
| Oak Ridge | 22,685 | Pine Castle | 10,805 |
| Southchase | 15,921 | Fairview Shores | 10,239 |

### Palm Beach County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| West Palm Beach 🏛 | 99,919 | Royal Palm Beach | 34,140 |
| Boca Raton | 84,392 | Riviera Beach | 32,488 |
| Boynton Beach | 68,217 | University Park | 26,995 |
| Delray Beach | 60,522 | Palm Springs | 18,928 |
| Wellington | 56,508 | Belle Glade | 17,467 |
| Jupiter | 55,156 | North Palm Beach | 12,015 |
| Palm Beach Gardens | 48,452 | Lantana | 10,423 |
| Lake Worth | 34,910 | | |

### Pasco County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wesley Chapel | 44,092 | Elfers | 13,986 |
| Land O' Lakes | 31,996 | Zephyrhills | 13,288 |
| Bayonet Point | 23,467 | Hudson | 12,158 |
| Holiday | 22,403 | Shady Hills | 11,523 |
| Jasmine Estates | 18,989 | Trinity | 10,907 |
| New Port Richey 🏛 | 14,911 | | |

### Pinellas County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Clearwater 🏛 | 107,685 | Tarpon Springs | 23,484 |
| Largo | 77,648 | Lealman | 19,879 |
| Palm Harbor | 57,439 | Seminole | 17,233 |
| Pinellas Park | 49,079 | Safety Harbor | 16,884 |
| Dunedin | 35,321 | Oldsmar | 13,591 |
| East Lake | 30,962 | Gulfport | 12,029 |
| Four Corners | 26,116 | | |

### Polk County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lakeland | 97,422 | Lake Wales | 14,225 |
| Winter Haven | 33,874 | Auburndale | 13,507 |
| Haines City | 20,535 | Lakeland Highlands | 11,056 |
| Bartow 🏛 | 17,298 | Highland City | 10,834 |

### Sarasota County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Plantation | 84,955 | Sarasota Springs | 14,395 |
| North Port | 57,357 | South Venice | 13,949 |
| Sarasota 🏛 | 51,917 | Fruitville | 13,224 |
| Venice | 20,748 | Gulf Gate Estates | 10,911 |
| Englewood | 14,863 | | |

### Seminole County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sanford 🏛 | 53,570 | Pinecrest | 18,223 |
| Altamonte Springs | 41,496 | Midway | 16,115 |
| Oviedo | 33,342 | Forest City | 13,854 |
| Winter Springs | 33,282 | Lake Mary | 13,822 |
| Casselberry | 26,241 | Longwood | 13,657 |
| Wekiwa Springs | 21,998 | Goldenrod | 12,039 |

### Volusia County, FL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Deltona | 85,182 | Edgewater | 20,750 |
| Daytona Beach | 61,005 | DeBary | 19,320 |
| Port Orange | 56,048 | South Daytona | 12,252 |
| Ormond Beach | 38,137 | Holly Hill | 11,659 |
| DeLand | 27,031 | Orange City | 10,599 |
| New Smyrna Beach | 22,464 | | |

### Cobb County, GA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Marietta 🏛 | 56,579 | Kennesaw | 29,783 |
| Smyrna | 51,271 | Acworth | 20,425 |
| Mableton | 37,115 | Powder Springs | 13,940 |

### DeKalb County, GA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dunwoody | 46,267 | North Druid Hills | 18,947 |
| North Atlanta | 40,456 | North Decatur | 16,698 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Redan | 33,015 | Belvedere Park | 15,152 |
| Tucker | 27,581 | Druid Hills | 14,568 |
| Decatur | 19,335 | Scottdale | 10,631 |

### Fulton County, GA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Atlanta | 420,003 | Milton | 32,661 |
| Sandy Springs | 93,853 | Union City | 19,456 |
| Roswell | 88,346 | Thomasville | 18,413 |
| Johns Creek | 76,728 | College Park | 13,942 |
| Alpharetta | 57,551 | Fairburn | 12,950 |
| East Point | 33,712 | Mountain Park | 11,554 |

### Gwinnett County, GA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lawrenceville | 28,546 | Suwanee | 15,355 |
| Duluth | 26,600 | Buford | 12,225 |
| Sugar Hill | 18,522 | Lilburn | 11,596 |
| Snellville | 18,242 | Mountain Park | 11,554 |

### Hawaii County, HI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hilo | 43,263 | Waipio | 11,674 |
| Kailua | 38,635 | Hawaiian Paradise Park | 11,404 |
| Halawa | 14,014 | Hawaiian Paradise Park | 11,404 |
| Kailua | 11,975 | | |

### Honolulu County, HI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pearl City | 47,698 | Ewa Beach | 14,955 |
| Kailua | 38,635 | Halawa | 14,014 |
| Waipahu | 38,216 | Waimalu | 13,730 |
| Kaneohe | 34,597 | Waianae | 13,177 |
| Mililani Town | 27,629 | Nanakuli | 12,666 |
| Ewa Gentry | 22,690 | Kailua | 11,975 |
| Wahiawa | 17,821 | Waipio | 11,674 |
| Kapolei | 15,186 | | |

### Maui County, HI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kailua | 38,635 | Halawa | 14,014 |
| Kahului | 26,337 | Kailua | 11,975 |
| Kihei | 20,881 | Lahaina | 11,704 |
| Wailuku | 15,313 | | |

### Cook County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 2,695,598 | Evergreen Park | 19,852 |
| Cicero | 83,891 | Homewood | 19,323 |
| Arlington Heights | 75,101 | Alsip | 19,277 |
| Evanston | 74,486 | Bellwood | 19,071 |
| Schaumburg | 74,227 | Matteson | 19,009 |
| Palatine | 68,557 | Brookfield | 18,978 |
| Skokie | 64,784 | Franklin Park | 18,333 |
| Des Plaines | 58,364 | Palos Hills | 17,484 |
| Orland Park | 56,767 | Westchester | 16,718 |
| Tinley Park | 56,703 | Country Club Hills | 16,541 |
| Oak Lawn | 56,690 | Bridgeview | 16,446 |
| Berwyn | 56,657 | Prospect Heights | 16,256 |
| Mount Prospect | 54,167 | Lemont | 16,000 |
| Hoffman Estates | 51,895 | La Grange | 15,550 |
| Oak Park | 51,878 | Midlothian | 14,819 |
| Glenview | 44,692 | Norridge | 14,572 |
| Buffalo Grove | 41,496 | Chicago Ridge | 14,305 |
| Bartlett | 41,208 | Forest Park | 14,167 |
| Streamwood | 39,858 | Hazel Crest | 14,100 |
| Wheeling | 37,648 | Hickory Hills | 14,049 |
| Park Ridge | 37,480 | Richton Park | 13,646 |
| Calumet City | 37,042 | La Grange Park | 13,579 |
| Northbrook | 33,170 | Riverdale | 13,549 |
| Elk Grove Village | 33,127 | Western Springs | 12,975 |
| Chicago Heights | 30,276 | Justice | 12,926 |
| Niles | 29,803 | Lincolnwood | 12,590 |
| Burbank | 28,925 | Palos Heights | 12,515 |
| Lansing | 28,331 | Markham | 12,508 |
| Oak Forest | 27,962 | Northlake | 12,323 |
| Wilmette | 27,087 | Winnetka | 12,187 |
| Melrose Park | 25,411 | Schiller Park | 11,793 |
| Harvey | 25,282 | River Forest | 11,172 |
| Elmwood Park | 24,883 | Summit | 11,054 |
| Rolling Meadows | 24,099 | Crestwood | 10,950 |
| Maywood | 24,090 | Worth | 10,789 |
| Blue Island | 23,706 | Lyons | 10,729 |
| Morton Grove | 23,270 | Sauk Village | 10,506 |
| Dolton | 23,153 | Barrington | 10,327 |
| South Holland | 22,030 | River Grove | 10,227 |
| Park Forest | 21,975 | | |

### DuPage County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Naperville | 141,853 | Westmont | 24,685 |
| Wheaton | 52,894 | Roselle | 22,763 |
| Downers Grove | 47,833 | Lisle | 22,390 |
| Elmhurst | 44,121 | Darien | 22,086 |
| Lombard | 43,165 | Bloomingdale | 22,018 |
| Carol Stream | 39,711 | Villa Park | 21,904 |
| Hanover Park | 37,973 | Bensenville | 18,352 |
| Addison | 36,942 | Hinsdale | 16,816 |
| Glendale Heights | 34,208 | Wood Dale | 13,770 |
| Woodridge | 32,971 | Warrenville | 13,140 |
| Glen Ellyn | 27,450 | Burr Ridge | 10,559 |
| West Chicago | 27,086 | | |

### Kane County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aurora | 197,899 | Geneva | 21,495 |
| Elgin | 108,188 | Montgomery | 18,438 |
| Carpentersville | 37,691 | North Aurora | 16,760 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Batavia | 26,045 | Campton Hills | 11,131 |
| South Elgin | 21,985 | | |

### Lake County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Waukegan | 89,078 | Lake Zurich | 19,631 |
| Woodridge | 32,971 | Lake Forest | 19,375 |
| North Chicago | 32,574 | Round Lake | 18,289 |
| Gurnee | 31,295 | Deerfield | 18,225 |
| Mundelein | 31,064 | Lindenhurst | 14,462 |
| Highland Park | 29,763 | Antioch | 14,430 |
| Round Lake Beach | 28,175 | Beach Park | 13,638 |
| Vernon Hills | 25,113 | Wauconda | 13,603 |
| Zion | 24,413 | Fox Lake | 10,579 |
| Grayslake | 20,957 | Gages Lake | 10,198 |
| Libertyville | 20,315 | | |

### Madison County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Granite City | 29,849 | Godfrey | 17,982 |
| Alton | 27,865 | Glen Carbon | 12,934 |
| Collinsville | 25,579 | Wood River | 10,657 |
| Edwardsville | 24,293 | | |

### McHenry County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Crystal Lake | 40,743 | Woodstock | 24,770 |
| Algonquin | 30,046 | Huntley | 24,291 |
| Lake in the Hills | 28,965 | Cary | 18,271 |
| McHenry | 26,992 | | |

### St. Clair County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Glenview | 44,692 | Swansea | 13,430 |
| Belleville | 44,478 | Shiloh | 12,651 |
| O'Fallon | 28,281 | Pontiac | 11,931 |
| Fairview Heights | 17,078 | Summit | 11,054 |
| Cahokia | 15,241 | | |

### Will County, IL

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Joliet | 147,433 | Crest Hill | 20,837 |
| Bolingbrook | 73,366 | Mokena | 18,740 |
| Romeoville | 39,680 | Frankfort | 17,782 |
| Plainfield | 39,581 | Shorewood | 15,615 |
| Lockport | 24,839 | Forest Park | 14,167 |
| New Lenox | 24,394 | Channahon | 12,560 |
| Homer Glen | 24,220 | | |

### Hamilton County, IN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Carmel | 79,191 | Westfield | 30,068 |
| Fishers | 76,794 | Clarksville | 21,724 |
| Noblesville | 51,969 | Chesterton | 13,068 |

### Lake County, IN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hammond | 80,830 | Highland | 23,727 |
| Gary | 80,294 | Munster | 23,603 |
| Merrillville | 35,246 | Griffith | 16,893 |
| East Chicago | 29,698 | Dyer | 16,390 |
| Schererville | 29,243 | Lake Station | 12,572 |
| Hobart | 29,059 | Cedar Lake | 11,560 |
| Crown Point | 27,317 | | |

### Polk County, IA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Des Moines | 203,433 | Johnston | 17,278 |
| West Des Moines | 56,609 | Clive | 15,447 |
| Ankeny | 45,582 | Altoona | 14,541 |
| Urbandale | 39,463 | | |

### Johnson County, KS

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Overland Park | 173,372 | Leawood | 31,867 |
| Olathe | 125,872 | Prairie Village | 21,447 |
| Shawnee | 62,209 | Gardner | 19,123 |
| Lenexa | 48,190 | Merriam | 11,003 |

### East Baton Rouge County, LA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baton Rouge | 229,493 | Zachary | 14,960 |
| Central | 26,864 | Baker | 13,895 |
| Shenandoah | 18,399 | Gardere | 10,580 |

### Jefferson County, LA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Metairie | 138,481 | Estelle | 16,377 |
| Kenner | 66,702 | River Ridge | 13,494 |
| Marrero | 33,141 | Woodmere | 12,080 |
| Terrytown | 23,319 | Jefferson | 11,193 |
| Harvey | 20,348 | Timberlane | 10,243 |
| Gretna | 17,736 | Waggaman | 10,015 |

### Anne Arundel County, MD

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Germantown | 86,395 | Arnold | 23,106 |
| Glen Burnie | 67,639 | Lake Shore | 19,477 |
| Severn | 44,231 | Ferndale | 16,746 |
| Annapolis | 38,394 | Maryland City | 16,093 |
| Severna Park | 37,634 | Parole | 15,922 |
| Odenton | 37,132 | Brooklyn Park | 14,373 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Crofton | 27,348 | Riviera Beach | 12,677 |
| Pasadena | 24,287 | Linthicum | 10,324 |

### Baltimore County, MD

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Germantown | 86,395 | Perry Hall | 28,474 |
| Dundalk | 63,597 | Reisterstown | 25,968 |
| Towson | 55,197 | Lochearn | 25,333 |
| Catonsville | 41,567 | Middle River | 25,191 |
| Essex | 39,262 | Cockeysville | 20,776 |
| Woodlawn | 37,879 | Arbutus | 20,483 |
| Randallstown | 32,430 | Rosedale | 19,257 |
| Pikesville | 30,764 | Rossville | 15,147 |
| Parkville | 30,734 | Glenmont | 13,529 |
| Owings Mills | 30,622 | Overlea | 12,275 |
| Carney | 29,941 | Mays Chapel | 11,420 |
| Milford Mill | 29,042 | | |

### Montgomery County, MD

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Germantown | 86,395 | North Potomac | 24,410 |
| Silver Spring | 71,452 | Fairland | 23,681 |
| Rockville 🏛 | 61,209 | White Oak | 17,403 |
| Bethesda | 60,858 | Redland | 17,242 |
| Gaithersburg | 59,933 | Takoma Park | 16,715 |
| Aspen Hill | 48,759 | Damascus | 15,257 |
| Wheaton | 48,284 | Cloverly | 15,126 |
| Potomac | 44,965 | Colesville | 14,647 |
| North Bethesda | 43,828 | Clarksburg | 13,766 |
| Olney | 33,844 | Glenmont | 13,529 |
| Montgomery Village | 32,032 | Kemp Mill | 12,564 |
| Edgewood | 25,562 | Travilah | 12,159 |

### Prince George's County, MD

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bowie | 54,727 | Glassmanor | 17,295 |
| Woodlawn | 37,879 | Seabrook | 17,287 |
| Clinton | 35,970 | Beltsville | 16,772 |
| Chillum | 33,513 | Hillcrest Heights | 16,469 |
| College Park | 30,413 | East Riverdale | 15,509 |
| South Laurel | 26,112 | Adelphi | 15,086 |
| Suitland | 25,825 | Glenn Dale | 13,466 |
| Edgewood | 25,562 | Kettering | 12,790 |
| Laurel | 25,115 | Forestville | 12,353 |
| Fort Washington | 23,717 | New Carrollton | 12,135 |
| Landover | 23,078 | Walker Mill | 11,302 |
| Greenbelt | 23,068 | Mitchellville | 10,967 |
| Camp Springs | 19,096 | Largo | 10,709 |
| Langley Park | 18,755 | Rosaryville | 10,697 |
| Calverton | 17,724 | Accokeek | 10,573 |
| Oxon Hill | 17,722 | Lanham | 10,157 |
| Hyattsville | 17,557 | | |

### Essex County, MA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lynn | 90,329 | Saugus | 26,628 |
| Lawrence | 76,377 | Danvers | 26,493 |
| Haverhill | 60,879 | Marblehead | 19,808 |
| Peabody | 51,251 | Newburyport | 17,416 |
| Salem 🏛 | 41,340 | Swampscott | 13,787 |
| Beverly | 39,502 | Lynnfield | 11,596 |
| Gloucester | 28,789 | | |

### Middlesex County, MA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lowell | 106,519 | Lexington | 31,394 |
| Cambridge 🏛 | 105,162 | Melrose | 26,983 |
| Newton | 85,146 | Wakefield | 24,932 |
| Somerville | 75,754 | Reading | 24,747 |
| Framingham | 68,318 | Belmont | 24,729 |
| Waltham | 60,632 | Burlington | 24,498 |
| Malden | 59,450 | Wilmington | 22,325 |
| Medford | 56,173 | Stoneham | 21,437 |
| Arlington | 42,844 | Winchester | 21,374 |
| Everett | 41,667 | Hudson | 14,907 |
| Marlborough | 38,499 | Maynard | 10,106 |
| Woburn | 38,120 | | |

### Norfolk County, MA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Quincy | 92,271 | Wellesley | 27,982 |
| Brookline | 58,732 | Milton | 27,003 |
| Randolph | 32,112 | Dedham | 24,729 |
| Needham | 28,886 | Holbrook | 10,791 |
| Norwood | 28,602 | | |

### Worcester County, MA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Worcester 🏛 | 181,045 | Milford | 25,055 |
| Cambridge | 105,162 | Gardner | 20,228 |
| Leominster | 40,759 | Webster | 11,412 |
| Fitchburg | 40,318 | | |

### Kent County, MI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grand Rapids 🏛 | 188,040 | Grandville | 15,378 |
| Wyoming | 72,125 | Northview | 14,541 |
| Kentwood | 48,707 | Cutlerville | 14,370 |
| Forest Hills | 25,867 | East Grand Rapids | 10,694 |
| Walker | 23,537 | Comstock Park | 10,088 |

### Macomb County, MI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Warren | 134,056 | Mount Clemens 🏛 | 16,314 |
| Sterling Heights | 129,699 | Fraser | 14,480 |
| Roseville | 47,299 | New Baltimore | 12,084 |
| Eastpointe | 32,442 | | |

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### Oakland County, MI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Troy | 80,980 | Birmingham | 20,103 |
| Farmington Hills | 79,740 | Ferndale | 19,900 |
| Southfield | 71,739 | Hazel Park | 16,422 |
| Rochester Hills | 70,995 | Berkley | 14,970 |
| Pontiac | 59,515 | Wixom | 13,498 |
| Royal Oak | 57,236 | Rochester | 12,711 |
| Novi | 55,224 | Clawson | 11,825 |
| Madison Heights | 29,694 | South Lyon | 11,327 |
| Oak Park | 29,319 | Farmington | 10,372 |
| Auburn Hills | 21,412 | Beverly Hills | 10,267 |

### Wayne County, MI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Detroit | 713,777 | Romulus | 23,989 |
| Dearborn | 98,153 | Hamtramck | 22,423 |
| Livonia | 96,942 | Trenton | 18,853 |
| Westland | 84,094 | Wayne | 17,593 |
| Taylor | 63,131 | Grosse Pointe Woods | 16,135 |
| Dearborn Heights | 57,774 | Harper Woods | 14,236 |
| Lincoln Park | 38,144 | Woodhaven | 12,875 |
| Southgate | 30,047 | Riverview | 12,486 |
| Allen Park | 28,210 | Highland Park | 11,776 |
| Garden City | 27,692 | Grosse Pointe Park | 11,555 |
| Wyandotte | 25,883 | Melvindale | 10,715 |
| Inkster | 25,369 | | |

### Anoka County, MN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Coon Rapids | 61,476 | Lino Lakes | 20,216 |
| Blaine | 57,186 | Columbia Heights | 19,496 |
| Andover | 30,598 | Anoka | 17,142 |
| Fridley | 27,208 | Ham Lake | 15,296 |
| Ramsey | 23,668 | East Bethel | 11,626 |

### Dakota County, MN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Eagan | 64,206 | Hastings | 22,172 |
| Burnsville | 60,306 | Rosemount | 21,874 |
| Lakeville | 55,954 | Farmington | 21,086 |
| Apple Valley | 49,084 | Mendota Heights | 11,071 |
| Inver Grove Heights | 33,880 | | |

### Hennepin County, MN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Minneapolis | 382,578 | Richfield | 35,228 |
| Bloomington | 82,893 | Brooklyn Center | 30,104 |
| Brooklyn Park | 75,781 | Champlin | 23,089 |
| Plymouth | 70,576 | Crystal | 22,151 |
| Maple Grove | 61,567 | Golden Valley | 20,371 |
| Eden Prairie | 60,797 | New Hope | 20,339 |
| Minnetonka | 49,734 | Hopkins | 17,591 |
| Edina | 47,941 | Robbinsdale | 13,953 |

### Ramsey County, MN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Maplewood | 38,018 | New Brighton | 21,456 |
| Roseville | 33,660 | Vadnais Heights | 12,302 |
| Shoreview | 25,043 | Mounds View | 12,155 |
| White Bear Lake | 23,797 | | |

### Washington County, MN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Woodbury | 61,961 | Forest Lake | 18,375 |
| Cottage Grove | 34,589 | Stillwater | 18,225 |
| Oakdale | 27,378 | Hugo | 13,332 |

### Jackson County, MO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kansas City | 459,787 | Raytown | 29,526 |
| Independence | 116,830 | Grandview | 24,475 |
| Blue Springs | 52,575 | Grain Valley | 12,854 |

### St. Louis County, MO

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Florissant | 52,158 | Spanish Lake | 19,650 |
| Chesterfield | 47,484 | Manchester | 18,094 |
| Oakville | 36,143 | Creve Coeur | 17,833 |
| Wildwood | 35,517 | Lemay | 16,645 |
| University City | 35,371 | Concord | 16,421 |
| Ballwin | 30,404 | Overland | 16,062 |
| Mehlville | 28,380 | Clayton | 15,939 |
| Kirkwood | 27,540 | Jennings | 14,712 |
| Maryland Heights | 27,472 | Crestwood | 11,912 |
| Hazelwood | 25,703 | Bridgeton | 11,550 |
| Webster Groves | 22,995 | Bellefontaine Neighbors | 10,860 |
| Ferguson | 21,203 | Town and Country | 10,815 |
| Affton | 20,307 | Eureka | 10,189 |

### Clark County, NV

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Las Vegas | 583,756 | Enterprise | 108,481 |
| Henderson | 257,729 | Whitney | 38,585 |
| Paradise | 223,167 | Winchester | 27,978 |
| North Las Vegas | 216,961 | Mesquite | 15,276 |
| Sunrise Manor | 189,372 | Boulder City | 15,023 |
| Spring Valley | 178,395 | | |

### Bergen County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hackensack | 43,010 | Tenafly | 14,488 |
| Fort Lee | 35,345 | Ramsey | 14,473 |
| Fair Lawn | 32,457 | Fairview | 13,835 |
| Garfield | 30,487 | Oakland | 12,754 |
| Englewood | 27,147 | Ridgefield Park | 12,729 |
| Bergenfield | 26,764 | Hasbrouck Heights | 11,842 |
| Paramus | 26,342 | Glen Rock | 11,601 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ridgewood | 24,958 | Edgewater | 11,513 |
| Lodi | 24,136 | River Edge | 11,340 |
| Cliffside Park | 23,594 | Wallington | 11,335 |
| Palisades Park | 19,622 | Ridgefield | 11,032 |
| Elmwood Park | 19,403 | Westwood | 10,908 |
| Rutherford | 18,061 | Little Ferry | 10,626 |
| Dumont | 17,479 | Franklin Lakes | 10,590 |
| New Milford | 16,341 | Hillsdale | 10,219 |
| North Arlington | 15,392 | | |

### Camden County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Camden | 77,344 | Haddonfield | 11,593 |
| Lindenwold | 17,613 | Bellmawr | 11,583 |
| Springdale | 14,518 | Gloucester City | 11,456 |
| Cherry Hill Mall | 14,171 | Greentree | 11,367 |
| Highland Park | 13,982 | Echelon | 10,743 |
| Collingswood | 13,926 | Pine Hill | 10,233 |
| Fairview | 13,835 | | |

### Hudson County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jersey City | 247,597 | Kearny | 40,684 |
| Union City | 66,455 | Secaucus | 16,264 |
| Bayonne | 63,024 | Harrison | 13,620 |
| Hoboken | 50,005 | Guttenberg | 11,176 |
| West New York | 49,708 | | |

### Middlesex County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New Brunswick | 55,181 | Avenel | 17,011 |
| Perth Amboy | 50,814 | South River | 16,008 |
| Sayreville | 42,704 | Fords | 15,187 |
| Old Bridge | 23,753 | Highland Park | 13,982 |
| South Plainfield | 23,385 | Princeton Meadows | 13,834 |
| Carteret | 22,844 | Middlesex | 13,635 |
| Woodbridge | 19,265 | Metuchen | 13,574 |
| Iselin | 18,695 | Franklin Park | 13,295 |
| Morristown | 18,411 | Lincoln Park | 10,521 |
| Colonia | 17,795 | | |

### Monmouth County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Long Branch | 30,719 | Red Bank | 12,206 |
| Tinton Falls | 17,892 | Freehold | 12,052 |
| Asbury Park | 16,116 | Robertsville | 11,297 |
| Fairview | 13,835 | Hillsdale | 10,219 |
| West Freehold | 13,613 | Keansburg | 10,105 |
| Eatontown | 12,709 | | |

### Morris County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pleasantville | 20,249 | Florham Park | 11,696 |
| Morristown | 18,411 | Lincoln Park | 10,521 |
| Dover | 18,157 | Kinnelon | 10,248 |
| Madison | 15,845 | | |

### Passaic County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Paterson | 146,199 | Woodland Park | 11,819 |
| Clifton | 84,136 | Wanaque | 11,116 |
| Passaic | 69,781 | Pompton Lakes | 11,097 |
| Hawthorne | 18,791 | Totowa | 10,804 |
| Ringwood | 12,228 | | |

### Somerset County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Somerset | 22,083 | Somerville | 12,098 |
| North Plainfield | 21,936 | Martinsville | 11,980 |
| Springdale | 14,518 | Bound Brook | 10,402 |
| Bradley Gardens | 14,206 | Manville | 10,344 |
| Fairview | 13,835 | | |

### Union County, NJ

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Elizabeth | 124,969 | Summit | 21,457 |
| Plainfield | 49,808 | Roselle | 21,085 |
| Linden | 40,499 | Roselle Park | 13,297 |
| Westfield | 30,316 | New Providence | 12,171 |
| Rahway | 27,346 | Woodland Park | 11,819 |

### Erie County, NY

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 261,310 | Lackawanna | 18,141 |
| Cheektowaga | 75,178 | Kenmore | 15,423 |
| Mount Vernon | 67,292 | Depew | 15,303 |
| Tonawanda | 58,144 | Tonawanda | 15,130 |
| West Seneca | 44,711 | Eggertsville | 15,019 |
| Brighton | 36,609 | Lancaster | 10,352 |
| Shirley | 27,854 | | |

### Nassau County, NY

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hempstead | 53,891 | West Hempstead | 18,862 |
| Levittown | 51,881 | Syosset | 18,829 |
| Freeport | 42,860 | Mineola | 18,799 |
| Hicksville | 41,547 | North Massapequa | 17,886 |
| East Meadow | 38,132 | Woodmere | 17,121 |
| Valley Stream | 37,511 | Massapequa Park | 17,008 |
| Long Beach | 33,275 | North Valley Stream | 16,628 |
| Elmont | 33,198 | Bethpage | 16,429 |
| Oceanside | 32,109 | Roosevelt | 16,258 |
| Franklin Square | 29,320 | Bellmore | 16,218 |
| Glen Cove | 26,964 | Floral Park | 15,863 |
| Plainview | 26,217 | Port Washington | 15,846 |
| Uniondale | 24,759 | Seaford | 15,294 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Baldwin | 24,033 | Westbury | 15,146 |
| Rockville Centre | 24,023 | North New Hyde Park | 14,899 |
| Garden City | 22,371 | South Farmingdale | 14,486 |
| Merrick | 22,097 | New Cassel | 14,059 |
| Massapequa | 21,685 | Jericho | 13,567 |
| North Bellmore | 19,941 | North Merrick | 12,272 |
| Lynbrook | 19,427 | Salisbury | 12,093 |
| East Massapequa | 19,069 | North Wantagh | 11,960 |
| Wantagh | 18,871 | Woodbury | 10,686 |

### Rockland County, NY

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New City | 33,559 | Stony Point | 12,147 |
| Spring Valley | 31,347 | Haverstraw | 11,910 |
| Monsey | 18,412 | Suffern | 10,723 |
| Nanuet | 17,882 | West Haverstraw | 10,165 |
| Pearl River | 15,876 | | |

### Suffolk County, NY

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brentwood | 60,664 | North Babylon | 17,509 |
| West Babylon | 43,213 | Kings Park | 17,282 |
| Coram | 39,113 | Sayville | 16,853 |
| Commack | 36,124 | Mastic | 15,481 |
| Central Islip | 34,450 | Farmingville | 15,481 |
| Huntington Station | 33,029 | East Islip | 14,475 |
| Centereach | 31,578 | Manorville | 14,314 |
| West Islip | 28,335 | Rocky Point | 14,014 |
| Shirley | 27,854 | Greenlawn | 13,742 |
| Deer Park | 27,745 | Stony Brook | 13,740 |
| Lindenhurst | 27,253 | Hampton Bays | 13,603 |
| Holbrook | 27,195 | Jericho | 13,567 |
| Dix Hills | 26,892 | Nesconset | 13,387 |
| Smithtown | 26,470 | Ridge | 13,336 |
| Bay Shore | 26,337 | Riverhead | 13,299 |
| Medford | 24,142 | Mastic Beach | 12,930 |
| Copiague | 22,993 | Miller Place | 12,339 |
| East Patchogue | 22,469 | Babylon | 12,166 |
| Hauppauge | 20,882 | Mount Sinai | 12,118 |
| East Northport | 20,217 | Terryville | 11,849 |
| Lake Ronkonkoma | 20,155 | Patchogue | 11,798 |
| Selden | 19,851 | North Lindenhurst | 11,652 |
| Holtsville | 19,714 | Wyandanch | 11,647 |
| Ronkonkoma | 19,082 | North Bellport | 11,545 |
| Melville | 18,985 | Elwood | 11,177 |
| North Bay Shore | 18,944 | Lake Grove | 11,163 |
| Islip | 18,689 | Middle Island | 10,483 |
| Huntington | 18,046 | Bohemia | 10,180 |
| North Amityville | 17,862 | Fort Salonga | 10,008 |

### Westchester County, NY

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Yonkers | 195,976 | Peekskill | 23,583 |
| New Rochelle | 77,062 | Eastchester | 19,554 |
| Mount Vernon | 67,292 | Mamaroneck | 18,929 |
| White Plains 🏛 | 56,853 | Scarsdale | 17,166 |
| Spring Valley | 31,347 | Rye | 15,720 |
| Port Chester | 28,967 | Tarrytown | 11,277 |
| Harrison | 27,472 | Mount Kisco | 10,877 |
| Ossining | 25,060 | Dobbs Ferry | 10,875 |

### Mecklenburg County, NC

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Charlotte 🏛 | 731,424 | Cornelius | 24,866 |
| Huntersville | 46,773 | Mint Hill | 22,722 |
| Matthews | 27,198 | Davidson | 10,944 |

### Wake County, NC

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Raleigh 🏛 | 403,892 | Holly Springs | 24,661 |
| Cary | 135,234 | Morrisville | 18,576 |
| Apex | 37,476 | Fuquay-Varina | 17,937 |
| Wake Forest | 30,117 | Knightdale | 11,401 |
| Garner | 25,745 | | |

### Butler County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hamilton 🏛 | 62,477 | Oxford | 21,371 |
| Middletown | 48,694 | Monroe | 12,442 |
| Fairfield | 42,510 | Trenton | 11,869 |
| Upper Arlington | 33,771 | Macedonia | 11,188 |

### Cuyahoga County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland 🏛 | 396,815 | Brook Park | 19,212 |
| Parma | 81,601 | Mayfield Heights | 19,155 |
| Lakewood | 52,131 | Berea | 19,093 |
| Euclid | 48,920 | East Cleveland | 17,843 |
| Cleveland Heights | 46,121 | Fairview Park | 16,826 |
| Strongsville | 44,750 | Middleburg Heights | 15,946 |
| Westlake | 32,729 | Bay Village | 15,651 |
| North Olmsted | 32,718 | Lyndhurst | 14,001 |
| North Royalton | 30,444 | Brecksville | 13,656 |
| Garfield Heights | 28,849 | Warrensville Heights | 13,542 |
| Shaker Heights | 28,448 | University Heights | 13,539 |
| Solon | 23,348 | Bedford | 13,074 |
| Maple Heights | 23,138 | Beachwood | 11,953 |
| South Euclid | 22,295 | Seven Hills | 11,804 |
| Parma Heights | 20,718 | Brooklyn | 11,169 |
| Rocky River | 20,213 | Bedford Heights | 10,751 |
| Broadview Heights | 19,400 | Richmond Heights | 10,546 |

### Franklin County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Columbus 🏛 | 787,033 | Gahanna | 33,248 |
| Dublin | 41,751 | Hilliard | 28,435 |
| Westerville | 36,120 | Whitehall | 18,062 |
| Reynoldsburg | 35,893 | Worthington | 13,575 |
| Grove City | 35,575 | Bexley | 13,057 |
| Upper Arlington | 33,771 | | |

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### Hamilton County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati 🏛 | 296,943 | Loveland | 12,081 |
| Riverside | 25,201 | Monfort Heights | 11,948 |
| Norwood | 19,207 | Mack | 11,585 |
| White Oak | 19,167 | Springdale | 11,223 |
| Forest Park | 18,720 | Northbrook | 10,668 |
| Bridgetown | 14,407 | Forestville | 10,532 |
| Sharonville | 13,560 | Dent | 10,497 |
| Finneytown | 12,741 | Reading | 10,385 |
| Blue Ash | 12,114 | Montgomery | 10,251 |

### Lake County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mentor | 47,159 | Eastlake | 18,577 |
| Willoughby | 22,268 | Willowick | 14,171 |
| Painesville 🏛 | 19,563 | Wickliffe | 12,750 |

### Lorain County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lorain | 64,097 | Avon Lake | 22,581 |
| Elyria 🏛 | 54,533 | Avon | 21,193 |
| North Ridgeville | 29,465 | Amherst | 12,021 |

### Mahoning County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Youngstown 🏛 | 66,982 | Austintown | 29,677 |
| Dublin | 41,751 | Wickliffe | 12,750 |
| Boardman | 35,376 | Struthers | 10,713 |

### Montgomery County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dayton 🏛 | 141,527 | Centerville | 23,999 |
| Kettering | 56,163 | Miamisburg | 20,181 |
| Huber Heights | 38,101 | Vandalia | 15,246 |
| Riverside | 25,201 | Englewood | 13,465 |
| Trotwood | 24,431 | Clayton | 13,209 |

### Summit County, OH

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Akron 🏛 | 199,110 | Twinsburg | 18,795 |
| Cuyahoga Falls | 49,652 | Tallmadge | 17,537 |
| Stow | 34,837 | New Franklin | 14,227 |
| Barberton | 26,550 | Norton | 12,085 |
| Green | 25,699 | Macedonia | 11,188 |
| Hudson | 22,262 | | |

### Oklahoma County, OK

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oklahoma City 🏛 | 579,999 | Bethany | 19,051 |
| Edmond | 81,405 | Choctaw | 11,146 |
| Midwest City | 54,371 | Warr Acres | 10,043 |
| Del City | 21,332 | | |

### Tulsa County, OK

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tulsa 🏛 | 391,906 | Sand Springs | 18,906 |
| Broken Arrow | 98,850 | Jenks | 16,924 |
| Owasso | 28,915 | Glenpool | 10,808 |
| Bixby | 20,884 | | |

### Clackamas County, OR

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lake Oswego | 36,619 | Canby | 15,829 |
| Oregon City 🏛 | 31,859 | Happy Valley | 13,903 |
| West Linn | 25,109 | Oatfield | 13,415 |
| Milwaukie | 20,291 | Gladstone | 11,497 |
| Wilsonville | 19,509 | Damascus | 10,539 |
| Oak Grove | 16,629 | | |

### Washington County, OR

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Hillsboro 🏛 | 91,611 | Bethany | 20,646 |
| Beaverton | 89,803 | Sherwood | 18,194 |
| Aloha | 49,425 | Cedar Mill | 14,546 |
| Tigard | 48,035 | Cornelius | 11,869 |
| Tualatin | 26,054 | Oak Hills | 11,333 |
| Forest Grove | 21,083 | | |

### Allegheny County, PA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburgh 🏛 | 305,704 | McKeesport | 19,731 |
| Bethel Park | 32,313 | Wilkinsburg | 15,930 |
| Monroeville | 28,386 | Whitehall | 13,944 |
| Plum | 27,126 | Franklin Park | 13,470 |
| Allison Park | 21,552 | Munhall | 11,406 |
| West Mifflin | 20,313 | Jefferson Hills | 10,619 |
| Baldwin | 19,767 | | |

### Delaware County, PA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chester | 33,972 | Broomall | 10,789 |
| Drexel Hill | 28,043 | Darby | 10,687 |
| Baldwin | 19,767 | Lansdowne | 10,620 |
| Yeadon | 11,443 | | |

### Luzerne County, PA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wilkes-Barre 🏛 | 41,498 | Kingston | 13,182 |
| Hazleton | 25,340 | Mountain Top | 10,982 |
| Hanover | 15,289 | Nanticoke | 10,465 |

### Montgomery County, PA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Norristown 🏛 | 34,324 | Willow Grove | 15,726 |
| Pottstown | 22,377 | Horsham | 14,842 |
| King of Prussia | 19,936 | Montgomeryville | 12,624 |

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| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lansdale | 16,269 | Ardmore | 12,455 |

### Providence County, RI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Providence | 178,042 | Woonsocket | 41,186 |
| Cranston | 80,387 | Central Falls | 19,376 |
| Pawtucket | 71,148 | Valley Falls | 11,547 |
| East Providence | 47,037 | | |

### Greenville County, SC

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Greenville | 58,409 | Simpsonville | 18,238 |
| Greer | 25,515 | Berea | 14,295 |
| Mauldin | 22,889 | Gantt | 14,229 |
| Taylors | 21,617 | Five Forks | 14,140 |
| Wade Hampton | 20,622 | Parker | 11,431 |

### Lexington County, SC

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lexington | 17,870 | Cayce | 12,528 |
| Seven Oaks | 15,144 | Irmo | 11,097 |
| West Columbia | 14,988 | Oak Grove | 10,291 |

### Shelby County, TN

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Memphis | 646,889 | Lakeland | 12,430 |
| Bartlett | 54,613 | Arlington | 11,517 |
| Collierville | 43,965 | Millington | 10,176 |
| Germantown | 38,844 | | |

### Bexar County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| San Antonio | 1,327,407 | Timberwood Park | 13,447 |
| Universal City | 18,530 | Live Oak | 13,131 |
| Converse | 18,198 | Leon Valley | 10,151 |

### Brazoria County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pearland | 91,252 | Angleton | 18,862 |
| Lake Jackson | 26,849 | Freeport | 12,049 |
| Alvin | 24,236 | Clute | 11,211 |

### Collin County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Plano | 259,841 | Allen | 84,246 |
| McKinney | 131,117 | Wylie | 41,427 |
| Frisco | 116,989 | Murphy | 17,708 |

### Dallas County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dallas | 1,197,816 | Coppell | 38,659 |
| Garland | 226,876 | Duncanville | 38,524 |
| Irving | 216,290 | Lancaster | 36,361 |
| Grand Prairie | 175,396 | Farmers Branch | 28,616 |
| Mesquite | 139,824 | Balch Springs | 23,728 |
| Carrollton | 119,097 | University Park | 23,068 |
| Richardson | 99,223 | Sachse | 20,329 |
| Rowlett | 56,199 | Seagoville | 14,835 |
| DeSoto | 49,047 | Addison | 13,056 |
| Cedar Hill | 45,028 | Glenn Heights | 11,278 |

### Denton County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Denton | 113,383 | Little Elm | 25,898 |
| Lewisville | 95,290 | Corinth | 19,935 |
| Flower Mound | 64,669 | Highland Village | 15,056 |
| The Colony | 36,328 | | |

### Fort Bend County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sugar Land | 78,817 | Pecan Grove | 15,963 |
| Missouri City | 67,358 | New Territory | 15,186 |
| Mission Bend | 36,501 | Sienna Plantation | 13,721 |
| Rosenberg | 30,618 | Four Corners | 12,382 |
| Fresno | 19,069 | Richmond | 11,679 |
| Cinco Ranch | 18,274 | Greatwood | 11,538 |
| Stafford | 17,693 | | |

### Galveston County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| League City | 83,560 | Dickinson | 18,680 |
| Galveston | 47,743 | La Marque | 14,509 |
| Texas City | 45,099 | Santa Fe | 12,222 |
| Friendswood | 35,805 | | |

### Harris County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Houston | 2,099,451 | Bellaire | 16,855 |
| Pasadena | 149,043 | Aldine | 15,869 |
| Baytown | 71,802 | Humble | 15,133 |
| Atascocita | 65,844 | West University Place | 14,787 |
| Spring | 54,298 | Katy | 14,102 |
| Channelview | 38,289 | Seabrook | 11,952 |
| La Porte | 33,800 | Galena Park | 10,887 |
| Deer Park | 32,010 | Tomball | 10,753 |
| Cloverleaf | 22,942 | Jacinto City | 10,553 |
| Brownwood | 19,288 | Webster | 10,400 |
| South Houston | 16,983 | | |

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### Hidalgo County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| McAllen | 129,877 | Alamo | 18,353 |
| Edinburg 🏛 | 77,100 | Donna | 15,798 |
| Mission | 77,058 | Mercedes | 15,570 |
| Pharr | 70,400 | Alton | 12,341 |
| Weslaco | 35,670 | La Homa | 11,985 |
| San Juan | 33,856 | Hidalgo | 11,198 |

### Tarrant County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fort Worth 🏛 | 741,206 | Southlake | 26,575 |
| Arlington | 365,438 | Watauga | 23,497 |
| North Richland Hills | 63,343 | Colleyville | 22,807 |
| Mansfield | 56,368 | Benbrook | 21,234 |
| Euless | 51,277 | Saginaw | 19,806 |
| Bedford | 46,979 | White Settlement | 16,116 |
| Grapevine | 46,334 | Crowley | 12,838 |
| Haltom City | 42,409 | Rendon | 12,552 |
| Keller | 39,627 | Forest Hill | 12,355 |
| Hurst | 37,337 | Azle | 10,947 |

### Williamson County, TX

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Round Rock | 99,887 | Brushy Creek | 21,764 |
| Cedar Park | 48,937 | Jollyville | 16,151 |
| Georgetown 🏛 | 47,400 | Taylor | 15,191 |
| Leander | 26,521 | Hutto | 14,698 |

### Davis County, UT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Layton | 67,311 | Clinton | 20,426 |
| Bountiful | 42,552 | Farmington 🏛 | 18,275 |
| Clearfield | 30,112 | North Salt Lake | 16,322 |
| Kaysville | 27,300 | Centerville | 15,335 |
| Syracuse | 24,331 | | |

### Salt Lake County, UT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Salt Lake City 🏛 | 186,440 | Riverton | 38,753 |
| West Valley City | 129,480 | Kearns | 35,731 |
| West Jordan | 103,712 | Cottonwood Heights | 33,433 |
| Millcreek | 62,139 | Midvale | 27,964 |
| Taylorsville | 58,652 | Magna | 26,505 |
| South Jordan | 50,418 | Holladay | 26,472 |
| Murray | 46,746 | South Salt Lake | 23,617 |
| Draper | 42,274 | Herriman | 21,785 |

### Utah County, UT

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Provo 🏛 | 112,488 | American Fork | 26,263 |
| Orem | 88,328 | Eagle Mountain | 21,415 |
| Lehi | 47,407 | Payson | 18,294 |
| Spanish Fork | 34,691 | Saratoga Springs | 17,781 |
| Pleasant Grove | 33,509 | Highland | 15,523 |
| Springville | 29,466 | Lindon | 10,070 |

### Fairfax County, VA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Centreville | 71,135 | Franconia | 18,245 |
| Reston | 58,404 | Idylwood | 17,288 |
| McLean | 48,115 | Wolf Trap | 16,131 |
| Burke | 41,055 | Fort Hunt | 16,045 |
| Annandale | 41,008 | Hybla Valley | 15,801 |
| Oakton | 34,166 | Vienna | 15,687 |
| Springfield | 30,484 | Great Falls | 15,427 |
| Fair Oaks | 30,223 | Merrifield | 15,212 |
| Herndon | 23,292 | Groveton | 14,598 |
| Chantilly | 23,039 | Newington | 12,943 |
| Lincolnia | 22,855 | Mount Vernon | 12,416 |
| West Springfield | 22,460 | Fairfax Station | 12,030 |
| Rose Hill | 20,226 | Dranesville | 11,921 |
| Tysons Corner | 19,627 | Huntington | 11,267 |
| Lorton | 18,610 | | |

### Henrico County, VA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tuckahoe | 44,990 | Highland Springs | 15,711 |
| Fair Oaks | 30,223 | East Highland Park | 14,796 |
| Short Pump | 24,729 | Glen Allen | 14,774 |
| Laurel | 16,713 | Lakeside | 11,849 |

### Loudoun County, VA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ashburn | 43,511 | South Riding | 24,256 |
| Leesburg 🏛 | 42,616 | Sugarland Run | 11,799 |
| Mechanicsville | 36,348 | Countryside | 10,072 |
| Sterling | 27,822 | | |

### Prince William County, VA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dale City | 65,969 | Sudley | 16,203 |
| Lake Ridge | 41,058 | Cherry Hill | 16,000 |
| Linton Hall | 35,725 | Bull Run | 14,983 |
| Montclair | 19,570 | Groveton | 14,598 |
| Buckhall | 16,293 | Gainesville | 11,481 |

### Clark County, WA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vancouver 🏛 | 161,791 | Camas | 19,355 |
| Salmon Creek | 19,686 | Five Corners | 18,159 |
| Orchards | 19,556 | Battle Ground | 17,571 |
| Hazel Dell | 19,435 | Washougal | 14,095 |

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### King County, WA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Seattle 🏛 | 608,660 | Cottage Lake | 22,494 |
| Bellevue | 122,363 | Silver Firs | 20,891 |
| Kent | 92,411 | Kenmore | 20,460 |
| Renton | 90,927 | Tukwila | 19,107 |
| Federal Way | 89,306 | Fairwood | 19,102 |
| Auburn | 70,180 | Five Corners | 18,159 |
| Redmond | 54,144 | Covington | 17,575 |
| Shoreline | 53,007 | White Center | 13,495 |
| Kirkland | 48,787 | Kingsgate | 13,065 |
| Sammamish | 45,780 | Lake Forest Park | 12,598 |
| Bothell | 33,505 | East Renton Highlands | 11,140 |
| Burien | 33,313 | Woodinville | 10,938 |
| Issaquah | 30,434 | Klahanie | 10,674 |
| Des Moines | 29,673 | Snoqualmie | 10,670 |
| SeaTac | 26,909 | Enumclaw | 10,669 |
| Mercer Island | 22,699 | Vashon | 10,624 |
| Maple Valley | 22,684 | Newcastle | 10,380 |

### Pierce County, WA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tacoma 🏛 | 198,397 | Graham | 23,491 |
| Lakewood | 58,163 | Frederickson | 18,719 |
| South Hill | 52,431 | Bonney Lake | 17,374 |
| Puyallup | 37,022 | Elk Plain | 14,205 |
| Parkland | 35,803 | Artondale | 12,653 |
| University Place | 31,144 | Prairie Ridge | 11,464 |
| Spanaway | 27,227 | | |

### Snohomish County, WA

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Everett 🏛 | 103,019 | Mountlake Terrace | 19,909 |
| Marysville | 60,020 | Mill Creek | 18,244 |
| Lakewood | 58,163 | Arlington | 17,926 |
| Edmonds | 39,709 | Monroe | 17,304 |
| Lynnwood | 35,836 | North Lynnwood | 16,574 |
| Lake Stevens | 28,069 | Martha Lake | 15,473 |
| Mukilteo | 20,254 | Maltby | 10,830 |

### Brown County, WI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Green Bay 🏛 | 104,057 | Bellevue | 14,570 |
| De Pere | 23,800 | Allouez | 13,975 |
| Howard | 17,399 | Suamico | 11,346 |
| Ashwaubenon | 16,963 | | |

### Dane County, WI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Madison 🏛 | 233,209 | Stoughton | 12,611 |
| Sun Prairie | 29,364 | Waunakee | 12,097 |
| Fitchburg | 25,260 | Verona | 10,619 |
| Middleton | 17,442 | | |

### Milwaukee County, WI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Milwaukee 🏛 | 594,833 | Cudahy | 18,267 |
| West Allis | 60,411 | Whitefish Bay | 14,110 |
| Wauwatosa | 46,396 | Greendale | 14,046 |
| Greenfield | 36,720 | Shorewood | 13,162 |
| Franklin | 35,451 | Glendale | 12,872 |
| Oak Creek | 34,451 | Brown Deer | 11,999 |
| South Milwaukee | 21,156 | | |

### Waukesha County, WI

| City | Pop. | City | Pop. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Waukesha 🏛 | 70,718 | Muskego | 24,135 |
| New Berlin | 39,584 | Oconomowoc | 15,759 |
| Brookfield | 37,920 | Pewaukee | 13,195 |
| Menomonee Falls | 35,626 | Sussex | 10,518 |

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**Association of County Commissions of Alabama (ACCA)**
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**Association of Indiana Counties**
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**Association of Minnesota Counties**
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**Association of Oregon Counties**
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**Fax:** 503-373-7876

**California State Association of Counties**
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**Ph:** 916-327-7500
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**Colorado Counties Inc**
800 Grant St, Suite 500
Denver, CO 80203
www.ccionline.org
**Ph:** 303-861-4076
**Fax:** 303-861-2818

**County Commissioners Association of Ohio**
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www.ccao.org
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**County Commissioners Association of Pennsylvania**
PO Box 60769
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**County Commissioners' Association of West Virginia**
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**Florida Association of Counties**
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Tallahassee, FL 32302
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**Fax:** 850-922-2835

**Hawaii State Association of Counties**
200 S High St
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**Idaho Association of Counties (IAC)**
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Boise, ID 83701
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**Fax:** 208-345-0379

**Illinois Association of County Board Members & Commissioners**
413 W Monroe St 2nd Fl
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ilcounty.org
**Ph:** 217-528-5331
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**Iowa State Association of Counties (ISAC)**
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Des Moines, IA 50266
www.iowacounties.org
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**Kentucky Association of Counties (KAC)**
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**Maine County Commissioners Association**
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**Fax:** 207-622-4437

**Massachusetts Association of County Commissioners**
614 High St
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**Ph:** 781-461-6105
**Fax:** 781-326-6480

**Metro Counties of Illinois**
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**Michigan Association of Counties (MAC)**
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**Mississippi Association of Supervisors**
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**Missouri Association of Counties (MAC)**
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**Montana Association of Counties**
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**Fax:** 406-442-5238

**Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO)**
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Lincoln, NE 68508
www.nacone.org
**Ph:** 402-434-5660
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**Nevada Association of Counties (NACO)**
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Carson City, NV 89701
www.nvnaco.org
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Concord, NH 03301-1262
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**New Jersey Association of Counties**
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Trenton, NJ 08608
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**New Mexico Association of Counties (NMAC)**
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Santa Fe, NM 87505
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**Fax:** 505-983-4396
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**New York State Association of Counties (NYSAC)**
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Albany, NY 12207
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**North Carolina Association of County Commissioners (NCACC)**
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Baton Rouge, LA 70802
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**South Carolina Association of Counties**
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**South Dakota Association of County Commissioners**
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Pierre, SD 57501
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**Tennessee County Services Association**
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Nashville, TN 37219
www.tncounties.org
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**Fax:** 615-532-3769

**Texas Association of Counties**
1210 San Antonio St
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**Utah Association of Counties**
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Salt Lake City, UT 84107
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www.wacounties.org
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**Washington State Association of Counties**
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**Wisconsin Counties Association**
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Madison, WI 53703
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# Alabama

**ALABAMA STATE INFORMATION**
www.alabama.gov **Ph:** 334-242-8000

**Area (sq mi):** 52,419.01 (land 50,744; water 1,675.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,779,736. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,557,808 (White 68.5%; Black or African American 26.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,945; median household $42,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.10%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,528 - $33,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

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**AUTAUGA COUNTY**
135 N Court St Suite B **Ph:** 334-358-6700
Prattville, AL 36067 **Fax:** 334-361-3724
www.autaugaco.org

In central AL, northwest of Montgomery; organized Nov 30, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Autauga Creek, probably from Creek Indian *atigi* 'border.'

**Area (sq mi):** 602.92 (land 594.44; water 8.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.8.

**Pop 2010:** 54,571. **State rank:** 953. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.3%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 48,612 (White 78.5%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,568; median household $53,255; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,692 - $30,740.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Prattville 🏛 (33,960).

**BALDWIN COUNTY**
312 Court House Sq Suite 12 **Ph:** 251-937-0264
Bay Minette, AL 36507 **Fax:** 251-580-2500
www.co.baldwin.al.us

In southwestern AL, east of Mobile, forms part of border with Florida; organized Dec 21, 1809 from Washington County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Abraham Baldwin (1754-1807), American clergyman and U.S. senator from GA (1799-1807); founded Franklin College (now University of Georgia).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,020.36 (land 1,589.78; water 430.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 114.6.

**Pop 2010:** 182,265. **State rank:** 341. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.1%; 2000-2005 +15.8%. **Pop 2005:** 162,586 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,469; median household $50,147; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,126 - $35,328.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Daphne (21,570); Fairhope (15,326); Foley (14,618).

**BARBOUR COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of AL, southwest of Columbus; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Pike County and territorial land. **Name Origin:** For James Barbour (1775-1842), governor of VA (1812-14), minister to England (1828-29).

**Area (sq mi):** 904.49 (land 884.88; water 19.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.

**Pop 2010:** 27,457. **State rank:** 1426. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 28,414 (White 48.0%; Black or African American 46.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,875; median household $33,219; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,834 - $26,774.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eufaula (13,137).

**BIBB COUNTY**
35 Court Square, E PO Box 185 **Ph:** 205-926-3103
Centreville, AL 35042 **Fax:** 205-926-3132
www.bibbal.com

In central AL, southeast of Tuscaloosa; organized Feb 7, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Monroe and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For William Wyatt Bibb (1781-1820), U.S. senator from GA (1813-16) and first governor of AL (1817-20).

**Area (sq mi):** 625.72 (land 622.58; water 3.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 22,915. **State rank:** 1739. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 21,516 (White 75.8%; Black or African American 22.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%.

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## Bibb County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,918; median household $41,770; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,690 - $22,937.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLOUNT COUNTY**
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Oneonta, AL 35121
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**Fax:** 205-625-5961

In north-central AL, east of Gadsden; organized Feb 6, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For William Blount (1749-1800), NC delegate to Continental Congress and U.S. senator from Tennessee (1796-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 649.80 (land 644.78; water 5.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.9.

**Pop 2010:** 57,322. **State rank:** 866. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 55,725 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,070; median household $45,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,728 - $26,103.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BULLOCK COUNTY**
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Union Springs, AL 36089
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**Ph:** 334-738-3883
**Fax:** 334-738-3839

In southeastern AL, southeast of Montgomery; organized Dec 5, 1866 from Barbour, Pike, Macon, and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For E.C. Bullock, a local citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 623.85 (land 622.81; water 1.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,914. **State rank:** 2351. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,055 (White 23.0%; Black or African American 70.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 7.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,289; median household $31,602; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,801 - $22,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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Greenville, AL 36037
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**Ph:** 334-382-3612
**Fax:** 334-382-3506

In south-central AL; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Conecuh and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For William Butler (1819), GA legislator and soldier, killed by Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 777.88 (land 776.83; water 1.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.

**Pop 2010:** 20,947. **State rank:** 1820. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,766 (White 54.4%; Black or African American 43.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,916; median household $30,659; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,937 - $28,446.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALHOUN COUNTY**
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Anniston, AL 36201
www.calhouncounty.org

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**Fax:** 256-231-1744

In northeastern AL, southeast of Gadsden; organized as Benton County Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession; name changed Jan 29, 1858. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes. Originally for Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. senator from MO, but his views on the Missouri Compromise angered the residents.

**Area (sq mi):** 609.73 (land 605.87; water 3.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 195.7.

**Pop 2010:** 118,572. **State rank:** 519. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 112,141 (White 74.9%; Black or African American 20.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,574; median household $38,407; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,176 - $30,680.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Anniston (23,106); Oxford (21,348); Jacksonville (12,548); Saks (10,744).

**CHAMBERS COUNTY**
2 Lafayette St
Lafayette, AL 36862
www.chamberscounty.com

**Ph:** 334-864-4348

On east-central of AL, north of Auburn; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For Henry H. Chambers (1790-1826), physician and U.S. senator (1825-26).

**Area (sq mi):** 602.47 (land 596.53; water 5.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.4.

**Pop 2010:** 34,215. **State rank:** 1310. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 35,460 (White 58.8%; Black or African American 38.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,626; median household $31,467; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,137 - $27,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHEROKEE COUNTY**
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Centre, AL 35960
www.cherokeecounty-al.gov
**Ph:** 256-927-3668
**Fax:** 256-927-3669

On northeastern border of AL, east of Gadsden; organized Jun 9, 1836 from Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 600.53 (land 553.70; water 46.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,989. **State rank:** 1611. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 24,522 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,322; median household $40,690; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,029 - $26,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHILTON COUNTY**
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Clanton, AL 35046
www.newchiltoncounty.org/2010commission.htm
**Ph:** 205-755-1551
**Fax:** 205-280-7204

In central AL, south of Birmingham; organized as Baker County Dec 30, 1868 from Bibb, Perry, Autauga, and Shelby counties; name changed Dec 17, 1874. **Name Origin:** For William Parish Chilton (1810-71), legislator, jurist, and member of the Confederate Congress.

**Area (sq mi):** 699.63 (land 692.85; water 6.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.

**Pop 2010:** 43,643. **State rank:** 1092. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 41,744 (White 84.1%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,517; median household $39,486; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,751 - $27,339.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Enterprise (26,562); Pleasant Grove (10,110).

**CHOCTAW COUNTY**
117 S Mulberry St Suite 9
Butler, AL 36904
**Ph:** 205-459-2417
**Fax:** 205-459-4248

On southwestern border of AL; organized Dec 29, 1847 from Sumter and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Muskogean linguistic stock; meaning of the name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 920.84 (land 913.50; water 7.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,859. **State rank:** 2155. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.4%; 2000-2005 -7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,807 (White 55.8%; Black or African American 43.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,214; median household $31,076; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,565 - $29,622.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pelham (21,352).

**CLARKE COUNTY**
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Grove Hill, AL 36451
www.clarkecountyal.com
**Ph:** 251-275-3507
**Fax:** 251-275-8517

In southwestern AL, northeast of Mobile; organized Dec 10, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For John Clarke, a local Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,252.60 (land 1,238.47; water 14.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,833. **State rank:** 1548. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,269 (White 54.5%; Black or African American 43.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,372; median household $27,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,949 - $30,874.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.8%. **Change from 2007:** +10.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Center Point (16,921).

**CLAY COUNTY**
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Ashland, AL 36251
**Ph:** 256-354-7888
**Fax:** 256-354-3208

In east-central AL, south of Anniston; organized Dec 7, 1866 from Talladega and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 604.89 (land 603.96; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,932. **State rank:** 2185. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,964 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 14.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,332; median household $35,595; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,012 - $27,304.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +9.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLEBURNE COUNTY**
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Heflin, AL 36264
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**Fax:** 256-463-7780

On eastern border of AL, east of Anniston; organized Dec 6, 1866 from Calhoun and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Confederate Gen.

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## Cleburne County (cont'd)

Patrick R. Cleburne (1828-64).

**Area (sq mi):** 560.91 (land 560.10; water 0.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,972. **State rank:** 2112. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,460 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,490; median household $36,077; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,675 - $28,160.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COFFEE COUNTY

2 County Complex **Ph:** 334-894-5556
New Brockton, AL 36351
www.coffeecounty.us

In southeastern AL, northwest of Dothan; organized Dec 29, 1841 from Dale County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Coffee (1772-1833), TN surveyor and officer who oversaw the removal of the Choctaws and Chickasaws to the OK Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 680.46 (land 678.97; water 1.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.6.

**Pop 2010:** 49,948. **State rank:** 982. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 45,567 (White 74.7%; Black or African American 16.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 6.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,797; median household $42,253; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,799 - $35,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Enterprise (26,562).

### COLBERT COUNTY

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Tuscumbia, AL 35674 **Fax:** 256-386-8510
www.colbertcounty.org

On northwestern border of AL, south of Florence; organized Feb 6, 1867 from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For George and Levi Colbert, two Cherokee Indian brothers.

**Area (sq mi):** 621.70 (land 592.62; water 29.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.8.

**Pop 2010:** 54,428. **State rank:** 906. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 54,660 (White 80.5%; Black or African American 16.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,079; median household $39,610; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,414 - $30,855.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Muscle Shoals (13,146).

### CONECUH COUNTY

409 Bellville St **Ph:** 251-578-2066
Evergreen, AL 36401 **Fax:** 251-578-7013

In south-central AL; organized Feb 13, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** Probably from Creek Indian *kono ika* 'polecat's head.'

**Area (sq mi):** 851.87 (land 850.16; water 1.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,228. **State rank:** 2237. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,257 (White 51.3%; Black or African American 46.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,755; median household $26,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,214 - $27,503.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +10.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COOSA COUNTY

9709 US Hwy 231 PO Box 10 **Ph:** 256-377-2420
Rockford, AL 35136 **Fax:** 256-377-2524
www.coosacountyal.com

In east-central AL, north of Montgomery; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For the Coosa River, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 664.84 (land 650.93; water 13.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,539. **State rank:** 2389. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 -8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 11,162 (White 66.3%; Black or African American 31.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,209; median household $35,560; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,300 - $23,992.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COVINGTON COUNTY

1 Court Sq County Courthouse **Ph:** 334-428-2540
Andalusia, AL 36420 **Fax:** 334-428-2575
www.covcounty.com

On south-central border of AL; organized Dec 7, 1821 from Henry County. **Name Origin:** For Leonard Wales Covington (1768-1813), MD-born legislator and army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,040.51 (land 1,030.46; water 10.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,765. **State rank:** 1250. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 37,003 (White 84.8%; Black or African American 12.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,822; median household $33,852; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,692 - $29,105.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Covington County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairfield (11,117).

**CRENSHAW COUNTY**
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Luverne, AL 36049
**Ph:** 334-335-6568
**Fax:** 334-335-3616

In south-central AL, south of Montgomery; organized Nov 24, 1866 from Covington, Butler, Coffee, Lowndes, and Pike counties. **Name Origin:** For Anderson Crenshaw (1783-1847), lawyer, statesman, and jurist.

**Area (sq mi):** 610.14 (land 608.84; water 1.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,906. **State rank:** 2171. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,727 (White 72.6%; Black or African American 23.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,793; median household $35,140; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,638 - $31,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CULLMAN COUNTY**
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Cullman, AL 35055
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**Ph:** 256-739-3530
**Fax:** 256-739-3525

In north-central AL, north of Birmingham; organized Jan 24, 1877 from Blount, Morgan, and Winston counties. **Name Origin:** For the city of Cullman.

**Area (sq mi):** 751.23 (land 734.84; water 16.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.4.

**Pop 2010:** 80,406. **State rank:** 670. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 79,886 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,284; median household $38,567; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,151 - $30,272.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cullman 🏛 (14,775).

**DALE COUNTY**
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Ozark, AL 36360
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In southeastern AL, northwest of Dothan; organized Dec 22, 1824 from Covington and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Dale (1772-1841), officer and scout in the Indian wars, and legislator in AL and MS.

**Area (sq mi):** 562.75 (land 561.15; water 1.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.6.

**Pop 2010:** 50,251. **State rank:** 995. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 48,748 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 19.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 5.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,722; median household $43,353; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,731 - $30,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ozark 🏛 (14,907).

**DALLAS COUNTY**
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Selma, AL 36702
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**Fax:** 334-874-2587

In southwest-cental AL, west of Montgomery; organized Feb 9, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander James Dallas (1759-1817), PA statesman, secretary of the treasury (1814-16) and acting secretary of war (1815); father of George Mifflin Dallas (1792-1864).

**Area (sq mi):** 991.36 (land 978.70; water 12.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.8.

**Pop 2010:** 43,820. **State rank:** 1116. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 44,366 (White 29.1%; Black or African American 69.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,646; median household $26,029; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,067 - $28,141.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.3%. **Change from 2007:** +10.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Selma 🏛 (20,756).

**DEKALB COUNTY**
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Fort Payne, AL 35967
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**Fax:** 256-845-8502

On northeastern border AL, north of Gadsden; organized Jan 9, 1836 form Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For Johann, Baron de Kalb (1721-80), German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 777.83 (land 777.09; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.5.

**Pop 2010:** 71,109. **State rank:** 759. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 67,271 (White 84.5%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 13.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,152; median household $35,065; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,403 - $25,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Payne 🏛 (14,012).

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**ELMORE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 334-567-5957

In east-central AL, north of Montgomery; organized Feb 15, 1866 from Montgomery, Coosa, and Autauga counties, and from Tallapoosa County in 1867. **Name Origin:** For Revolutionary War veteran John Archer Elmore, an early settler (1821) and state legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 654.45 (land 618.49; water 35.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.2.

**Pop 2010:** 79,303. **State rank:** 687. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 73,937 (White 76.2%; Black or African American 20.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,640; median household $53,128; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,138 - $32,555.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Millbrook (14,640).

**ESCAMBIA COUNTY**
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Brewton, AL 36427
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**Fax:** 251-867-0365

On southern border of AL; organized Dec 10, 1868 from Baldwin and Conecuh counties. **Name Origin:** For Escambia River, probably a Spanish rendering of a Choctaw or Chickasaw Indian word but origin is in dispute. There may be a connection to Spanish *cambiar* 'to exchange, trade, barter.' River formerly called the *Pensacola,*.

**Area (sq mi):** 950.65 (land 945.08; water 5.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.5.

**Pop 2010:** 38,319. **State rank:** 1227. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 38,082 (White 62.1%; Black or African American 31.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 3.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,259; median household $31,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,085 - $26,784.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Atmore (10,194).

**ETOWAH COUNTY**
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Gadsden, AL 35901
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**Fax:** 256-549-5400

In northeastern AL, northwest of Anniston; organized as Baine County Dec 7, 1866; name changed Dec 1, 1868. **Name Origin:** Originally for David W. Baine, Confederate officer killed in the war. County abolished Dec 3, 1867 because he was a secessionist. Recreated and renamed for the Etowah Indian mound in GA. Meaning of Cherokee *itawa* is unknown but may be related to Creek *italwa* 'town, tribe.'

**Area (sq mi):** 548.92 (land 534.99; water 13.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 195.2.

**Pop 2010:** 104,430. **State rank:** 557. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 103,189 (White 80.3%; Black or African American 15.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,439; median household $36,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,948 - $30,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gadsden (36,856).

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
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Fayette, AL 35555
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In west-central AL, north of Tuscaloosa; organized Dec 20, 1824 from Marion and Pickens counties. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Layfayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 629.34 (land 627.66; water 1.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.5.

**Pop 2010:** 17,241. **State rank:** 1945. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 18,228 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,711; median household $34,560; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,987 - $26,664.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
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Russellville, AL 35653
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On northwestern border of AL, south of Florence; organized Feb 4, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 644.68 (land 633.82; water 10.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.

**Pop 2010:** 31,704. **State rank:** 1399. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 30,737 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 14.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 14.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,094; median household $33,942; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capitá income 2007-2010:** $25,219 - $25,507.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pleasant Grove (10,110).

**GENEVA COUNTY**
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On southern border of AL, south of Dothan; organized Dec 26, 1868 from Coffee, Dale, and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Geneva, Switzerland, former home of the early settlers.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Geneva County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 577.03 (land 574.41; water 2.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,790. **State rank:** 1551. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 25,735 (White 86.3%; Black or African American 9.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,351; median household $34,140; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,009 - $29,785.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

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Eutaw, AL 35462

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**Fax:** 205-372-1510

In western AL, southwest of Tuscaloosa; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Marengo and Tuscaloosa counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War and quartermaster general (1778-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 661.18 (land 647.11; water 14.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.

**Pop 2010:** 9,045. **State rank:** 2524. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.4%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,661 (White 17.4%; Black or African American 81.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,738; median household $22,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,208 - $31,691.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.9%. **Change from 2007:** +11.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HALE COUNTY

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In west-central AL, south of Tuscaloosa; organized Jan 30, 1867 from Greene, Marengo, and Perry counties. **Name Origin:** For Stephen F. Hale (1816-78), early settler, lawyer, and Confederate army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 656.68 (land 643.94; water 12.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.5.

**Pop 2010:** 15,760. **State rank:** 1912. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -14.0%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,316 (White 39.8%; Black or African American 59.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,523; median household $29,299; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,112 - $30,177.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENRY COUNTY

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On southeastern border of AL, north of Dothan; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Conecuh County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for declaring Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 568.28 (land 561.75; water 6.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,302. **State rank:** 1982. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,610 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 28.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,716; median household $38,379; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,667 - $28,998.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOUSTON COUNTY

462 N Oates St
Dothan, AL 36303
www.houstoncounty.org

**Ph:** 334-677-4740
**Fax:** 334-794-6633

In southeastern corner of AL; organized Feb 9, 1903 from Dale, Geneva, and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For George Smith Houston (1808-79), U.S. senator and governor of AL (1874-78).

**Area (sq mi):** 581.11 (land 579.82; water 1.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 175.1.

**Pop 2010:** 101,547. **State rank:** 573. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 94,249 (White 70.0%; Black or African American 25.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,725; median household $41,022; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,255 - $34,476.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dothan 🏛 (65,496).

### JACKSON COUNTY

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Scottsboro, AL 35768
www.jacksoncountyal.com

**Ph:** 256-574-9280
**Fax:** 256-574-9321

On northeastern corner of AL; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,125.89 (land 1,077.87; water 48.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.4.

**Pop 2010:** 53,227. **State rank:** 926. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 53,650 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,905; median household $36,312; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Jackson County (cont'd)

$27,676 - $29,546.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Scottsboro (14,770); Pleasant Grove (10,110).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Birmingham, AL 35203
www.jeffcointouch.com
**Ph:** 205-325-5300
**Fax:** 205-325-4860

In central AL; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Blount County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,122.48 (land 1,111.28; water 11.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 592.5.

**Pop 2010:** 658,466. **State rank:** 91. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 657,229 (White 53.0%; Black or African American 42.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.4%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,529; median household $45,244; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,711 - $41,844.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 31 for cities).

**LAMAR COUNTY**
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Vernon, AL 35592
**Ph:** 205-695-9119
**Fax:** 205-695-8522

On western border of AL, west of Birmingham; organized as Jones County Feb 14, 1867 from Marion, Pickens, and Fayette counties; abolished the same year; recreated as Sanford County Oct 8, 1868; renamed Feb 8, 1877. **Name Origin:** For Lucius Quintus Cincinnatus Lamar (1825-93), U.S. representative from MS (1857-60; 1873-77), U.S. senator (1877-85), secretary of the interior (1885-88), and a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1888-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 605.47 (land 604.85; water 0.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,564. **State rank:** 2147. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,962 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 11.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,789; median household $33,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,446 - $25,731.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAUDERDALE COUNTY**
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Florence, AL 35631
lauderdalecountyonline.com
**Ph:** 256-760-5750
**Fax:** 256-760-5703

On northwestern border of AL; organized Feb 13, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** At suggestion of Gen. John Coffee (1772-1833), for Col. James Lauderdale (1780-1814), who died fighting under Coffee at the Battle of Talladega.

**Area (sq mi):** 717.02 (land 667.70; water 49.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 138.8.

**Pop 2010:** 92,709. **State rank:** 630. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 87,691 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 10.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,341; median household $39,345; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,493 - $31,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Florence (39,319).

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
12467 AL Hwy 157
Moulton, AL 35650
www.naiap.com
**Ph:** 256-974-0663
**Fax:** 256-974-2403

In northwest AL, west of Decatur; organized Feb 14, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. Navy commander in War of 1812 who said, Don't give up the ship.

**Area (sq mi):** 715.36 (land 690.68; water 24.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,339. **State rank:** 1316. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,605 (White 77.6%; Black or African American 11.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 5.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,370; median household $40,516; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,791 - $28,558.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairfield (11,117).

**LEE COUNTY**
PO Box 666
Opelika, AL 36803
www.leeco.us
**Ph:** 334-745-9767
**Fax:** 334-742-9478

On eastern border of AL, north of Columbus; organized Dec 15, 1866 from Chambers and Macon counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 614.38 (land 607.54; water 6.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 230.8.

**Pop 2010:** 140,247. **State rank:** 445. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.8%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 123,254 (White 71.3%; Black or African American 22.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 2.6%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 29.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,794; median household $40,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,119 - $28,074.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Auburn (53,380); Opelika 🏛 (26,477).

**LIMESTONE COUNTY**
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Athens, AL 35611
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**Ph:** 256-233-6400
**Fax:** 256-233-6403

On central northern border of AL, north of Decatur; organized Feb 6, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee and Chickasaw cessions. **Name Origin:** For Limestone Creek, which flows through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 598.97 (land 559.94; water 39.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 147.8.

**Pop 2010:** 82,782. **State rank:** 692. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.5%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 70,469 (White 80.3%; Black or African American 12.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 1.1%; Others 5.5%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,007; median household $46,682; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,842 - $31,948.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Athens 🏛 (21,897).

**LOWNDES COUNTY**
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Hayneville, AL 36040
www.alabama.gov/portal/secondary.jsp?id=countiesRiver&countyID=lowndes
**Ph:** 334-548-2331
**Fax:** 334-548-5101

In south-central AL, southwest of Montgomery; organized Jan 20, 1830 from Butler and Dallas counties. **Name Origin:** For William Jones Lowndes (1782-1822), SC legislator and U.S. representative (1811-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 723.01 (land 715.91; water 7.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.8.

**Pop 2010:** 11,299. **State rank:** 2273. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.6%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,076 (White 25.3%; Black or African American 73.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,524; median household $29,714; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,417 - $31,212.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 69.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MACON COUNTY**
101 E Rosa Parks Ave
Tuskegee, AL 36083
www.alabama.gov/portal/secondary.jsp?id=countiesRiver&countyID=macon
**Ph:** 334-727-5120
**Fax:** 334-724-2621

In southwestern AL, west of Columbus; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), NC legislator, U.S. representative (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 611.61 (land 608.89; water 2.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,452. **State rank:** 1732. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,810 (White 15.5%; Black or African American 82.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,380; median household $27,544; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,602 - $26,934.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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Huntsville, AL 35801
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**Fax:** 256-532-6994

On central northern border of AL; organized Dec 13, 1808 from Cherokee cession (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 809.52 (land 801.59; water 7.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 417.7.

**Pop 2010:** 334,811. **State rank:** 194. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.3%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 298,192 (White 68.2%; Black or African American 24.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 2.5%; Others 4.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,918; median household $55,851; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,283 - $40,218.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Huntsville 🏛 (180,105); Hoover (81,619); Madison (42,938); Mountain Brook (20,413); Chelsea (10,183).

**MARENGO COUNTY**
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Linden, AL 36748
**Ph:** 334-295-2200
**Fax:** 334-295-2254

In west-central AL, south of Tuscaloosa; organized Feb 7, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** Commemorates Napoleon's (1769-1821) victory over the Austrian army at Marengo, Italy (Jun 14, 1800).

**Area (sq mi):** 982.68 (land 976.88; water 5.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,027. **State rank:** 1765. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 21,879 (White 46.4%; Black or African American 51.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,323; median household $32,940; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,334 - $31,981.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MARION COUNTY**
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Hamilton, AL 35570
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**Ph:** 205-921-7451
**Fax:** 205-952-9851

On northwestern border of AL, south of Florence; organized Dec 13, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 744.45 (land 742.29; water 2.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 30,776. **State rank:** 1447. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 30,154 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,030; median household $32,769; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,012 - $25,794.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
424 Blount Ave
Guntersville, AL 35976
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**Ph:** 256-571-7701
**Fax:** 256-571-7703

In northeastern AL, south of Huntsville; organized Jan 9, 1836 from Blount County and Cherokee cession. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist; fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 621.94 (land 565.84; water 56.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 164.4.

**Pop 2010:** 93,019. **State rank:** 621. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 85,634 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 12.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,875; median household $37,661; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,998 - $30,257.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albertville (21,160); Pleasant Grove (10,110).

**MOBILE COUNTY**
205 Government St PO Box 1443
Mobile, AL 36644
www.mobilecounty.org
**Ph:** 251-574-5077

In southwestern corner of AL on Mobile Bay; organized Aug 1, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Louisiana Purchase. **Name Origin:** For the city and the bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,640.37 (land 1,229.44; water 410.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 335.9.

**Pop 2010:** 412,992. **State rank:** 159. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 401,427 (White 60.2%; Black or African American 34.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.4%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,548; median household $40,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,540 - $31,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mobile (195,111); Prichard (22,659); Tillmans Corner (17,398); Saraland (13,405).

**MONROE COUNTY**
86 N Alabama Ave
Monroeville, AL 36460
www.monroecountyal.com
**Ph:** 251-743-2879
**Fax:** 251-743-2189

In southwest-central AL; organized Jan 29, 1815 (prior to statehood) from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,034.35 (land 1,025.68; water 8.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.5.

**Pop 2010:** 23,068. **State rank:** 1705. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,733 (White 55.1%; Black or African American 41.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,652; median household $30,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,739 - $27,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.1%. **Change from 2007:** +11.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Homewood (25,167).

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Montgomery, AL 36102
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**Fax:** 334-832-2533

In south-central AL; organized Dec 6, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1738-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 794.24 (land 784.25; water 9.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 292.5.

**Pop 2010:** 229,363. **State rank:** 281. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 221,619 (White 39.5%; Black or African American 54.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 2.1%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,622; median household $43,725; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,398 - $38,160.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Montgomery (205,764); Madison (42,938).

**MORGAN COUNTY**
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Decatur, AL 35602
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In north-central AL; organized as Cotaco County February 8, 1818

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Morgan County (cont'd)

(prior to statehood) from Indian lands; name changed Jun 14, 1821. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99). Originally for Cotaco Creek, which runs through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 596.18 (land 579.34; water 16.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 206.3.

**Pop 2010:** 119,490. **State rank:** 504. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 113,740 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,090; median household $44,349; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,089 - $31,540.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Decatur 🏛 (55,683); Hartselle (14,255).

**PERRY COUNTY**
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Marion, AL 36756
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In west-central AL, southeast of Tuscaloosa; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Tuscaloosa County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 724.25 (land 719.66; water 4.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,591. **State rank:** 2382. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,371 (White 30.3%; Black or African American 68.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,433; median household $25,950; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,863 - $24,783.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PICKENS COUNTY**
PO Box 460 **Ph:** 205-367-2020
Carrollton, AL 35447 **Fax:** 205-367-2025

On central-western border of AL, west of Tuscaloosa, organized Dec 19, 1820 from Tuscaloosa County. **Name Origin:** Probably for Gen. Andrew Pickens (1739-1817), Revolutionary War hero, and U.S. representative from SC (1793-95). Others claim Israel Pickens, GA governor (1821-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 890.04 (land 881.41; water 8.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.4.

**Pop 2010:** 19,746. **State rank:** 1850. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,178 (White 56.3%; Black or African American 41.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,278; median household $28,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,676 - $28,673.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pleasant Grove (10,110).

**PIKE COUNTY**
PO Box 1147 **Ph:** 334-566-6374
Troy, AL 36081 **Fax:** 334-566-0142
www.alabama.gov

In southeastern AL, southeast of Montgomery; organized Dec 17, 1821 from Henry and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 673.15 (land 672.09; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.9.

**Pop 2010:** 32,899. **State rank:** 1413. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.0%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 29,639 (White 58.2%; Black or African American 36.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 2.0%; Others 2.2%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,013; median household $29,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,552 - $32,656.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Troy 🏛 (18,033).

**RANDOLPH COUNTY**
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Wedowee, AL 36278 **Fax:** 256-357-9012
www.randolphcountyalabama.gov

On central-eastern border of AL; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For John Randolph (1773-1833), U.S. congressman from VA during the years of 1799-1827, and U.S. minister to Russia (1830-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 583.61 (land 580.55; water 3.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,913. **State rank:** 1694. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 22,717 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 20.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,844; median household $34,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,292 - $26,219.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RUSSELL COUNTY**
1000 Broad St **Ph:** 334-298-3435
Phenix City, AL 36867 **Fax:** 334-297-6250

On southeastern border of AL; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For Col. Gilbert Christian Russell, U.S. Army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 647.20 (land 641.14; water 6.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.6.

**Pop 2010:** 52,947. **State rank:** 951. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 49,326 (White 53.7%; Black or African American 41.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

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## Russell County (cont'd)

**born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,415; median household $32,481; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,839 - $29,906.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Phenix City (32,822).

### SAINT CLAIR COUNTY

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www.stclairco.com

In east-central AL, east of Birmingham; organized Nov 20, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Shelby County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Arthur Saint Clair (1736-1818), soldier, president of the Continental Congress (1787), and governor of the Northwest Territory (1787-1805).

**Area (sq mi):** 651.76 (land 631.90; water 19.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.3.

**Pop 2010:** 83,593. **State rank:** 668. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.6%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 72,330 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,192; median household $48,837; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,191 - $30,057.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pell City (12,695); Moody (11,726); Pleasant Grove (10,110).

### SHELBY COUNTY

112 N Main St PO Box 1810 **Ph:** 205-669-3760
Columbiana, AL 35051 **Fax:** 205-669-3786
www.shelbycountyalabama.com

In central AL, south of Birmingham; organized Feb 7, 1817 (prior to statehood) from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 799.76 (land 784.93; water 14.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 248.5.

**Pop 2010:** 195,085. **State rank:** 322. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.8%; 2000-2005 +19.7%. **Pop 2005:** 171,465 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 10.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 1.9%; Others 5.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,978; median household $68,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,276 - $42,273.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alabaster (30,352); Pelham (21,352); Helena (16,793); Calera (11,620); Chelsea (10,183).

### SUMTER COUNTY

County Courthouse P.O. Box 70 **Ph:** 205-652-2731
Livingston, AL 35470
www.alabama.gov/portal/secondary.jsp?id=countiesMetropolitan&countyID=sumter

On central-western border of AL, southwest of Tuscaloosa; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Sumter (1734-1832), American Revolutionary officer nicknamed the Gamecock of the Revolution, U.S. representative from GA (1789-93;1797-1801), and U.S. senator (1801-10).

**Area (sq mi):** 912.26 (land 903.89; water 8.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,763. **State rank:** 2243. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 13,819 (White 24.2%; Black or African American 75.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,460; median household $25,338; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,494 - $24,344.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TALLADEGA COUNTY

PO Box 6170 **Ph:** 256-362-1357
Talladega, AL 35161 **Fax:** 256-761-2147
www.talladegacounty.org

In east-central AL, southeast of Birmingham; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For the town, from Cree *talwa* 'town' and *atigi* 'border,' being the boundary between the Creeks and the Natchez.

**Area (sq mi):** 757.50 (land 736.78; water 20.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.7.

**Pop 2010:** 82,291. **State rank:** 680. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 80,457 (White 65.3%; Black or African American 31.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,713; median household $36,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,823 - $28,906.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Talladega (15,676); Sylacauga (12,749).

### TALLAPOOSA COUNTY

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Dadeville, AL 36853 **Fax:** 256-825-1009
www.tallaco.com

In east-central AL, west of Auburn; organized Dec 18, 1832 from Chickasaw cession. **Name Origin:** For the Tallapoosa River, which runs through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 764.82 (land 716.52; water 48.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.1.

**Pop 2010:** 41,616. **State rank:** 1141. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 40,717 (White 69.9%; Black or African American 26.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Tallapoosa County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,542; median household $36,904; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,364 - $30,175.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alexander City (14,875).

**TUSCALOOSA COUNTY**
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Tuscaloosa, AL 35401
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**Ph:** 205-349-3870

In west-central AL, west of Birmingham; organized Feb 7, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** Indian name for the Black Warrior River, which runs through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,348.61 (land 1,321.76; water 26.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 147.3.

**Pop 2010:** 194,656. **State rank:** 334. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.2%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 168,908 (White 66.3%; Black or African American 29.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 31.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,546; median household $42,311; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,800 - $33,106.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tuscaloosa 🏛 (90,468); Northport (23,330).

**WALKER COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 205-384-7003

In west-central AL, northwest of Birmingham; organized Dec 20, 1823 from Marion and Tuscaloosa counties. **Name Origin:** For John Williams Walker (1783-1823), U.S. senator from AL (1819-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 802.10 (land 791.19; water 10.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.7.

**Pop 2010:** 67,023. **State rank:** 765. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 70,117 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,516; median household $37,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,166 - $32,326.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jasper 🏛 (14,352).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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Chatom, AL 36518
www.washingtoncountyalgov.com
**Ph:** 251-847-2208
**Fax:** 251-847-3677

On southwestern border of AL, north of Mobile; original county; organized Jun 4, 1800 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-1799), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,088.10 (land 1,080.21; water 7.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.3.

**Pop 2010:** 17,581. **State rank:** 1959. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 17,773 (White 65.5%; Black or African American 24.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 8.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,824; median household $36,431; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,357 - $27,961.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILCOX COUNTY**
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Camden, AL 36726
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**Fax:** 334-682-4025

In southwest-central AL, southwest of Montgomery; organized Dec 13, 1819 from Dallas and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Joseph M. Wilcox, killed in 1814 by Creek Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 907.28 (land 888.50; water 18.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,670. **State rank:** 2269. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.8%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 12,937 (White 26.8%; Black or African American 72.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,573; median household $23,491; **Pop below poverty level:** 38.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,548 - $25,093.

**Unemployment 2010:** 21.7%. **Change from 2007:** +13.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINSTON COUNTY**
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Double Springs, AL 35553
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**Fax:** 205-489-5140

In northwest-central AL, northwest of Birmingham; organized as Hancock County Feb 12, 1850 from Walker County; renamed Jan 22, 1858. **Name Origin:** Originally for John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence; then for John Anthony Winston (1812-71), Confederate army officer and governor of AL (1854-1857).

**Area (sq mi):** 630.40 (land 612.98; water 17.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,484. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,498 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,055; median household $33,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,430 - $25,512.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +10.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**ALASKA STATE INFORMATION**
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Anchorage, AK 99501
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**Area (sq mi):** 663,267.26 (land 571,951.26; water 91,316). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 710,231. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.0%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 663,661 (White 66.7%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 5.4%; Others 5.5%, including 14.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $44,174; median household $66,521; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,316 - $44,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.0%.

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**ALEUTIANS EAST BOROUGH**
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Sand Point, AK 99661 **Fax:** 907-383-3496
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In southwestern AK, extending south and west from the Alaska Peninsula as far west as Akutan Island; bounded on south and east by Pacific Ocean, on north by Bering Sea. Established Oct 23, 1987 from the eastern portion of the former Aleutian Islands Census Area and the southwestern portion of the Dillingham Census Area. **Name Origin:** Adjective form of *Aleut*, the natives of the Aleutian Islands.

**Area (sq mi):** 15,005.40 (land 6,981.94; water 8,023.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,141. **State rank:** 2988. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.8%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,713 (White 21.0%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 36.0%; Others 12.3%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 72.2%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,279; median household $54,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,152 - $25,682.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 4.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** .5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALEUTIANS WEST CENSUS AREA**
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Unalaska, AK 99685 **Fax:** 907-581-2809

Southwest of Alaska Peninsula, from the Andreanof Islands in east to the Near Islands in west; bounded on north by Bering Sea and on south and east by Pacific Ocean. **Name Origin:** Adjective form of Aleut, the natives of the Aleutian Islands. Originally called the Aleutian Islands Census Area; name officially changed Jan 1, 1990.

**Area (sq mi):** 14,110.02 (land 4,390.28; water 9,719.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,561. **State rank:** 2847. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,382 (White 36.0%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.1%; Asian 28.9%; Others 13.1%, including 1.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 54.4%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,920; median household $72,917; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,466 - $28,791.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 4.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ANCHORAGE MUNICIPALITY**
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Anchorage, AK 99519 **Fax:** 907-343-4313
www.muni.org/homepage/index.cfm

On the south-central coast of AK, at the head of Cook Inlet, 470 mi. south of Fairbanks. Founded 1914. Borough and city were consolidated as the municipality of Anchorage; includes Glen Alps and Girdwood. **Name Origin:** For Knik Anchorage, a settlement just offshore. This was named for a Tanaina village spelled *Kinik* and *Kinnick* 'fire'. Previously called *Ship Creek* and *Woodrow*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,968.56 (land 1,704.68; water 263.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 171.2.

**Pop 2010:** 291,826. **State rank:** 224. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 275,043 (White 66.0%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 8.1%; Others 7.6%, including 2.0% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,678; median household $73,004; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,093 - $48,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Anchorage (291,826).

**BETHEL CENSUS AREA**

In southwestern AK with coastal area on Bering Sea. Established from the former *Kuskokwim Division*. **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 45,445.15 (land 40,570; water 4,875.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,013. **State rank:** 1947. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,127 (White 11.1%; Black or African

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American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 26.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,584; median household $52,214; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,873 - $32,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BRISTOL BAY BOROUGH

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In southwestern AK at head of Kvichak Bay, an inlet of the Bering Sea, west of Katmai National Park. **Name Origin:** For the bay, named in 1778 by Capt. James Cook (1728-79) for the Earl of Bristol (England). Formerly the *Bristol Bay Borough Division*.

**Area (sq mi):** 886.61 (land 503.84; water 382.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 997. **State rank:** 3115. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.3%; 2000-2005 -11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,112 (White 48.2%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,260; median household $84,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,046 - $49,595.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** -0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 8.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DENALI BOROUGH

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In south-central AK, southwest of Fairbanks. Includes Denali National Park, where Mount McKinley, the highest point in North America, is located. Established Dec 28, 1990, primarily from the Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area and a small part of the Southeast Fairbanks Census Area. **Name Origin:** The Tanana Indian name for Mount McKinley, meaning 'the great one' or 'the high one.'

**Area (sq mi):** 12,776.29 (land 12,751.41; water 24.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,826. **State rank:** 3056. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,881 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.0%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,245; median household $72,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,483 - $58,159.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DILLINGHAM CENSUS AREA

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Dillingham, AK 99576

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In southwestern AK, along Bristol Bay, northwest of Katmai National Park. Has been reduced in area as portions have been separated off to create new boroughs and census areas. **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 20,822.41 (land 18,568.78; water 2,253.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,847. **State rank:** 2832. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,926 (White 18.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 29.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,597; median household $60,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,602 - $39,106.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 9.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH

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**Fax:** 907-459-1224

In east-central AK. **Name Origin:** Formerly called the *Fairbanks Division*, for the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,415.99 (land 7,338.21; water 77.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.3.

**Pop 2010:** 97,581. **State rank:** 587. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 87,560 (White 77.0%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 2.7%; Others 5.8%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,395; median household $66,598; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,072 - $40,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairbanks (31,535); Badger (19,482); College (12,964).

### HAINES BOROUGH

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**Fax:** 907-766-2716

In AK, panhandle, northeastern (inner) portion of Alexander Archipelago, north of Juneau, bordering the province of British Colombia, Canada, to the east. **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,700.69 (land 2,318.60; water 382.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,508. **State rank:** 3010. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,272 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.9%, including 9.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,979; median household $47,981; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,657 - $61,270.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Haines Borough (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JUNEAU CITY & BOROUGH

155 S Seward St
Juneau, AK 99801
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**Ph:** 907-586-5278
**Fax:** 907-586-5385

In panhandle, southeastern AK on the Gastineau Channel, 90 mi. northeast of Sitka. State capital and largest city in the U.S. (by area). Founded 1880; designated to replace Sitka as capital in 1900, but the move to Juneau did not take place until 1906. Major industries: fishing, lumbering, tourism. Borough and city were consolidated in 1970; includes Douglas. **Name Origin:** For miner Joseph Juneau (1826-99), who discovered gold here in 1880. Formerly Harrisburg.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,240.27 (land 2,701.93; water 538.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.6.

**Pop 2010:** 31,275. **State rank:** 1405. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 30,987 (White 69.7%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 6.1%; Others 5.1%, including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,923; median household $75,517; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,106 - $49,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Juneau (31,275).

### KENAI PENINSULA BOROUGH

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Soldotna, AK 99669
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**Fax:** 907-262-1892

In south-central AK, bounded on west by Cook Inlet, on east by the Gulf of Alaska, inlets of the Pacific. Established by combining the former divisions of *Kenai-Cook Inlet* and *Seward*. **Name Origin:** For a local Indian tribe; meaning of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 24,816.67 (land 16,075.33; water 8,741.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 55,400. **State rank:** 905. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 51,960 (White 84.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,127; median household $57,454; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,913 - $40,873.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KETCHIKAN GATEWAY BOROUGH

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Ketchikan, AK 99901
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**Ph:** 907-228-6605
**Fax:** 907-247-8439

In AK panhandle, southern Alexander Archipelago, east of Prince of Wales Island. **Name Origin:** For the city, which is in the southernmost portion of AK. Formerly called *Ketchican Division*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,754 (land 1,233; water 521). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,477. **State rank:** 2230. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 13,262 (White 68.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 7.0%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,520; median household $61,695; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,831 - $51,266.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KODIAK ISLAND BOROUGH

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Kodiak, AK 99615
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**Fax:** 907-486-9391

Off southern coast of AK, east of the Alaska Peninsula in the Gulf of Alaska. **Name Origin:** For the island. Formerly called *Kodiak Division*.

**Area (sq mi):** 12,013.41 (land 6,549.58; water 5,463.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,592. **State rank:** 2209. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,051 (White 55.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 19.6%; Others 7.3%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.5%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,413; median household $60,776; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,246 - $41,764.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAKE & PENINSULA BOROUGH

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King Salmon, AK 99613

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**Fax:** 907-246-6602

In southwestern AK, including most of the upper Alaska Peninsula. Established April 24, 1989 from eastern portions of the Dillingham Census Area plus the Alaska Peninsula. **Name Origin:** For Iliamna Lake and the Alaska Peninsula.

**Area (sq mi):** 30,777.01 (land 23,652.01; water 7,125). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,631. **State rank:** 3082. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -13.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,570 (White 23.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.6%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 30.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,161; median household $40,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,945 - $36,810.

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## Lake & Peninsula Borough (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 6.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MATANUSKA-SUSITNA BOROUGH

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In south-central AK, north of Anchorage. **Name Origin:** For the Metanuska River, derived from Russian for 'copper river people,' variously spelled *Matanooski, Mednofski, Miduuski*; and the Susitna River, from Tanaina Indian meaning 'sandy river'; also spelled *Sushitna, Sushit, Sutschitna, Sustchino*

**Area (sq mi):** 25,186.15 (land 24,607.90; water 578.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 88,995. **State rank:** 636. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.1%; 2000-2005 +28.1%. **Pop 2005:** 76,006 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,910; median household $67,703; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,657 - $40,656.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NOME CENSUS AREA

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Nome, AK 99762-2111

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**Fax:** 907-443-2192

In west-central AK, including much of Seward Peninsula. **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 28,244.18 (land 22,961.76; water 5,282.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,492. **State rank:** 2470. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,328 (White 16.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.2%, including 75.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 27.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,549; median household $53,899; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,114 - $36,043.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 5.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH

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Across northernmost AK from Pt. Hope in west to border of Yukon province, Canada in east; bounded on the north by the Arctic Ocean and Beaufort Sea. **Name Origin:** Formerly called *Barrow-North Slope Division*.

**Area (sq mi):** 94,640.94 (land 88,695.41; water 5,945.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,430. **State rank:** 2696. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +36.2%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,924 (White 33.4%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 4.5%; Others 2.6%, including 1.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,109; median household $68,517; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,332 - $50,475.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** -0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 5.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH

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On northwestern coast of AK on Kotzebue Sound, north of Nome. Known as the Kobak Census Area until change to borough status on Jun 2, 1986. **Name Origin:** For its location.

**Area (sq mi):** 40,436.24 (land 35,572.58; water 4,863.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,523. **State rank:** 2627. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,621 (White 11.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 25.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,278; median household $55,217; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,361 - $34,592.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 7.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** .6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PRINCE OF WALES-OUTER KETCHIKAN CENSUS AREA

In AK panhandle, southern outer portion of Alexander Archipelago, including Prince of Wales Island. Established by combining the former divisions of *Prince of Wales* and *Outer Ketchikan.*. **Name Origin:** For the Prince of Wales Archipelago and nearby Ketchikan.

**Area (sq mi):** 12,707 (land 7,411; water 5,296). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,559. **State rank:** 2788. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,660 (White 50.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,193; median household $45,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,107 - $30,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SITKA CITY & BOROUGH

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In AK panhandle, western (outer) portion of the central Alexander Archipelago, southwest of Juneau. City center on the west coast of Baranof Island, 930 mi. north of Seattle, WA. **Name Origin:** From

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sitka City & Borough (cont'd)

Tlingit term for 'by the sea' or 'on Shi,' the Tlingit name for Baranof Island.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,807.89 (land 2,870.34; water 1,937.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,881. **State rank:** 2531. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,986 (White 65.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 6.0%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,982; median household $62,024; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,365 - $41,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SKAGWAY-HOONAH-ANGOON CENSUS AREA

In AK panhandle, north of the Alexander Archipelago. Created from the remainder of the former Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area when the new Yakutat City and Borough was created effective September 22, 1992. **Name Origin:** For the towns that define its northern, western and eastern extent.

**Area (sq mi):** 10,912 (land 7,444; water 3,468). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 968. **State rank:** 3112. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -69.0%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,126 (White 47.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.6%, including 41.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.1%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,536; median household $43,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%..

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 4.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SOUTHEAST FAIRBANKS CENSUS AREA

In east-central AK, southeast of Fairbanks, bordering the Yukon Territory of Canada to the east. Includes portion of former *Upper Yukon Division*. A small portion of the census area was removed to establish Denali Borough on Dec. 28, 1990. **Name Origin:** For its location.

**Area (sq mi):** 25,015.14 (land 24,768.81; water 246.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,029. **State rank:** 2677. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,614 (White 80.4%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,657; median household $59,596; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,885 - $43,561.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VALDEZ-CORDOVA CENSUS AREA

In southeastern AK, bounded on east by Yukon Territory of Canada and on south by the Gulf of Alaska. Established by combining the former divisions of Cordova-McCarthy and Valdez-Chitina-Whittier with part of Southeast Fairbanks Division. **Name Origin:** For the city of Valdez.

**Area (sq mi):** 40,119.93 (land 34,239.88; water 5,880.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,636. **State rank:** 2475. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,899 (White 74.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 3.7%; Others 3.6%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,703; median household $60,383; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,418 - $44,354.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WADE HAMPTON CENSUS AREA

On central-western coast of AK, north of Bethel. **Name Origin:** Named for Wade Hampton, a lieutenant general in the Civil War, governor of South Carolina and U.S. Senator from South Carolina.

**Area (sq mi):** 19,557.17 (land 17,081.43; water 2,475.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,459. **State rank:** 2609. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,541 (White 2.7%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.1%, including 95.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 21.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,269; median household $37,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,500 - $22,353.

**Unemployment 2010:** 20.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 5.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WRANGELL-PETERSBURG CENSUS AREA

In AK panhandle in central-eastern Alexander Archipelago, south of Juneau. **Name Origin:** For the two chief cities.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,684 (land 3,282; water 2,402). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,369. **State rank:** 3031. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -62.1%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,245 (White 71.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 2.6%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,731; median household $62,317; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,831 - $39,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**YAKUTAT CITY & BOROUGH**

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In AK panhandle, north of the Alexander Archipelago. Established Sep 22, 1992 from the former Skagway-Yakutat-Angoon Census Area (now Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area). **Name Origin:** Probably for Yakutat Bay, from the name of a Tlingit Indian village; meaning of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 9,458.28 (land 7,649.46; water 1,808.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.1.

**Pop 2010:** 662. **State rank:** 3125. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.3%; 2000-2005 -10.6%. **Pop 2005:** 722 (White 42.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 4.1%; Others 2.6%, including 1.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,576; median household $65,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,284 - $40,129.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 6.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YUKON-KOYUKUK CENSUS AREA**

In Alaska's Interior, stretching across more than 148,250 square miles from Canada's Yukon Territories to the lower Yukon River. **Name Origin:** For the Yukon River and one of its principal tributaries, the Koyukuk River.

**Area (sq mi):** 147,843 (land 145,900; water 1,943). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.

**Pop 2010:** 5,588. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.0%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,143 (White 22.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.9%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,614; median household $33,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,245 - $35,538.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 7.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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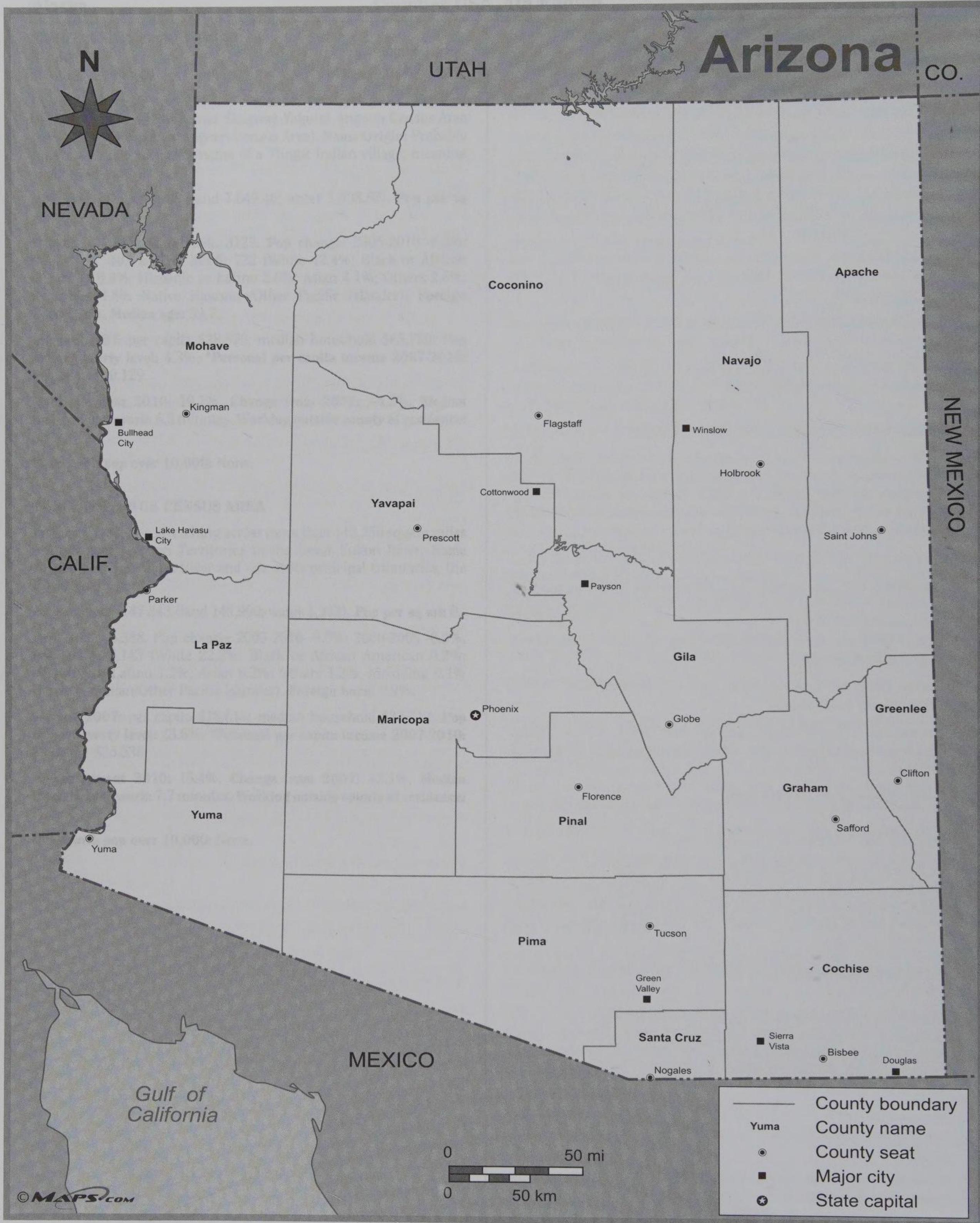
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# Arizona

**ARIZONA STATE INFORMATION**
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**Area (sq mi):** 113,998.30 (land 113,634.57; water 363.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,392,017. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +15.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,939,292 (White 73%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 29.6%; Asian 2.8%; Others 29.6%, including 4.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,999; median household $50,448; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.30%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,441 - $34,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

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**APACHE COUNTY**
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On eastern border of AZ; organized Feb 14, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Mohave County. **Name Origin:** For the Apache Indian tribe, of Athapascan linguistic stock, who inhabited the land for centuries. The name is variously said to mean 'man,' 'battles,' or 'enemy.'

**Area (sq mi):** 11,211.06 (land 11,197.52; water 13.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.4.

**Pop 2010:** 71,518. **State rank:** 748. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 69,343 (White 23.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.8%, including 72.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 32.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,294; median household $30,184; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,711 - $26,093.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cottonwood (11,265).

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In southeastern corner of AZ; organized Feb 1, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Pima County. **Name Origin:** For the famous Chiricahua Apache chief (c. 1812-74), who conducted raids against the U.S. after brutal treatment by U.S. Army officers and surrendered in 1871.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,215.01 (land 6,165.69; water 49.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.3.

**Pop 2010:** 131,346. **State rank:** 470. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 126,106 (White 78.5%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 32.4%; Asian 1.9%; Others 32.4%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.3%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,010; median household $44,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,589 - $35,592.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sierra Vista (43,888); Douglas (17,378).

**COCONINO COUNTY**
219 E Cherry Ave **Ph:** 928-774-5011
Flagstaff, AZ 86001 **Fax:** 928-779-6785
www.coconino.az.gov

In north-central AZ; organized Feb 19, 1891 (prior to statehood) from Yavapai County. **Name Origin:** Possibly from the Hopi Indian name, *Kohnina*, for the Havasupai tribe that inhabits the Grand Canyon region, which is within the county. Or derived from a Havasupai word meaning 'little water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 18,662.68 (land 18,618.89; water 43.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.2.

**Pop 2010:** 134,421. **State rank:** 466. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 123,866 (White 61.7%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 13.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 13.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,632; median household $49,510; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,486 - $35,105.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Flagstaff 🏛 (65,870); Sedona (10,031).

**GILA COUNTY**
1400 E Ash St **Ph:** 928-425-3231
Globe, AZ 85501 **Fax:** 928-425-0319
www.co.gila.az.us

In east-central AZ, east of Phoenix; organized Feb 8, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Maricopa and Pinal counties. **Name Origin:** For the Gila River, which forms part of the county's southern boundary. Some sources suggest the name may refer to the Gila monster.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,785.96 (land 4,757.93; water 28.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.3.

**Pop 2010:** 53,597. **State rank:** 935. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 51,663 (White 76.8%; Black or African

## Gila County (cont'd)

American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 17.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 17.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,600; median household $37,580; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,691 - $31,840.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Payson (15,301).

### GRAHAM COUNTY

800 W Main
Safford, AZ 85546
www.graham.az.gov

**Ph:** 928-428-3250
**Fax:** 928-428-5951

In southeastern AZ, northeast of Tucson; organized Mar 10, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Apache and Pima counties. **Name Origin:** For its most prominent feature, Mount Graham, in the Pinaleno Mountains; elevation 10,720 ft.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,634.43 (land 4,622.60; water 11.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.1.

**Pop 2010:** 37,220. **State rank:** 1233. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 33,073 (White 72.1%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 30.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 30.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,644; median household $41,683; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,945 - $24,983.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +9.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENLEE COUNTY

253 5th St PO Box 908
Clifton, AZ 85533
www.co.greenlee.az.us

**Ph:** 928-865-2072
**Fax:** 928-865-4417

On southeastern border of AZ; organized Mar 10, 1909 (prior to statehood) from Graham County. **Name Origin:** For Mason Greenlee (1835-1903), a Virginian who settled in the area in the 1870s.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,844.55 (land 1,843.13; water 1.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,437. **State rank:** 2585. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.2%; 2000-2005 -12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,521 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 47.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 47.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,281; median household $48,696; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,435 - $30,858.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LA PAZ COUNTY

1108 Joshua Ave
Parker, AZ 85344
www.co.la-paz.az.us

**Ph:** 928-669-6115
**Fax:** 928-669-9709

On western border of AZ, west of Phoenix; organized Jan 1, 1983 from Yuma County. **Name Origin:** For the once-prominent AZ city of La Paz, an important gold-mining center in the 1860s that eventually was abandoned. Gold had been discovered near the site on Jan 12, 1862, the date on which many Mexican and Mexican-American Catholics in early Arizona celebrated the Feast of our Lady of Peace (in Spanish, Nuestra Senora de la Paz).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,513.03 (land 4,499.63; water 13.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 20,489. **State rank:** 1815. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,238 (White 69.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 23.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 23.5%, including 12.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.2%. **Median age:** 53.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,165; median household $32,147; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,017 - $27,688.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARICOPA COUNTY

301 W Jefferson St, 10th Fl
Phoenix, AZ 85003
www.maricopa.gov

**Ph:** 602-506-3766
**Fax:** 602-506-6402

In south-central AZ; organized Feb 14, 1871 (prior to statehood) from Yavapai and Yuma counties. **Name Origin:** From the name of an Indian tribe of Yuman linguistic stock. The name may be a variant of the spanish *mariposa*, or 'butterfly,' as the Spanish found the tribe wearing bright paints. The tribe called itself *Pipatsje*, 'people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 9,221.27 (land 9,200.14; water 21.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 414.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,817,117. **State rank:** 4. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +18.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,635,528 (White 73.0%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 29.6%; Asian 3.5%; Others 29.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.9%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,816; median household $55,054; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,300 - $37,352.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 22 (see page 31 for cities).

### MOHAVE COUNTY

PO Box 7000
Kingman, AZ 86402-2700
www.co.mohave.az.us

**Ph:** 928-753-0729
**Fax:** 928-753-7840

On western border of AZ; original county; organized Dec 21, 1864 (prior to statehood); in 1871 annexed Pah-Ute County, which had been organized in 1865. **Name Origin:** For a tribe of Yuman linguistic stock, who inhabited both the CA and AZ sides of the Colorado River. Name means 'three mountains' and refers to the Needles, the three pointed mountain peaks at the center of tribal activities. Also spelled *Mojave*.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Area (sq mi):** 13,469.15 (land 13,311.08; water 158.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.

**Pop 2010:** 200,186. **State rank:** 318. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +20.7%. **Pop 2005:** 187,200 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 14.8%; Asian 1.1%; Others 14.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,523; median household $39,785; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,371 - $25,801.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lake Havasu City (52,527); Bullhead City (39,540); Kingman 🏛 (28,068).

**NAVAJO COUNTY**
PO Box 668 **Ph:** 928-524-4188
Holbrook, AZ 86025 **Fax:** 928-524-4261
www.co.navajo.az.us

In northeastern AZ, east of Flagstaff; organized Mar 21, 1895 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Navajo Indian tribe. Site of the Navajo National Monument.

**Area (sq mi):** 9,956.73 (land 9,950.42; water 6.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.8.

**Pop 2010:** 107,449. **State rank:** 525. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 108,432 (White 49.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 10.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,745; median household $39,774; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,564 - $25,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +9.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Show Low (10,660).

**PIMA COUNTY**
130 W Congress St, 10th Fl **Ph:** 520-740-8661
Tucson, AZ 85701 **Fax:** 520-740-8171
www.co.pima.az.us

On south-central border of AZ; original county; organized Dec 15, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Pima Indian tribe, who inhabited the Gila and Salt River valleys of AZ. *Pima* was the name given the tribe by the Spanish; it means no or I don't know, the response the Spanish received to their questions and mistook for the tribe's name.

**Area (sq mi):** 9,189.61 (land 9,187.04; water 2.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.7.

**Pop 2010:** 980,263. **State rank:** 41. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 924,786 (White 74.3%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 34.6%; Asian 2.6%; Others 34.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.2%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,093; median household $45,521; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,596 - $34,987.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 31 for cities).

**PINAL COUNTY**
31 N Pinal St, Suite E **Ph:** 520-866-6830
Florence, AZ 85132 **Fax:** 520-866-6831
www.pinalcountyaz.gov

In south-central AZ, southeast of Phoenix; organized Feb 1, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Pima County. **Name Origin:** Probably for the Pinal tribe of the Apaches, or for an Apache chief. Name means 'deer' in Apache; in Spanish it means 'pine' or possibly 'the Apaches who live in the pines.' Pine groves and deer can be found on nearby mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,370.11 (land 5,365.61; water 4.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.

**Pop 2010:** 375,770. **State rank:** 190. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +63.7%; 2000-2005 +27.7%. **Pop 2005:** 229,549 (White 72.4%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 28.5%; Asian 1.7%; Others 28.5%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,716; median household $51,310; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,474 - $23,060.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 31 for cities).

**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY**
2150 N Congress Dr **Ph:** 520-761-7800
Nogales, AZ 85621 **Fax:** 520-761-7700
www.co.santa-cruz.az.us

On south-central border of AZ; organized Mar 15, 1899 (prior to statehood) from Pima County. **Name Origin:** For the Santa Cruz River, which flows through the county. From the Spanish meaning 'holy cross.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,237.39 (land 1,236.92; water 0.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.3.

**Pop 2010:** 47,420. **State rank:** 1075. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,009 (White 73.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 82.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 82.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 33.5%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,209; median household $36,519; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,784 - $25,056.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +9.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Nogales 🏛 (20,837); Rio Rico (18,962).

**YAVAPAI COUNTY**
1015 Fair St **Ph:** 928-771-3200
Prescott, AZ 86305-5185 **Fax:** 928-771-3257
www.co.yavapai.az.us

In central AZ, north of Phoenix; original county; organized Dec 21, 1860 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For a tribe of Yuman linguistic stock who lived in western AZ. Name has been variously explained. Most probable is 'sun people,' from *enyaeva* 'sun'; *pai* 'people'. Other theories include 'hill country' from *yava* 'hill'; Spanish

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## Yavapai County (cont'd)

*pais* 'country'; and 'crooked-mouth (surly) people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 8,127.98 (land 8,123.50; water 4.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.

**Pop 2010:** 211,033. **State rank:** 288. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +18.6%. **Pop 2005:** 198,701 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 13.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,527; median household $43,290; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,333 - $29,586.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 31 for cities).

### YUMA COUNTY

198 S Main St
Yuma, AZ 85364
www.co.yuma.az.us

**Ph:** 928-329-2104
**Fax:** 928-329-2001

In southwestern corner of AZ; original county; organized Dec 21, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Yuma Indian tribe, who lived principally along the Colorado River. The name, given to the tribe by the Spanish, may mean son of the captain or may come from the Spanish *umo* smoke.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,518.86 (land 5,513.99; water 4.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.5.

**Pop 2010:** 195,751. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 181,277 (White 70.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 59.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 59.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 25.6%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,418; median household $40,340; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,975 - $26,928.

**Unemployment 2010:** 25.3%. **Change from 2007:** +11.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yuma (93,064); Fortuna Foothills (26,265); San Luis (25,505); Somerton (14,287).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**ARKANSAS STATE INFORMATION**
425 W Capitol Ave, Suite 1620 **Ph:** 501-682-3000
Little Rock, AR 72201
www.arkansas.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 53,178.62 (land 52,068.17; water 1,110.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.

**Pop 2010:** 2,915,918. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,779,154 (White 77%; Black or African American 15.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 6.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,150; median household $39,267; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.00%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,353 - $32,805.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

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**ARKANSAS COUNTY**
PO Box 719 **Ph:** 870-946-4321
Stuttgart, AR 72160-0071

In east-central AR, east of Pine Bluff; original county; organized Dec 31, 1813 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Arkansas Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,034.07 (land 988.77; water 45.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,019. **State rank:** 1862. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 20,073 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 24.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,142; median household $37,230; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,734 - $40,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ASHLEY COUNTY**
205 E Jefferson St PO Box 5 **Ph:** 870-853-2020
Hamburg, AR 71646 **Fax:** 870-853-2082

On southern border of AR; organized Nov 30, 1848 from Union and Drew counties. **Name Origin:** For Chester Ashley (1790-1848), U.S. senator from AR (1844-48).

**Area (sq mi):** 943.28 (land 925.35; water 17.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 21,853. **State rank:** 1722. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 23,178 (White 69.3%; Black or African American 25.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,779; median household $34,934; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,757 - $32,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BAXTER COUNTY**
1 E 7th St Room 103 **Ph:** 870-425-3475
Mountain Home, AR 72653 **Fax:** 870-424-5105
www.baxtercounty.org

On central-northern border of AR; organized Mar 24, 1873 from Fulton County. **Name Origin:** For Elisha Baxter (1827-99), AR legislator, chief justice (1864), circuit judge (1868-72), and governor (1872-74).

**Area (sq mi):** 586.66 (land 554.28; water 32.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.9.

**Pop 2010:** 41,513. **State rank:** 1108. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 40,330 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 50.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,513; median household $35,606; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,498 - $32,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mountain Home 🏛 (12,448).

**BENTON COUNTY**
215 E Central St, Suite 217 **Ph:** 479-271-1013
Bentonville, AR 72712 **Fax:** 479-271-1019
www.co.benton.ar.us

In northwest corner of AR; organized 1836 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 881.61 (land 847.36; water 34.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 261.2.

**Pop 2010:** 221,339. **State rank:** 280. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.4%; 2000-2005 +21.9%. **Pop 2005:** 186,938 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 15.5%; Asian 2.9%; Others 15.5%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,186; median household $50,434; **Pop**

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**below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,764 - $35,858.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rogers (55,964); Bentonville (35,301); Bella Vista (26,461); Siloam Springs (15,039).

### BOONE COUNTY

100 N Main St, Suite 201
Harrison, AR 72601
boonecountyar.com

**Ph:** 870-741-8428
**Fax:** 870-741-9724

On northern border of AR; organized Apr 9, 1869 from Carroll and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 600.87 (land 590.23; water 10.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.5.

**Pop 2010:** 36,903. **State rank:** 1243. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 35,793 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,507; median household $36,977; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,132 - $30,371.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Harrison (12,943).

### BRADLEY COUNTY

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Warren, AR 71671

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In south-central AR; organized Dec 18, 1840 from Union County. **Name Origin:** For William L. Bradley, a local settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 652.98 (land 649.23; water 3.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,508. **State rank:** 2305. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,192 (White 60.3%; Black or African American 27.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 13.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,845; median household $29,908; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,920 - $28,614.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CALHOUN COUNTY

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Hampton, AR 71744

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**Fax:** 870-798-2428

In south-central AR; organized Dec 6, 1850 from Dallas, Ouachita, and Union counties. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 632.85 (land 628.58; water 4.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,368. **State rank:** 2811. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,589 (White 74.5%; Black or African American 22.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian Z%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,457; median household $32,450; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,891 - $28,177.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARROLL COUNTY

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On northern border of AR; organized Nov 1, 1823 (prior to statehood) from Izard County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 638.63 (land 630.09; water 8.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.6.

**Pop 2010:** 27,446. **State rank:** 1487. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 26,999 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,743; median household $34,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,307 - $26,213.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHICOT COUNTY

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Lake Village, AR 71653

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In southeastern corner of AR; organized Oct 25, 1823 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Point Chicot on the Mississippi River; *chicot* in French means 'stump,' referring to navigational difficulties there.

**Area (sq mi):** 691.16 (land 644.30; water 46.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,800. **State rank:** 2300. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 -7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 13,027 (White 41.2%; Black or African American 54.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,668; median household $21,676; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,710 - $31,333.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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In west-central AR, south of Hot Springs; organized Dec 15, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For William Clark (1770-1838), explorer, and co-leader of the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

**Area (sq mi):** 883.24 (land 866.07; water 17.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,995. **State rank:** 1632. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,916 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 23.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,186; median household $31,968; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,920 - $30,074.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Arkadelphia 🏛 (10,714).

**CLAY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 870-598-2813

In northeastern corner of AR; organized Mar 24, 1873 from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 641.59 (land 639.47; water 2.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,083. **State rank:** 2063. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,578 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,892; median household $29,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,063 - $29,037.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLEBURNE COUNTY**
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In north-central AR, north of Little Rock; organized Feb 20, 1883 from White and Van Buren counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Patrick R. Cleburne (1828-64), Confederate officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 592.55 (land 553.69; water 38.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,970. **State rank:** 1570. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,391 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,371; median household $35,753; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,085 - $33,618.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLEVELAND COUNTY**
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Rison, AR 71665
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In south-central AR, south of Pine Bluff; organized Apr 17, 1873 from Dallas County. **Name Origin:** For Grover Cleveland (1837-1908), twenty-second and twenty-fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 598.84 (land 597.78; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,689. **State rank:** 2552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,903 (White 85.8%; Black or African American 12.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,481; median household $36,957; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,330 - $32,413.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLUMBIA COUNTY**
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On southern border of AR; organized Dec 17, 1852 from Lafayette County. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 766.80 (land 766.05; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,552. **State rank:** 1631. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,695 (White 59.9%; Black or African American 36.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,110; median household $35,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,447 - $31,860.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Magnolia 🏛 (11,577).

**CONWAY COUNTY**
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In central AR, northwest of Little Rock; organized Oct 20, 1825 (prior to statehood) from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For Henry W. Conway (1793-1827), soldier, early settler, and delegate to Congress at the time of establishment.

**Area (sq mi):** 562.76 (land 552.25; water 10.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,273. **State rank:** 1774. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,739 (White 84.2%; Black or African American 11.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.6%,

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including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,909; median household $32,700; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,943 - $31,892.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRAIGHEAD COUNTY**
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In northeastern AR; organized Feb 19, 1859 from Mississippi County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas C. Craighead, state senator at the time of establishment.

**Area (sq mi):** 709.35 (land 707.21; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 136.4.

**Pop 2010:** 96,443. **State rank:** 598. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 86,735 (White 81.2%; Black or African American 13.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 4.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,728; median household $39,233; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,877 - $31,867.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jonesboro (67,263).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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On western border of AR, north of Fort Smith; organized Oct 18, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Crawford (1772-1834), VA statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 601.90 (land 593.09; water 8.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.4.

**Pop 2010:** 61,948. **State rank:** 847. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 57,630 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 1.4%; Others 6.1%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,715; median household $40,197; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,166 - $27,262.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Van Buren (22,791).

**CRITTENDEN COUNTY**
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On eastern border of AR, east of TN; organized Oct 22, 1825 (prior to statehood) from Phillips County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Crittenden, veteran of the War of 1812 and Arkansas Territory official.

**Area (sq mi):** 636.28 (land 609.76; water 26.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.5.

**Pop 2010:** 50,902. **State rank:** 923. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 51,882 (White 46.1%; Black or African American 51.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,241; median household $33,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,217 - $31,049.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** West Memphis (26,245); Marion (12,345).

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In northeastern AR, west of Memphis, TN; organized Nov 15, 1862 from Crittenden, Poinsett, and Saint Francis counties. **Name Origin:** For Edward Cross (1798-1887), jurist and U.S. representative from AR (1839-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 622.87 (land 616.38; water 6.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.

**Pop 2010:** 17,870. **State rank:** 1884. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.1%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,237 (White 75.5%; Black or African American 22.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,248; median household $37,021; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,301 - $29,918.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DALLAS COUNTY**
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In south-central AR, southeast of Hot Springs; organized Jan 1, 1845 from Clark and Hot Springs counties. **Name Origin:** For George Mifflin Dallas (1792-1864), U.S. statesman and U.S. vice president (1845-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 668.13 (land 667.39; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,116. **State rank:** 2588. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,524 (White 55.2%; Black or African American 41.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,457; median household $29,602; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,341 - $30,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**DESHA COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of AR, southeast of Pine Bluff; organized Dec 12, 1838 from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Benjamin Desha (?-1835), officer in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 822.68 (land 768.15; water 54.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,008. **State rank:** 2208. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 -6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,358 (White 47.9%; Black or African American 47.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,582; median household $29,051; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,187 - $30,986.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DREW COUNTY**
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Monticello, AR 71655
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In southeastern AR, southeast of Pine Bluff; organized Nov 26, 1846 from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Stevenson Drew (1802-79), governor of AR (1844-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 835.83 (land 828.36; water 7.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,509. **State rank:** 1881. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,693 (White 68.8%; Black or African American 27.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,903; median household $32,558; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,772 - $29,965.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FAULKNER COUNTY**
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In central AR, north of Little Rock; organized Apr 12, 1873 from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** Said to be for Sanford C. Faulkner, who wrote The Arkansas Traveler, the state song. Other Faulkner family names occur in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 664.51 (land 647.88; water 16.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 174.8.

**Pop 2010:** 113,237. **State rank:** 534. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.6%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 97,147 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,811; median household $45,287; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,407 - $31,556.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Conway 🏛 (58,908).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 479-667-4247

In northwestern AR, east of Fort Smith; organized Dec 19, 1837 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.99 (land 608.86; water 10.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,125. **State rank:** 1907. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,218 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,010; median household $32,064; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,265 - $29,284.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FULTON COUNTY**
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On north-central border of AR; organized Dec 21, 1842 from Izard County. **Name Origin:** For William Savin Fulton (1795-1844), governor of the Arkansas Territory and U.S. senator (1836-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 620.35 (land 618.19; water 2.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.8.

**Pop 2010:** 12,245. **State rank:** 2312. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 11,934 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,067; median household $30,598; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,696 - $26,182.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GARLAND COUNTY**
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Hot Springs, AR 71901
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In west-central AR; organized Apr 5, 1873 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Augustus Hill Garland (1832-99), AR governor (1874-76) and U.S. senator (1877-85).

**Area (sq mi):** 735.13 (land 677.78; water 57.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.7.

**Pop 2010:** 96,024. **State rank:** 589. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 93,551 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 7.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%.

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**Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,786; median household $36,844; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,408 - $34,593.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hot Springs (35,193); Hot Springs Village (12,807).

### GRANT COUNTY

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In south-central AR, south of Little Rock; organized Feb 4, 1869 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses S. Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 633.04 (land 631.81; water 1.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.3.

**Pop 2010:** 17,853. **State rank:** 1923. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 17,348 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,229; median household $51,589; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,279 - $31,172.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

320 W Court St PO Box 62 **Ph:** 870-239-6311
Paragould, AR 72450 **Fax:** 870-239-3550
www.greenecounty.org

On northeastern border of AR; organized Nov 5, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Lawrence County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 579.84 (land 577.70; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.9.

**Pop 2010:** 42,090. **State rank:** 1144. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 39,401 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,225; median household $38,209; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,348 - $28,107.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Paragould (26,113).

### HEMPSTEAD COUNTY

400 S Washington PO Box 1420 **Ph:** 870-777-2241
Hope, AR 71802 **Fax:** 870-777-7829
www.hempsteadcountyar.com

In southwestern AR, northeast of Texarkana; organized Dec 15, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Edward Hempstead (1780-1817), delegate to Congress from MO.

**Area (sq mi):** 740.11 (land 727.52; water 12.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.1.

**Pop 2010:** 22,609. **State rank:** 1671. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 23,383 (White 59.4%; Black or African American 29.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 12.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,177; median household $35,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,521 - $27,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hope (10,095).

### HOT SPRING COUNTY

210 Locust St **Ph:** 501-332-2291
Malvern, AR 72104 **Fax:** 501-332-2221

In central AR, south of Hot Springs; organized Apr 17, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Clark County. **Name Origin:** At the time of organization the famous Hot Springs were within the county boundaries.

**Area (sq mi):** 622.42 (land 615.20; water 7.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.5.

**Pop 2010:** 32,923. **State rank:** 1379. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 31,264 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,248; median household $37,150; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,098 - $26,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Malvern (10,318).

### HOWARD COUNTY

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Nashville, AR 71852 **Fax:** 870-845-7505

In southwestern AR, north of Texarkana; organized Apr 17, 1873 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** Said to be named for James Howard, a state senator.

**Area (sq mi):** 596.33 (land 588.55; water 7.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.4.

**Pop 2010:** 13,789. **State rank:** 2141. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,552 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 20.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 9.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,216; median household $34,554; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,841 - $28,031.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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13.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**INDEPENDENCE COUNTY**
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Batesville, AR 72501
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**Fax:** 870-793-8831

In north-central AR; organized Oct 23, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** To honor the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 771.74 (land 763.95; water 7.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.

**Pop 2010:** 36,647. **State rank:** 1296. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 34,737 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,912; median household $34,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,859 - $30,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bryant (16,688); Batesville (10,248).

**IZARD COUNTY**
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Melbourne, AR 72556
**Ph:** 870-368-4316
**Fax:** 870-368-4748

In north-central AR; organized Oct 27, 1825 (prior to statehood) from Independence County. **Name Origin:** For George Izard (1777-1828), general in the War of 1812 and governor of Arkansas Territory (1825-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 583.92 (land 580.58; water 3.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,696. **State rank:** 2227. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,430 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,737; median household $31,673; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,052 - $25,701.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Newport, AR 72112
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**Fax:** 870-523-7404

In northeast-central AR; organized Nov 5, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Independence County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 641.86 (land 633.94; water 7.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,997. **State rank:** 1980. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 17,601 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 16.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,874; median household $27,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,061 - $32,328.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Pine Bluff, AR 71611
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**Fax:** 870-541-5324

In southeast-central AR; organized Nov 2, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas and Pulaski counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 899.63 (land 870.75; water 28.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.9.

**Pop 2010:** 77,435. **State rank:** 691. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 81,700 (White 42.0%; Black or African American 55.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,681; median household $35,998; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,138 - $30,854.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pine Bluff 🏛 (49,083).

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
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Clarksville, AR 72830
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**Fax:** 479-754-2286

In northwestern AR, northeast of Fort Smith; organized Nov 16, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Pope County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Johnson, a territorial judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 680.37 (land 659.80; water 20.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.7.

**Pop 2010:** 25,540. **State rank:** 1594. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,042 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 12.1%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,937; median household $30,592; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,572 - $24,451.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAFAYETTE COUNTY**
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Lewisville, AR 71845
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**Fax:** 870-921-4505

On southwestern border of AR; organized Oct 15, 1827 (prior to statehood) from Hempstead County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

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## Lafayette County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 546.84 (land 528.27; water 18.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,645. **State rank:** 2623. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,027 (White 60.7%; Black or African American 37.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,699; median household $27,515; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,438 - $26,577.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

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Walnut Ridge, AR 72476

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In northeastern AR; organized Jan 15, 1815 (prior to statehood) from New Madrid County, MO. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. Navy commander in War of 1812 who said Don't give up the ship!.

**Area (sq mi):** 593.39 (land 587.61; water 5.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,415. **State rank:** 1970. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,153 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,168; median household $30,288; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,110 - $26,867.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEE COUNTY

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Marianna, AR 72360

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**Fax:** 870-295-7766

On central-eastern border of AR; organized Apr 17, 1873 from Phillips and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 620.42 (land 602.62; water 17.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,424. **State rank:** 2402. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.7%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,545 (White 42.0%; Black or African American 55.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,103; median household $30,494; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,764 - $27,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Star City, AR 71667

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**Fax:** 870-628-5794

In southeastern AR; organized Mar 28, 1871 from Arkansas, Bradley, Desha, Drew, and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.49 (land 561.52; water 10.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,134. **State rank:** 2195. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,262 (White 66.6%; Black or African American 29.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,024; median household $35,737; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,408 - $25,279.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LITTLE RIVER COUNTY

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Ashdown, AR 71822

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**Fax:** 870-898-7241

On southwestern border; organized Mar 5, 1867 from Hempstead County. **Name Origin:** For the Little River, which forms its northern boundary.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.39 (land 532.25; water 33.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 13,171. **State rank:** 2235. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,227 (White 75.5%; Black or African American 19.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,808; median household $33,416; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,404 - $29,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LOGAN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 479-675-2952

In west-central AR, southeast of Fort Smith; organized as Sarber County Mar 22, 1871 from Franklin County; name changed Dec 14, 1875. **Name Origin:** For James Logan, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 729.76 (land 708.13; water 21.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,353. **State rank:** 1708. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 22,944 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,121; median household $37,551; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,107 - $26,538.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LONOKE COUNTY**
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In central AR, east of Little Rock; organized Apr 16, 1873 from Pulaski and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** Variant spelling of *lone oak*, a former landmark at the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 807.20 (land 770.73; water 36.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.7.

**Pop 2010:** 68,356. **State rank:** 777. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.7%; 2000-2005 +14.8%. **Pop 2005:** 60,658 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,473; median household $50,757; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,792 - $31,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cabot (23,776).

**MADISON COUNTY**
1 Main St
Huntsville, AR 72740
**Ph:** 501-738-6721
**Fax:** 501-738-2735

In northwestern AR, east of Fayetteville; organized Sep 30, 1836 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 834.51 (land 834.26; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,717. **State rank:** 2047. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,962 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,611; median household $36,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,897 - $22,762.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARION COUNTY**
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On north-central border of AR; organized Nov 3, 1835 (prior to statehood) from Izard County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 639.66 (land 597.01; water 42.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,653. **State rank:** 1990. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,735 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,532; median household $34,109; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,070 - $26,255.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MILLER COUNTY**
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On southwestern corner of AR; organized Apr 1, 1820 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Miller (1776-1851), first territorial governor of AR (1819-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 639.08 (land 625.58; water 13.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.5.

**Pop 2010:** 43,462. **State rank:** 1082. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 43,162 (White 71.6%; Black or African American 24.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,654; median household $40,307; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,351 - $32,081.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Texarkana 🏛 (29,919).

**MISSISSIPPI COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 870-838-7784

On the northeastern border of AR, north of Memphis, TN; organized Nov 1, 1883 from Crittenden County. **Name Origin:** For the Mississippi River, which forms its eastern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 922.05 (land 900.57; water 21.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,480. **State rank:** 1013. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 47,911 (White 61.6%; Black or African American 34.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,736; median household $33,407; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,093 - $28,212.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Blytheville 🏛 (15,620).

**MONROE COUNTY**
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In east-central AR, east of Little Rock; organized Nov 2, 1829 from Phillips and Arkansas counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 621.88 (land 607.12; water 14.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,149. **State rank:** 2574. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.4%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,302 (White 56.3%; Black or African

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American 40.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,084; median household $29,964; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,843 - $30,829.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Mount Ida, AR 71957-7071
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In west-central AR, west of Hot Springs; organized Dec 9, 1842 from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 799.24 (land 779.88; water 19.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.2.

**Pop 2010:** 9,487. **State rank:** 2508. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,274 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,010; median household $35,705; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,804 - $23,936.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEVADA COUNTY**
215 E 2nd St PO Box 621
Prescott, AR 71857
**Ph:** 870-887-2710
**Fax:** 870-887-5795

In southwestern AR, northeast of Texarkana; organized Mar 20, 1871 from Hempstead County. **Name Origin:** In reference to the state of Nevada. Possibly because the outline of the county, viewed upside down, roughly resembles that of Nevada.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.67 (land 617.84; water 0.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,997. **State rank:** 2496. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.8%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,550 (White 65.9%; Black or African American 30.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,020; median household $38,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,992 - $28,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEWTON COUNTY**
PO Box 410 100 East Ct St
Jasper, AR 72641
**Ph:** 870-446-5125
**Fax:** 870-446-5775

In northwest-central AR, east of Fayetteville; organized Dec 14, 1842 from Carroll County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Willoughby Newton (1804-53), AR legislator and U.S. representative.

**Area (sq mi):** 821.11 (land 820.90; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,330. **State rank:** 2573. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 8,452 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,904; median household $27,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,755 - $24,181.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OUACHITA COUNTY**
PO Box 644
Camden, AR 71711
www.arcounties.org/counties
**Ph:** 870-837-2210
**Fax:** 870-837-2218

In south-central AR; organized Nov 29, 1842 from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For the Ouachita River, which runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 739.96 (land 732.78; water 7.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,120. **State rank:** 1579. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 27,102 (White 57.0%; Black or African American 40.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,244; median household $31,259; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,945 - $29,799.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Camden (12,183).

**PERRY COUNTY**
310 W Main St, Suite 109
Perryville, AR 72126
**Ph:** 501-889-5126
**Fax:** 501-889-5759

In central AR, northwest of Little Rock; organized Dec 18, 1840 from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 560.93 (land 551.40; water 9.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,445. **State rank:** 2403. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,468 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,844; median household $43,635; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,451 - $30,472.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**PHILLIPS COUNTY**
620 Cherry St, Suite 202 County Courthouse **Ph:** 870-338-5505
Helena, AR 72342 **Fax:** 870-338-5509
www.phillipscountychamber.org

On central-eastern border of AR; organized May 1, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Sylvanus Phillips (1766-1830), who explored the area along the Arkansas River in the 1790s.

**Area (sq mi):** 730.28 (land 695.66; water 34.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,757. **State rank:** 1769. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.7%; 2000-2005 -8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 24,107 (White 35.0%; Black or African American 63.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,244; median household $27,361; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,733 - $30,511.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Helena-West Helena (12,282).

**PIKE COUNTY**
225 S Washington **Ph:** 870-285-2231
Murfreesboro, AR 71958 **Fax:** 870-285-3281

In southwestern AR, southwest of Hot Springs; organized Nov 1, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Carroll and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 611.49 (land 600.62; water 10.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.8.

**Pop 2010:** 11,291. **State rank:** 2381. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,038 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,122; median household $32,806; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,351 - $28,714.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POINSETT COUNTY**
401 Market St **Ph:** 870-578-5333
Harrisburg, AR 72432 **Fax:** 870-578-4401
www.poinsettcounty.us

In northeastern AR, northwest of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 28, 1838 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For Joel Roberts Poinsett (1779-1851), SC statesman and secretary of war (1837-41). He introduced the cultivation of the poinsettia flower to the U.S., having imported it from Mexico after he was a U.S. minister there (1825-29).

**Area (sq mi):** 764.04 (land 758.39; water 5.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.4.

**Pop 2010:** 24,583. **State rank:** 1603. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 25,349 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,625; median household $32,267; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,807 - $29,166.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POLK COUNTY**
507 Church Ave **Ph:** 479-394-8123
Mena, AR 71953 **Fax:** 479-394-8115

On western border of AR; organized Nov 30, 1844 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 860.72 (land 857.68; water 3.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,662. **State rank:** 1804. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 20,176 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.8%, including 1.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,913; median household $32,525; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,687 - $24,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POPE COUNTY**
102 W Main St, Suite 6 **Ph:** 479-968-6064
Russellville, AR 72801 **Fax:** 479-967-2291
www.popecountyar.com

In northwest-central AR, east of Fort Smith; organized Nov 2, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For John Pope (1770-1845), KY legislator and governor of Arkansas Territory (1829-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 831.44 (land 812.55; water 18.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.

**Pop 2010:** 61,754. **State rank:** 846. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 56,580 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.7%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,693; median household $39,841; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,253 - $28,234.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Russellville 🏛 (27,920).

**PRAIRIE COUNTY**
200 Courthouse Square, Suite 104 PO Box 1011 **Ph:** 870-256-4434
Des Arc, AR 72040

In east-central AR, east of Little Rock; organized Nov 25, 1846 from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For its open countryside.

**Area (sq mi):** 677.79 (land 647.96; water 29.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,715. **State rank:** 2543. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,113 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 12.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%.

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**Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,134; median household $35,346; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,633 - $30,997.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PULASKI COUNTY

401 W Markham St, Suite 100 PO Box 2659 **Ph:** 501-340-8500
Little Rock, AR 72201 **Fax:** 501-340-8340
www.co.pulaski.ar.us

In central AR; organized Dec 15, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Arkansas County. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), a Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 796.78 (land 759.76; water 37.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 503.8.

**Pop 2010:** 382,748. **State rank:** 172. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 366,463 (White 57.5%; Black or African American 35.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,158; median household $45,121; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,292 - $42,848.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Little Rock (193,524); North Little Rock (62,304); Sherwood (29,523); Jacksonville (28,364); Maumelle (17,163).

### RANDOLPH COUNTY

107 W Broadway **Ph:** 870-892-5264
Pocahontas, AR 72455 **Fax:** 870-892-2269
www.local.arkansas.gov/local.php?agency=Randolph20County

On northern border; organized Oct 29, 1835 (prior to statehood) from Lawrence County. **Name Origin:** For John Randolph (1773-1833), U.S. congressman from VA during the years 1799-1827, and U.S. minister to Russia (1830).

**Area (sq mi):** 656.40 (land 652.19; water 4.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,969. **State rank:** 1913. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,465 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,751; median household $30,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,306 - $26,885.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT FRANCIS COUNTY

PO Box 1653 **Ph:** 870-261-1725
Forrest City, AR 72336-6165 **Fax:** 870-630-1210

In eastern AR, west of Memphis, TN; organized Oct 13, 1827 (prior to statehood) from Phillips County. **Name Origin:** For the Saint Francis River, which bisects the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 643.33 (land 634.77; water 8.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.5.

**Pop 2010:** 28,258. **State rank:** 1542. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 27,902 (White 44.2%; Black or African American 51.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,693; median household $27,019; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,628 - $25,403.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Forrest City (15,371).

### SALINE COUNTY

215 N Main St **Ph:** 501-303-5630
Benton, AR 72015 **Fax:** 501-776-2412
www.salinecounty.org

In central AR, west of Little Rock; organized Nov 2, 1835 (prior to statehood) from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For the Saline River, which has its source within the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 730.60 (land 723.60; water 7). **Pop per sq mi:** 148.

**Pop 2010:** 107,118. **State rank:** 579. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.5%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 91,188 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,584; median household $51,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,110 - $36,901.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Benton (30,681); Bryant (16,688).

### SCOTT COUNTY

190 W 1st St PO Box 2165 **Ph:** 479-637-2642
Waldron, AR 72958 **Fax:** 479-637-0124
www.argenweb.net/scott

On central-western border of AR; organized Nov 5, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Crawford and Pope counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Scott, superior court justice for the Arkansas Territory (1819-21).

**Area (sq mi):** 896.53 (land 892.32; water 4.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,233. **State rank:** 2343. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,150 (White 88.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 3.4%; Others 7.0%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,668; median household $36,417; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,982 - $23,568.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEARCY COUNTY**
PO Box 998
Marshall, AR 72650
www.searcycountyarkansas.org
**Ph:** 870-448-3807
**Fax:** 870-448-5005

In north-central AR; first established Nov 3, 1835; name changed to Marion in 1836, then in 1838 a new Searcy County was formed from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For Richard Searcy (1796-1832), lawyer, jurist, and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 667.46 (land 666.10; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,195. **State rank:** 2593. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 7,969 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.5%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,298; median household $28,811; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,261 - $25,245.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEBASTIAN COUNTY**
35 S 6th St, Rm 102
Fort Smith, AR 72901
www.sebastiancountyonline.com
**Ph:** 479-782-5065
**Fax:** 479-784-1567

On western border of AR; organized Jan 6, 1851 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For William King Sebastian (1812-65), jurist and U.S. senator from AR (1846-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 541.70 (land 531.91; water 9.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 236.4.

**Pop 2010:** 125,744. **State rank:** 484. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 118,750 (White 76.6%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 4.1%; Others 12.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,284; median household $39,482; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,474 - $38,028.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Smith 🏛 (86,209).

**SEVIER COUNTY**
County Courthouse 115 N 3rd St Rm 102
De Queen, AR 71832
www.seviercountyar.com
**Ph:** 870-642-2852
**Fax:** 870-642-3896

On southwestern border of AR; organized Oct 17, 1828 (prior to statehood) from Hempstead County. **Name Origin:** For Ambrose Hundley Sevier (1801-48), territorial legislator (1823-27) and delegate to U.S. Congress (1828-36), later U.S. senator from AR (1836-48), and minister to Mexico (1848).

**Area (sq mi):** 582.54 (land 565.13; water 17.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,058. **State rank:** 1967. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,456 (White 70.0%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 30.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 30.6%, including 2.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.9%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,590; median household $34,383; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,707 - $23,434.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHARP COUNTY**
PO Box 307
Ash Flat, AR 72513-3030
www.sharpcounty.org
**Ph:** 870-994-7361
**Fax:** 870-994-7712

In northeast-central AR; organized Jul 18, 1868 from Izard County. **Name Origin:** For Ephraim Sharp, AR state legislator for the district when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 606.43 (land 604.44; water 1.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,264. **State rank:** 1932. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,397 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,570; median household $31,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,304 - $24,972.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STONE COUNTY**
107 W Main St, Suite C
Mountain View, AR 72560
**Ph:** 870-269-3351
**Fax:** 870-269-3176

In north-central AR; organized Apr 21, 1873 from Izard and Independence counties. **Name Origin:** For natural stone formations in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 609.25 (land 606.41; water 2.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,394. **State rank:** 2293. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,716 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,090; median household $30,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,591 - $26,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
101 N Washington, Suite 102
El Dorado, AR 71730
unioncountyar.com
**Ph:** 870-864-1910
**Fax:** 870-864-1927

On central-southern border of AR; organized Nov 2, 1829 (prior to

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## Union County (cont'd)

statehood) from Hempstead and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For a group of citizens who had presented petitions to the legislature in a spirit of Union and Unity.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,055.58 (land 1,039.21; water 16.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.1.

**Pop 2010:** 41,639. **State rank:** 1096. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.8%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 44,186 (White 63.1%; Black or African American 33.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,447; median household $36,464; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,898 - $40,933.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** El Dorado (18,884).

**VAN BUREN COUNTY**
451 Main St Suite 2
Clinton, AR 72031
www.vanburencountyar.com
**Ph:** 501-745-4140
**Fax:** 501-745-7400

In north-central AR; organized Nov 11, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Independence County. **Name Origin:** For Martin Van Buren (1782-1862), eighth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 720.95 (land 708.14; water 12.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,295. **State rank:** 2002. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,529 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,999; median household $31,960; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,410 - $27,377.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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Fayetteville, AR 72701
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On northwestern border of AR; organized Oct 17, 1828 (prior to statehood) from the eastern portion of former Lovely County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 948.26 (land 941.97; water 6.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 215.6.

**Pop 2010:** 203,065. **State rank:** 306. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.6%; 2000-2005 +14.4%. **Pop 2005:** 180,357 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 15.5%; Asian 2.2%; Others 15.5%, including 2.0% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.9%. **Median age:** 30.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,421; median household $42,303; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,891 - $32,309.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fayetteville (73,580); Springdale (69,797).

**WHITE COUNTY**
300 N Spruce St
Searcy, AR 72143
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**Ph:** 501-279-6204
**Fax:** 501-279-6260

In central AR, northeast of Little Rock; organized Oct 23, 1835 (prior to statehood) from Pulaski, Jackson, and Independence counties. **Name Origin:** For Hugh Lawson White (1773-1840), TN legislator and U.S. senator (1825-40); candidate for U.S. president in 1836.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,043.41 (land 1,035.08; water 8.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.5.

**Pop 2010:** 77,076. **State rank:** 705. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 71,332 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,900; median household $39,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,091 - $28,798.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Searcy (22,858); Mountain Home (12,448).

**WOODRUFF COUNTY**
Woodruff County Courthouse 500 N 3rd St
Augusta, AR 72006
**Ph:** 870-347-2871
**Fax:** 870-347-2608

In east-central AR, west of Memphis, TN; organized Nov 26, 1862 from White County. **Name Origin:** For William Edward Woodruff (1795-1885), publisher who established the *Arkansas Gazette*, the state's first newspaper.

**Area (sq mi):** 594.28 (land 586.79; water 7.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,260. **State rank:** 2633. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.3%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,098 (White 69.9%; Black or African American 27.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,344; median household $27,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,401 - $29,508.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YELL COUNTY**
PO Box 219
Danville, AR 72833
yellcounty.net
**Ph:** 479-495-4850
**Fax:** 479-495-4875

In west-central AR, northwest of Hot Springs; organized Dec 5, 1840 from Pope County. **Name Origin:** For Archibald Yell (1797-1847), U.S. representative from AR (1836-39) and governor (1840-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 950.93 (land 929.98; water 20.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,185. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Yell County (cont'd)

**Pop 2005:** 21,391 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 19.1%; Asian 1.3%; Others 19.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,345; median household $36,606; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,356 - $25,845.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Area (sq mi):** 163,695.57 (land 155,959.34; water 7,736.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 239.1.

**Pop 2010:** 37,253,956. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 36,132,147 (White 57.6%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 37.6%; Asian 13%; Others 37.6%, including 1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,104; median household $60,883; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.70%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,211 - $42,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

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**ALAMEDA COUNTY**
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Oakland, CA 94612 **Fax:** 510-272-3784
www.acgov.org

Along San Francisco Bay E of San Francisco; organized in Mar 25, 1853 from Contra Costa and Santa Clara counties. **Name Origin:** From Spanish grove of popular trees.

**Area (sq mi):** 822.59 (land 739.02; water 83.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 2043.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,510,271. **State rank:** 24. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,448,905 (White 43.0%; Black or African American 12.6%; Hispanic or Latino 22.5%; Asian 26.1%; Others 22.5%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.8%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,961; median household $69,384; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,387 - $48,087.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 20 (see page 31 for cities).

**ALPINE COUNTY**
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Markleeville, CA 96120 **Fax:** 530-694-2491
www.alpinecountyca.gov

In NE CA on Nevada border, S of Lake Tahoe and N of Yosemite; organized Mar 16, 1864 from Calaveras, Amador, El Dorado, and Mono counties. **Name Origin:** For the mountainous terrain of the Sierra Nevada.

**Area (sq mi):** 742.90 (land 738.33; water 4.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,175. **State rank:** 3106. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,159 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.1%, including 20.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,159; median household $63,478; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,072 - $43,041.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AMADOR COUNTY**
810 Court St **Ph:** 209-223-6470
Jackson, CA 95642 **Fax:** 209-257-0619
www.co.amador.ca.us

In NE CA, due E of Sacramento; organized May 11, 1854 from Calaveras County. **Name Origin:** For Jose Maria Amador, a construction foreman at the San Jose Mission, miner, and early landowner.

**Area (sq mi):** 606.31 (land 594.58; water 11.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 64.1.

**Pop 2010:** 38,091. **State rank:** 1213. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 38,471 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 12.5%; Asian 1.1%; Others 12.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,329; median household $54,758; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,154 - $35,327.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTTE COUNTY**
25 County Center Dr **Ph:** 530-538-7631
Oroville, CA 95965 **Fax:** 530-538-7120
www.buttecounty.net

In north central CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Sutter Buttes of the Sacramento Valley, or the Butte River, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,674.08 (land 1,636.46; water 37.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 134.4.

**Pop 2010:** 220,000. **State rank:** 284. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 214,185 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 14.1%; Asian 4.1%; Others 14.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

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## Butte County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,404; median household $43,170; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,611 - $32,526.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chico (86,187); Paradise (26,218); Oroville (15,546); Magalia (11,310).

**CALAVERAS COUNTY**
891 Mountain Ranch Rd
San Andreas, CA 95249
www.co.calaveras.ca.us
**Ph:** 209-754-6370
**Fax:** 209-754-6733

In NE CA, SE of Sacramento; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Calaveras River, which flows through the county, from the Spanish 'skulls,' so named because skulls were found on the river's banks in the 1830s.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,036.82 (land 1,020.01; water 16.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.7.

**Pop 2010:** 45,578. **State rank:** 1009. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +15.6%. **Pop 2005:** 46,871 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.3%; Asian 1.3%; Others 10.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,408; median household $54,971; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,504 - $34,986.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLUSA COUNTY**
546 Jay St, Suite 202
Colusa, CA 95932
www.countyofcolusa.org
**Ph:** 530-458-0400
**Fax:** 530-458-0402

In N CA, NW of Sacramento; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From the name of a former village of the Patwin Indians; earlier spelled *Colusi*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,156.27 (land 1,150.73; water 5.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.6.

**Pop 2010:** 21,419. **State rank:** 1744. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,095 (White 64.7%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 55.1%; Asian 1.3%; Others 55.1%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 25.3%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,317; median household $48,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,583 - $45,049.

**Unemployment 2010:** 20.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**
651 Pine St 3rd Fl
Martinez, CA 94553
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**Fax:** 925-335-1098

On San Pablo Bay, E of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From Spanish 'opposite coast' designating the coast opposite Marin County, north of San Francisco.

**Area (sq mi):** 798.14 (land 715.94; water 82.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 1465.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,049,025. **State rank:** 36. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,017,787 (White 58.6%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 24.4%; Asian 14.4%; Others 24.4%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.6%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,818; median household $78,385; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $57,518 - $55,465.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 25 (see page 31 for cities).

**DEL NORTE COUNTY**
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Crescent City, CA 95531
www.co.del-norte.ca.us
**Ph:** 707-464-7283
**Fax:** 707-464-7247

In NW corner of CA; organized Mar 2, 1857 from Klamath County. **Name Origin:** Spanish of the North, for the county's position in the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,228.31 (land 1,006.37; water 221.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.4.

**Pop 2010:** 28,610. **State rank:** 1448. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,705 (White 73.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 17.8%; Asian 3.4%; Others 17.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,974; median household $36,118; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,429 - $26,937.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EL DORADO COUNTY**
360 Fair Ln Bldg B
Placerville, CA 95667
www.co.el-dorado.ca.us
**Ph:** 530-621-5490
**Fax:** 530-621-2147

In NE CA, E of Sacramento; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From Spanish 'the gilded' or 'the golden,' originally applied to a legendary chief and city sought by the early Spanish explorers; here the name refers to gold discovered in the area in 1848.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,785.13 (land 1,707.88; water 77.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.

**Pop 2010:** 181,058. **State rank:** 343. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +13.1%. **Pop 2005:** 176,841 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 3.5%; Others 12.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## El Dorado County (cont'd)

**born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,393; median household $70,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,442 - $48,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 31 for cities).

### FRESNO COUNTY

2281 Tulare St, Suite 304
Fresno, CA 93721
www.co.fresno.ca.us

**Ph:** 559-488-1710
**Fax:** 559-488-1830

In central CA; organized Apr 19, 1856 from Mariposa and Merced counties. **Name Origin:** From the Spanish 'ash (tree)'; name originally applied to the river, for the ash trees that grew near it.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,012.69 (land 5,957.99; water 54.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 156.2.

**Pop 2010:** 930,450. **State rank:** 48. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 877,584 (White 55.4%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 50.3%; Asian 9.6%; Others 50.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.7%. **Median age:** 30.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,329; median household $46,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,329 - $30,905.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.8%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 32 for cities).

### GLENN COUNTY

526 W Sycamore St Suite B1
Willows, CA 95988
www.countyofglenn.net

**Ph:** 530-934-6400
**Fax:** 530-934-6419

In NW CA; organized Mar 11, 1891 from Colusa County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Hugh James Glenn (1824-83), the most important wheat grower in California during the latter half of the 1800s.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,326.31 (land 1,313.95; water 12.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 28,122. **State rank:** 1474. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 27,759 (White 71.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 37.5%; Asian 2.6%; Others 37.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.7%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,987; median household $43,074; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,202 - $33,166.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HUMBOLDT COUNTY

825 5th St
Eureka, CA 95501
www.co.humboldt.ca.us

**Ph:** 707-445-7256

On NW coast of CA; organized Mar 12, 1853 from Trinity County, and in 1874 annexed part of Klamath County. **Name Origin:** For Humboldt Bay, which was named for German naturalist and traveler, [Friedrich Heinrich] Alexander von Humboldt (1769-1859).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,047.73 (land 3,567.99; water 479.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 134,623. **State rank:** 468. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 128,376 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 9.8%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,025; median household $40,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,323 - $32,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 32 for cities).

### IMPERIAL COUNTY

940 W Main St Suite 202
El Centro, CA 92243
www.co.imperial.ca.us

**Ph:** 760-482-4427
**Fax:** 760-482-4271

In SE CA on border with Baja California; organized Aug 7, 1907 from San Diego County. **Name Origin:** For the Imperial Valley, itself named for the Imperial Land Company that was organized to colonize the southern Colorado Desert.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,483.60 (land 4,176.60; water 307). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.8.

**Pop 2010:** 174,528. **State rank:** 365. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 155,823 (White 58.8%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 80.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 80.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 31.9%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,395; median household $38,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,055 - $27,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 29.7%. **Change from 2007:** +11.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** El Centro 🏛 (42,598); Calexico (38,572); Brawley (24,953); Imperial (14,758).

### INYO COUNTY

224 N Edwards St
Independence, CA 93526
www.countyofinyo.org

**Ph:** 760-878-0292
**Fax:** 760-878-2241

On E border of CA, E of Fresno; organized Mar 22, 1866 from Tulare County. **Name Origin:** For the Inyo Mountains, from an Indian name said to mean 'where the great spirit dwells.'

**Area (sq mi):** 10,204.76 (land 10,180.88; water 23.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,546. **State rank:** 1949. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,156 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 19.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 19.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

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## Inyo County (cont'd)

**born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,762; median household $44,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,596 - $37,124.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KERN COUNTY**
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Bakersfield, CA 93301
www.co.kern.ca.us
**Ph:** 661-868-3155
**Fax:** 661-868-3190

In SW CA, N of Los Angeles; organized Apr 2, 1866 from Los Angeles and Tulare counties. **Name Origin:** For the Kern River, which was named in 1845 by explorer John C. Fremont (1813-90) for Edward M. Kern, the topographer and artist for the expedition.

**Area (sq mi):** 8,152.38 (land 8,131.92; water 20.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.3.

**Pop 2010:** 839,631. **State rank:** 65. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +14.4%. **Pop 2005:** 756,825 (White 59.5%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 49.2%; Asian 4.2%; Others 49.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.5%. **Median age:** 30.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,100; median household $47,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,732 - $29,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 15 (see page 32 for cities).

**KINGS COUNTY**
1400 W Lacey Blvd
Hanford, CA 93230
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**Fax:** 559-582-6639

In central CA, S of Fresno; organized Mar 22, 1893 from Tulare County. **Name Origin:** For the Kings River, which flows through the county, itself from Spanish *Rio de los Santos Reyes* River of the Holy Kings, for the Biblical figures known in English as the Three Wise Men or Magi; river discovered on Jan 6, 1806, their feast day.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,389.92 (land 1,389.42; water 0.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 110.1.

**Pop 2010:** 152,982. **State rank:** 416. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 143,420 (White 54.3%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 50.9%; Asian 3.7%; Others 50.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.5%. **Median age:** 31.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,875; median household $48,684; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,265 - $26,575.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hanford 🏛 (53,967); Corcoran (24,813); Lemoore (24,531); Avenal (15,505).

**LAKE COUNTY**
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Lakeport, CA 95453
www.co.lake.ca.us
**Ph:** 707-263-2371
**Fax:** 707-263-2207

In NW CA, N of San Francisco; organized May 20, 1861 from Napa County. **Name Origin:** For Clear Lake, the principal feature of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,327.98 (land 1,256.46; water 71.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.5.

**Pop 2010:** 64,665. **State rank:** 790. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 65,147 (White 80.5%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 17.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 17.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,531; median household $39,491; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,732 - $32,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clearlake (15,250).

**LASSEN COUNTY**
220 S Lassen St, Suite 5
Susanville, CA 96130
www.co.lassen.ca.us
**Ph:** 530-251-8217
**Fax:** 530-257-3480

In NE CA; organized Apr 1, 1864 from Plumas and Shasta counties. **Name Origin:** For Peter Lassen (1793-1895), a Danish-born pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,704.28 (land 4,541.18; water 163.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,895. **State rank:** 1302. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 34,751 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 17.5%; Asian 1.0%; Others 17.5%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,756; median household $50,317; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,941 - $27,603.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Susanville 🏛 (17,947).

**LOS ANGELES COUNTY**
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Los Angeles, CA 90012
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**Ph:** 213-974-1311
**Fax:** 213-680-1122

On SW coast of CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,749.33 (land 4,057.88; water 691.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 2419.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,818,605. **State rank:** 1. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,935,475 (White 50.3%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 47.7%; Asian 13.7%; Others 47.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 35.6%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,344; median household $55,476; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,273 - $41,791.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 101 (see page 32 for cities).

### MADERA COUNTY

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Madera, CA 93637
www.madera-county.com

**Ph:** 559-675-7703
**Fax:** 559-673-3302

In central CA, N of Fresno; organized Mar 11, 1893 from Fresno County. **Name Origin:** Spanish for 'lumber' because the town around which the county developed was a lumbering center.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,154.53 (land 2,137.07; water 17.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.6.

**Pop 2010:** 150,865. **State rank:** 417. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +16.0%. **Pop 2005:** 142,788 (White 62.6%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 53.7%; Asian 1.9%; Others 53.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.6%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,724; median household $46,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,452 - $25,761.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Madera 🏛 (61,416); Chowchilla (18,720); Bonita (12,538).

### MARIN COUNTY

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San Rafael, CA 94903-3411
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**Ph:** 415-499-6407

Located on N coast of California, N of San Francisco; organized in 1850. **Name Origin:** Two main theories: 1) From the old Spanish name of San Rafael Bay, *Bahia de Nuestra Senora del Rosario la Marinera*, 'Bay of Our Lady of the Rosary, Mariner's Patron'; this name was given in 1775 by the surveyor Ayala. 2) For the name of a mythical Indian leader, transliterated to Marin; also applied to the islands in San Rafael Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 828.70 (land 520.31; water 308.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 485.1.

**Pop 2010:** 252,409. **State rank:** 255. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 246,960 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 15.5%; Asian 5.5%; Others 15.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.8%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $53,940; median household $89,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $91,674 - $82,936.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 32 for cities).

### MARIPOSA COUNTY

5100 Bullion St
Mariposa, CA 95338
www.mariposacounty.org

**Ph:** 209-966-3222
**Fax:** 209-742-6860

In central CA, E of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Spanish 'butterfly,' a name originally applied to an area in the county in which butterflies were numerous.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,460.49 (land 1,448.82; water 11.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 18,251. **State rank:** 1921. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,069 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 9.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,064; median household $49,098; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,434 - $33,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hayward (144,186).

### MENDOCINO COUNTY

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Ukiah, CA 95482
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**Ph:** 707-463-4376
**Fax:** 707-463-4257

On N coast of California; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Cabo (Cape) Mendocino, which early records indicate was named for Antonio de Mendoza (c. 1485-1552), viceroy of New Spain in 1542, or Lorenzo Suarez de Mendoza, viceroy of New Spain (1580-83). Name merely means someone from Mendoza.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,875.51 (land 3,506.34; water 369.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.1.

**Pop 2010:** 87,841. **State rank:** 651. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 88,161 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 22.2%; Asian 1.7%; Others 22.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.6%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,357; median household $43,759; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,558 - $35,476.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ukiah 🏛 (16,075); Alpine (14,236).

### MERCED COUNTY

2222 M St
Merced, CA 95340
www.co.merced.ca.us

**Ph:** 209-385-7434

In central CA, SE of San Francisco; organized Apr 19, 1855 from Mariposa County. **Name Origin:** Spanish 'mercy', from the original Spanish name of Lake Merced, *Nuestra Senora de la Merced* 'Our Lady of Mercy.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,978.15 (land 1,934.97; water 43.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.2.

**Pop 2010:** 255,793. **State rank:** 259. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +14.8%. **Pop 2005:** 241,706 (White 58.0%; Black or African

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## Merced County (cont'd)

American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 54.9%; Asian 7.4%; Others 54.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 24.8%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,041; median household $43,844; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,590 - $27,329.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.9%. **Change from 2007:** +8.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 32 for cities).

**MODOC COUNTY**
202 West 4th St
Alturas, CA 96101
www.modoccounty.us
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**Fax:** 530-233-2434

In NE CA; organized Feb 17, 1874 from Siskiyou County. **Name Origin:** For the Modoc Indian tribe, who had been subdued in the Modoc War of 1872-73. The name, derived from *moatokni*, means 'southerners.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,177.05 (land 3,917.77; water 259.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,686. **State rank:** 2501. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,524 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 13.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 13.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,536; median household $34,588; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,586 - $33,877.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONO COUNTY**
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Bridgeport, CA 93517
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**Ph:** 760-932-5530
**Fax:** 760-932-5531

On W central border of CA and NV; organized Apr 24, 1861 from Calaveras and Fresno counties. **Name Origin:** For Mono Lake; the lake's name is probably a Spanish-influenced shortened form of a Shoshonean tribal name, *monache* or *monachi* 'fly people'; their staple food was the pupae of a fly.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,136.38 (land 3,048.98; water 87.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,202. **State rank:** 2238. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 12,509 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 26.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 26.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.4%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,321; median household $55,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,464 - $39,247.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTEREY COUNTY**
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www.co.monterey.ca.us
**Ph:** 831-755-5115
**Fax:** 831-757-5792

On central coast of CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Monterey Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,729.72 (land 3,280.60; water 449.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.5.

**Pop 2010:** 415,057. **State rank:** 161. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 412,104 (White 55.6%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 55.4%; Asian 6.1%; Others 55.4%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.1%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,776; median household $59,271; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,284 - $40,754.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 32 for cities).

**NAPA COUNTY**
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Napa, CA 94559
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**Fax:** 707-253-4176

In NW CA, N of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). World-famous wine-making area. **Name Origin:** For the valley, whose name is possibly that of an Indian tribe that formerly inhabited the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 782.89 (land 748.36; water 34.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 182.4.

**Pop 2010:** 136,484. **State rank:** 449. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 132,764 (White 71.5%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 32.2%; Asian 6.8%; Others 32.2%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.5%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,310; median household $67,389; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,801 - $49,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Napa 🏛 (76,915); American Canyon (19,454).

**NEVADA COUNTY**
201 Church St, Suite 5
Nevada City, CA 95959
www.co.nevada.ca.us
**Ph:** 530-265-1293

On NE border of CA and NV; organized Apr 25, 1851 from Yuba County. **Name Origin:** For Nevada City, named for the Sierra Nevada range, from the Spanish words meaning snow-covered mountain range.

**Area (sq mi):** 974.65 (land 957.77; water 16.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.1.

**Pop 2010:** 98,764. **State rank:** 590. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 98,394 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 8.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,727; median household $57,121; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Nevada County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,603 - $43,119.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Truckee (16,180); Grass Valley (12,860).

### ORANGE COUNTY

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Santa Ana, CA 92702
www.oc.ca.gov

**Ph:** 714-834-2500
**Fax:** 714-834-2675

On SW coast of CA, S of Los Angeles; organized Mar 11, 1889 from Los Angeles County. **Name Origin:** For local orange groves.

**Area (sq mi):** 949.14 (land 790.57; water 158.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 3807.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,010,232. **State rank:** 6. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,988,072 (White 60.8%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 33.7%; Asian 17.9%; Others 33.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.5%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,017; median household $74,344; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,342 - $49,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 37 (see page 32 for cities).

### PLACER COUNTY

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Auburn, CA 95603
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**Ph:** 530-886-5600
**Fax:** 530-886-5687

On NE border of CA and NV; county organized 1851 from Yuba and Sutter counties. **Name Origin:** For the many placer deposits in the county's territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,505.42 (land 1,407.01; water 98.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 247.6.

**Pop 2010:** 348,432. **State rank:** 187. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.9%; 2000-2005 +27.6%. **Pop 2005:** 317,028 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.8%; Asian 5.9%; Others 12.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,680; median household $74,447; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,229 - $47,012.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 33 for cities).

### PLUMAS COUNTY

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Quincy, CA 95971
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**Fax:** 530-283-6415

On NE border of CA and NV; organized Mar 18, 1854, from Butte County. **Name Origin:** Spanish 'feathers,' for the Feather River, once known as *Rio de las Plumas*. Named by John A. Sutter, first settler in the Sacramento Valley, for the quantities of feathers found all around it with which the Indians decorated themselves and made blankets.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,612.82 (land 2,553.04; water 59.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 20,007. **State rank:** 1811. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.8%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 21,477 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 49.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,732; median household $44,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,385 - $38,802.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.8%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RIVERSIDE COUNTY

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Riverside, CA 92501
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**Fax:** 951-955-1105

In S CA; organized Mar 11, 1893, from San Bernardino and San Diego counties. **Name Origin:** For the city.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,302.24 (land 7,206.48; water 95.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 303.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,189,641. **State rank:** 11. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 +26.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,946,419 (White 61.0%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 45.5%; Asian 6.0%; Others 45.5%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.4%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,431; median household $57,768; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,720 - $29,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 35 (see page 33 for cities).

### SACRAMENTO COUNTY

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In N central CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Sacramento River.

**Area (sq mi):** 994.47 (land 964.64; water 29.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 1470.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,418,788. **State rank:** 25. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +11.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,363,482 (White 57.5%; Black or African American 10.4%; Hispanic or Latino 21.6%; Asian 14.3%; Others 21.6%, including 1.0% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.6%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,953; median household $56,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,064 - $37,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 22 (see page 33 for cities).

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In W central CA, east of Monterey; organized Feb 12, 1874 from Monterey County. **Name Origin:** For San Benito, 'Saint Benedict,' the original name of San Juan Creek.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,390.39 (land 1,388.71; water 1.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.8.

**Pop 2010:** 55,269. **State rank:** 899. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 55,936 (White 63.7%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 56.4%; Asian 2.6%; Others 56.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.3%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,508; median household $65,771; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,429 - $35,451.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.6%. **Change from 2007:** +10.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hollister (34,928).

**SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY**
222 W Hospitality Ln
San Bernardino, CA 92415
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**Fax:** 909-376-8940

In SE CA, east of Los Angeles; organized in 1853 from Los Angeles County. Largest county in the U.S. in land area, 20,105 sq. mi. **Name Origin:** Named for the city, Spanish 'Saint Bernard [of Siena].'

**Area (sq mi):** 20,109.76 (land 20,056.94; water 52.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,035,210. **State rank:** 12. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +14.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,963,535 (White 56.7%; Black or African American 8.9%; Hispanic or Latino 49.2%; Asian 6.3%; Others 49.2%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.6%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,867; median household $55,845; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,765 - $29,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 30 (see page 33 for cities).

**SAN DIEGO COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 619-557-4155

In SW CA on border with Baja California; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the bay, named for San Diego de Alcala de Henares (Saint Didacus), Spanish Franciscan saint of the 15th century.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,532.25 (land 4,206.63; water 325.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 735.8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,095,313. **State rank:** 5. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 2,933,462 (White 64.0%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 32.0%; Asian 10.9%; Others 32.0%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.1%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,715; median household $63,069; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,768 - $45,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 30 (see page 33 for cities).

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On N coast of CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the bay, named for Saint Francis of Assisi ( 1181-1226).

**Area (sq mi):** 232.09 (land 46.87; water 185.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 17179.1.

**Pop 2010:** 805,235. **State rank:** 63. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 739,426 (White 48.5%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 33.3%; Others 15.1%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 35.6%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $45,478; median household $71,304; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $72,311 - $70,190.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** San Francisco (805,235).

**SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY**
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In N central CA, E of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the river, named for Saint Joachim, father of the Virgin Mary.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,418.29 (land 1,391.32; water 26.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 492.6.

**Pop 2010:** 685,306. **State rank:** 89. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +17.8%. **Pop 2005:** 664,116 (White 51.0%; Black or African American 7.6%; Hispanic or Latino 38.9%; Asian 14.4%; Others 38.9%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.3%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,851; median household $54,341; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,012 - $30,732.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.3%. **Change from 2007:** +9.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 33 for cities).

**SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY**
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San Luis Obispo, CA 93408
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**Fax:** 805-781-1111

On central coast of CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the mission, named for Saint Louis, Bishop of Toulouse, son of King Charles II of Naples and Sicily.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## San Luis Obispo County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 3,609.79 (land 3,298.57; water 311.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.7.

**Pop 2010:** 269,637. **State rank:** 240. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 255,478 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 20.8%; Asian 3.2%; Others 20.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.0%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,790; median household $57,365; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,539 - $38,994.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 33 for cities).

### SAN MATEO COUNTY

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Redwood City, CA 94063-3166
www.co.sanmateo.ca.us

**Ph:** 650-363-4712
**Fax:** 650-363-4843

On N central coast of CA, S of San Francisco; organized Apr 19, 1856 from San Francisco County. **Name Origin:** For the creek, named for Saint Matthew the Apostle.

**Area (sq mi):** 740.36 (land 448.41; water 291.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 1602.2.

**Pop 2010:** 718,451. **State rank:** 82. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 699,610 (White 53.4%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 25.4%; Asian 24.8%; Others 25.4%, including 1.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 34.0%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,958; median household $85,648; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $72,941 - $67,964.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 33 for cities).

### SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

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On S coast of CA, northwest of Los Angeles; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the channel named for Saint Barbara.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,787.16 (land 2,735.09; water 1,052.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 155.

**Pop 2010:** 423,895. **State rank:** 164. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 400,762 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 42.9%; Asian 4.9%; Others 42.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.7%. **Median age:** 33.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,731; median household $60,078; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,883 - $43,872.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 34 for cities).

### SANTA CLARA COUNTY

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In W central CA, north of Monterey; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the river named for Saint Clare of Assisi.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,303.42 (land 1,290.10; water 13.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 1381.

**Pop 2010:** 1,781,642. **State rank:** 17. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,699,052 (White 47.0%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 26.9%; Asian 32.0%; Others 26.9%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 37.0%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,804; median household $86,850; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $60,456 - $58,018.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 34 for cities).

### SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

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Santa Cruz, CA 95060
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On S central coast of CA; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Spanish 'holy cross,' a common Spanish placename. Originally named *Branciforte* for the viceroy, but changed Apr 6, 1850.

**Area (sq mi):** 607.09 (land 445.17; water 161.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 589.4.

**Pop 2010:** 262,382. **State rank:** 250. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 249,666 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 32.0%; Asian 4.2%; Others 32.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.4%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,862; median household $65,253; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,692 - $47,409.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Santa Cruz 🏛 (59,946); Watsonville (51,199); Live Oak (17,158); Scotts Valley (11,580).

### SHASTA COUNTY

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Redding, CA 96001
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In N central CA, north of Chico; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Hokan linguistic stock; the original meaning is uncertain. Also spelled *Sasty, Sastise, Chasty, Chasta*.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,837.64 (land 3,775.40; water 62.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 177,223. **State rank:** 339. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 179,904 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 2.5%; Others 8.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander).

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## Shasta County (cont'd)

**Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,772; median household $43,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,975 - $35,048.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16%. **Change from 2007:** +8.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Redding (89,861); Shasta Lake (10,164).

### SIERRA COUNTY

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Downieville, CA 95936 **Fax:** 530-289-2830
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On NE border of CA with NV; organized Apr 16, 1852 from Yuba County. **Name Origin:** Spanish 'mountain range,' for its location in the northern part of the Sierra Nevada.

**Area (sq mi):** 961.80 (land 953.21; water 8.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,240. **State rank:** 2951. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,434 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 8.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 50.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,389; median household $52,950; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,737 - $33,230.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SISKIYOU COUNTY

201 4th St PO Box 750 **Ph:** 530-842-8005
Yreka, CA 96097 **Fax:** 530-842-8013
www.co.siskiyou.ca.us

In N central CA on OR border; organized Mar 22, 1852 from Klamath and Shasta counties, and in 1874 annexed part of Klamath County. Site of Mt. Shasta, 14,162 ft. **Name Origin:** Possibly Chinook from Cree for 'bob-tailed horse,' or French *six cailloux* 'six boulders.'

**Area (sq mi):** 6,338.57 (land 6,277.89; water 60.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.2.

**Pop 2010:** 44,900. **State rank:** 1059. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 45,259 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 10.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 10.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,179; median household $36,981; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,768 - $33,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SOLANO COUNTY

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Fairfield, CA 94533 **Fax:** 707-784-6311
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In N central CA, NE of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Saint Francis Solano and for Sem-yeto, a chief of the Soscol and Suisun Indians, who had accepted the Christian name of the saint at his baptism.

**Area (sq mi):** 899.25 (land 821.77; water 77.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 503.

**Pop 2010:** 413,344. **State rank:** 162. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 411,593 (White 51.0%; Black or African American 14.7%; Hispanic or Latino 24.0%; Asian 14.6%; Others 24.0%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.9%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,649; median household $68,409; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,291 - $37,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vallejo (115,942); Fairfield (105,321); Vacaville (92,428); Benicia (26,997); Dixon (18,351).

### SONOMA COUNTY

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Santa Rosa, CA 95403 **Fax:** 707-565-3778
www.sonoma-county.org

On NW coast of CA, north of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city, named for a Wintun Indian group that lived in the Sacramento Valley. The name means 'nose' but the reason in unknown; possibly referring to the shape of a peak. A fanciful interpretation is 'valley of the moon.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,768.20 (land 1,575.85; water 192.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 307.1.

**Pop 2010:** 483,878. **State rank:** 138. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 466,477 (White 76.8%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 24.9%; Asian 3.8%; Others 24.9%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.6%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,597; median household $63,274; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,206 - $44,186.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 34 for cities).

### STANISLAUS COUNTY

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Modesto, CA 95353 **Fax:** 209-525-5239
www.co.stanislaus.ca.us

In central CA, E of San Francisco; organized Apr 1, 1854, from Tuolumne County. **Name Origin:** For the Stanislaus River, the baptismal name of an Indian leader who fought bravely there. John C. Fremont (1813-90) used the anglicization of Spanish *Estanislao*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,515.71 (land 1,494.83; water 20.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 344.2.

**Pop 2010:** 514,453. **State rank:** 124. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +13.1%. **Pop 2005:** 505,505 (White 65.6%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 41.9%; Asian 5.1%; Others 41.9%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Stanislaus County (cont'd)

including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.4%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,064; median household $51,094; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,970 - $31,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 34 for cities).

### SUTTER COUNTY

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Yuba City, CA 95991 **Fax:** 530-822-7214
www.co.sutter.ca.us

In N central CA, NW of Sacramento; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Sutter's Creek, named for John Augustus Sutter (Johann August Sutter 1803-80), on whose property gold was discovered in 1848, the beginning of the California Gold Rush.

**Area (sq mi):** 608.45 (land 602.41; water 6.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 157.3.

**Pop 2010:** 94,737. **State rank:** 610. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +12.6%. **Pop 2005:** 88,876 (White 61.0%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 28.8%; Asian 14.4%; Others 28.8%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.3%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,344; median household $50,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,904 - $33,387.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.8%. **Change from 2007:** +10.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yuba City 🏛 (64,925); Live Oak (17,158).

### TEHAMA COUNTY

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Red Bluff, CA 96080 **Fax:** 530-527-1745
www.co.tehama.ca.us

In N central CA, north of Chico; organized Apr 9, 1856 from Butte, Colusa, and Shasta counties. **Name Origin:** For the city, origin and meaning uncertain. It is almost certainly Indian, though an Arabian generic *tihama* 'hot lowlands' is frequently found in Arabic place names. The Indian parallel term may also mean 'lowlands' or shallow,' as in a ford of a river.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,960.99 (land 2,949.71; water 11.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.5.

**Pop 2010:** 63,463. **State rank:** 836. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 61,197 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 21.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 21.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.8%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,198; median household $38,137; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,866 - $26,485.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.8%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Red Bluff 🏛 (14,076).

### TRINITY COUNTY

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Weaverville, CA 96093 **Fax:** 530-623-8365
www.trinitycounty.org

In NW CA, west of Redding; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Trinity River, named by Pierson B. Reading in 1845, who believed it entered Trinidad Bay. (Trinity is the English version of the Spanish Trinidad.)

**Area (sq mi):** 3,208.18 (land 3,179.25; water 28.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,786. **State rank:** 2148. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 13,622 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 7.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 49.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,073; median household $38,725; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,539 - $29,481.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TULARE COUNTY

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www.co.tulare.ca.us/default.asp

In central CA, southeast of Fresno; organized Apr 20, 1852, from Mariposa County. **Name Origin:** For Tulare Lake, Mexican-Spanish 'rush' or 'reed,' perhaps originally from Aztec *tullin* or *tollin*, 'cattail' or 'bulrush.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,839.34 (land 4,824.22; water 15.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.7.

**Pop 2010:** 442,179. **State rank:** 153. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 410,874 (White 60.1%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 60.6%; Asian 3.4%; Others 60.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.1%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,966; median household $43,851; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,934 - $28,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 34 for cities).

### TUOLUMNE COUNTY

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www.tuolumnecounty.ca.gov

In E central CA, east of Stockton; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Tuolumne River, named for either the Central Miwok or Yokut Indians, of Penutian linguistic stock. Name is believed to be a corruption of Indian *talmalamne* cluster of stone wigwams: they lived in caves or recesses in the rocks. Variously spelled *Taulamne*, *Tahualamne*, and *Tavalames*.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,259.81 (land 2,220.88; water 38.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.9.

**Pop 2010:** 55,365. **State rank:** 896. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.8%;

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## Tuolumne County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 59,380 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 10.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,483; median household $47,462; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,849 - $35,787.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Martinez (35,824).

**VENTURA COUNTY**
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Ventura, CA 93009
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On S coast of CA, N of Los Angeles; organized Mar 22, 1873 from Santa Barbara County. **Name Origin:** For the city, abbreviation of Spanish *San Buenaventura* 'St Bonaventure.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,206.03 (land 1,843.13; water 362.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 446.7.

**Pop 2010:** 823,318. **State rank:** 67. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 796,106 (White 68.7%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 40.3%; Asian 6.7%; Others 40.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.9%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,348; median household $75,348; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,634 - $44,653.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 34 for cities).

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In N central CA, NE of San Francisco; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For a subtribe of Patwin Indians, of Wintun linguistic stock; meaning of name unclear. Possibly a corruption of *Yoloy* 'place abounding with rushes,' or *Yodoi* a Patwin village, or for a chief named *Yodo*. There was also a captain of a ranch who was named Yolo.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,024.31 (land 1,014.69; water 9.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 197.9.

**Pop 2010:** 200,849. **State rank:** 309. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 184,932 (White 63.2%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 30.3%; Asian 13.0%; Others 30.3%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.4%. **Median age:** 30.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,420; median household $57,077; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,172 - $36,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fremont (214,089); Davis (65,622); Woodland (55,468); West Sacramento (48,744).

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In N central CA, N of Sacramento; original county; organized Feb 18, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Yuba River, the name of which came from a Maidu Indian village and tribal name. Also spelled *Yubu, Yupu, Jubu*.

**Area (sq mi):** 644.88 (land 631.84; water 13.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 114.2.

**Pop 2010:** 72,155. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 67,153 (White 68.4%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 25.0%; Asian 6.7%; Others 25.0%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,937; median household $46,807; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,523 - $29,794.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Linda (17,773); Olivehurst (13,656); Marysville (12,072).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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Denver, CO 80202
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The state was named for the Colorado River, which early Spanish explorers named the Rio Colorado for the red colored silt the river carried from the mountains. **Name Origin:** On August 1, 1876, U.S. President Ulysses S. Grant signed a proclamation admitting Colorado as the 38th state.

**Area (sq mi):** 104,093.57 (land 103,717.53; water 376.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,029,196. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.8%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,665,177 (White 81.3%; Black or African American 4%; Hispanic or Latino 20.7%; Asian 2.8%; Others 20.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,802; median household $56,456; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,724 - $42,295.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
4430 S. Adams County Pkwy. **Ph:** 720-523-6020
Brighton, CO 80601 **Fax:** 720-523-6009
www.co.adams.co.us

In east-central CO, east of Denver; organized Apr 15, 1901 from Arapahoe County; annexed part of Denver County in 1909. A portion of the county was used to create Broomfield County on November 15, 2001. **Name Origin:** For Alva Adams (1850-1922), statesman and governor (1887-89; 1897-99; 1905).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,173.43 (land 1,167.65; water 5.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 378.2.

**Pop 2010:** 441,603. **State rank:** 148. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.6%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 399,426 (White 73.3%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 38.0%; Asian 3.6%; Others 38.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.1%. **Median age:** 32.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,999; median household $54,666; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,601 - $32,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 34 for cities).

**ALAMOSA COUNTY**
402 Edison Ave PO Box 630 **Ph:** 719-589-6681
Alamosa, CO 81101 **Fax:** 719-589-6118
www.alamosacounty.org

In south-central CO, southwest of Pueblo; organized Mar 8, 1913 from Costilla County. **Name Origin:** Spanish 'cottonwood trees.'

**Area (sq mi):** 723.42 (land 722.64; water 0.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,445. **State rank:** 2071. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 15,282 (White 74.8%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 46.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 46.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,820; median household $35,935; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,267 - $32,676.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ARAPAHOE COUNTY**
5334 S Prince St **Ph:** 303-795-4200
Littleton, CO 80166-6000 **Fax:** 303-794-4625
www.co.arapahoe.co.us

In east-central CO, south of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. Name is probably Pawnee *tirapihu* trader. Also suggested, but not documented, blue-sky men and cloud men.

**Area (sq mi):** 800.39 (land 798.10; water 2.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 716.7.

**Pop 2010:** 572,003. **State rank:** 108. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 529,090 (White 72.7%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 18.4%; Asian 5.1%; Others 18.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 14.9%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,898; median household $58,719; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,842 - $47,704.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centennial (100,377); Littleton (41,737); Englewood (30,255); Greenwood Village (13,925); Cherry Creek (11,120).

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**ARCHULETA COUNTY**
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Pagosa Springs, CO 81147
www.archuletacounty.org
**Ph:** 970-264-5633
**Fax:** 970-264-6423

On southern border, east of Durango; organized Apr 14, 1885 from Conejos County. **Name Origin:** For Antonio D. Archuleta, a CO legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,355.44 (land 1,350.18; water 5.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,084. **State rank:** 2264. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +20.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,886 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 17.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 17.8%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,421; median household $56,068; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,453 - $31,672.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BACA COUNTY**
741 Main St
Springfield, CO 81073
www.springfieldcolorado.com/countygov.html
**Ph:** 719-523-4372
**Fax:** 719-523-4881

On southeastern border of CO; organized Apr 16 1889 from Las Animas County. **Name Origin:** For an early pioneer family from Trinidad, CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,556.34 (land 2,554.97; water 1.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,788. **State rank:** 2918. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,069 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 9.2%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,472; median household $36,017; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,905 - $42,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENT COUNTY**
PO Box 350 725 Bent Ave
Las Animas, CO 81054
www.bentcounty.org
**Ph:** 719-456-1600
**Fax:** 719-456-0375

In southeastern CO, southwest of Pueblo; organized Feb 11, 1870, from Greenwood County (prior to statehood), which was organized in 1874 and abolished in 1878 by being divided between Bent and Elbert counties. **Name Origin:** For Bent's Fort on the north bank of the Arkansas River and for the Bent brothers who built it, or for one of the brothers, William Bent (1809-69), early settler, fur trader, and Indian agent.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,540.08 (land 1,512.86; water 27.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,499. **State rank:** 2709. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.9%; 2000-2005 -7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,558 (White 79.2%; Black or African American 7.6%; Hispanic or Latino 30.5%; Asian 1.0%; Others 30.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,505; median household $36,412; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,134 - $22,994.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOULDER COUNTY**
1750 33rd St, Suite 201
Boulder, CO 80301
www.co.boulder.co.us
**Ph:** 303-413-7770
**Fax:** 303-413-7775

In north-central CO, northwest of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). A portion of the county was used to create Broomfield County on November 15, 2001. **Name Origin:** For Boulder City and Boulder Creek, themselves named for the huge rock formations in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 735.20 (land 726.29; water 8.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 405.6.

**Pop 2010:** 294,567. **State rank:** 207. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 280,440 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 4.1%; Others 13.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.2%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,947; median household $64,839; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,436 - $50,095.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 34 for cities).

**BROOMFIELD CITY & COUNTY**
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Broomfield, CO 80020
www.ci.broomfield.co.us
**Ph:** 303-464-5898
**Fax:** 303-438-6296

Broomfield was the only city in CO to lie in portions of four counties (Jefferson, Adams, Weld, and Boulder), which caused problems for local residents in accessing services. Consequently, on Nov 3, 1998, the City and County of Broomfield was created by constitutional amendment. After a three-year period in which to organize, it became CO's 64th county on Nov 15, 2001. The US Bureau of the Census recognized the new county in Feb of 2002, and its census status will become official after the 2010 Census.

**Area (sq mi):** 34.03 (land 33.03; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 1691.9.

**Pop 2010:** 55,889. **State rank:** 891. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +28.5%. **Pop 2005:** 43,478 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 11.1%; Asian 6.1%; Others 11.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,836; median household $75,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,801 - $37,709.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Broomfield (55,889).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**CHAFFEE COUNTY**
104 Crestone Ave PO Box 699
Salida, CO 81201
www.chaffeecounty.org
**Ph:** 719-539-2218
**Fax:** 719-539-7442

In central CO; organized as Lake County Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood); name changed Feb 10, 1879. **Name Origin:** For Jerome Bounty Chaffee (1825-86), CO territorial legislator and U.S. senator (1876-79); one of the founders of Denver.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,014.95 (land 1,013.40; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,809. **State rank:** 1954. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,968 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 9.4%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,110; median household $42,941; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,179 - $32,293.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHEYENNE COUNTY**
PO Box 567
Cheyenne Wells, CO 80810
www.co.cheyenne.co.us
**Ph:** 719-767-5685
**Fax:** 719-767-8730

On central-eastern border of CO, east of Colorado Springs; organized Mar 25, 1889 from Bent and Elbert counties. **Name Origin:** For the Dakota Indian tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock; name means 'red talkers.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,778.30 (land 1,778.28; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,836. **State rank:** 3065. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -12.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,953 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 9.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,999; median household $47,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,069 - $58,903.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLEAR CREEK COUNTY**
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Georgetown, CO 80444
www.co.clear-creek.co.us
**Ph:** 303-679-2312
**Fax:** 303-679-2440

In north-central CO, west of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the name of a stream in the county, which was originally called Vasquez Fork, but present name adopted by 1860.

**Area (sq mi):** 396.24 (land 395.23; water 1.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.

**Pop 2010:** 9,088. **State rank:** 2535. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,197 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.7%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,506; median household $60,426; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,990 - $54,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CONEJOS COUNTY**
6683 County Rd 13 PO Box 157
Conejos, CO 81129
www.conejoscounty.org
**Ph:** 719-376-5772
**Fax:** 719-376-5661

On central southern border, east of Durango; original county, organized as Guadalupe County Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood); name changed Nov 7, 1861. **Name Origin:** For the river (which runs through the county) and town called Conejos, from the Spanish meaning 'rabbits,' for the local abundance of the animals.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,291.04 (land 1,287.39; water 3.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,256. **State rank:** 2604. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,512 (White 76.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 56.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 56.0%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,541; median household $33,627; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,201 - $23,582.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COSTILLA COUNTY**
PO Box 301
San Luis, CO 81152
www.costilla-county.com
**Ph:** 719-672-3681
**Fax:** 719-672-4493

On central southern border of CO, southwest of Pueblo; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Probably for Costilla Creek, which runs through the county; Spanish 'rib' or 'furring timber'; or possibly for a local family of this name.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,230.29 (land 1,226.95; water 3.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,524. **State rank:** 2952. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,424 (White 68.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 66.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 66.0%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,525; median household $24,388; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,936 - $26,103.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CROWLEY COUNTY**
631 Main St Suite 102
Ordway, CO 81063
crowleycounty.net
**Ph:** 719-267-5555
**Fax:** 719-267-3114

In southeastern CO, east of Pueblo; organized May 29, 1911 from Otero County. **Name Origin:** For John H. Crowley (1849-?), state

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## Crowley County (cont'd)

senator from Otero County when Crowley County was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 798.76 (land 787.42; water 11.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,823. **State rank:** 2719. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.8%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,401 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 9.6%; Hispanic or Latino 29.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 29.0%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,966; median household $38,189; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $15,003 - $16,299.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUSTER COUNTY**
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Westcliffe, CO 81252 **Fax:** 719-783-2885
www.custercountygov.com

In south-central CO, southwest of Pueblo; organized Mar 9, 1877 from Fremont County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. soldier and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 739.65 (land 738.63; water 1.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,255. **State rank:** 2895. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.2%; 2000-2005 +10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,860 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 53.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,860; median household $39,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,829 - $33,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DELTA COUNTY**
501 Palmer St **Ph:** 970-874-2150
Delta, CO 81416 **Fax:** 970-874-2161
www.deltacounty.com

In west-central CO, southeast of Grand Junction; organized Feb 11, 1883 from Gunnison County. **Name Origin:** For the city, named for its location on the delta of the Uncompahgre River.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,148.47 (land 1,142.05; water 6.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.1.

**Pop 2010:** 30,952. **State rank:** 1393. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 29,947 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 14.0%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,080; median household $40,451; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,540 - $29,787.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DENVER CITY & COUNTY**
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Denver, CO 80202 **Fax:** 720-865-8580
www.denvergov.org

In north-central CO; organized Mar 18, 1901 from Adams County. The city and county are coterminous. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James William Denver (1817-92), CA legislator, commissioner of Indian affairs, and governor of KS Territory (1857-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 154.59 (land 153; water 1.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 3922.6.

**Pop 2010:** 600,158. **State rank:** 99. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 557,917 (White 68.9%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 31.8%; Asian 3.4%; Others 31.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.6%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,806; median household $45,501; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $53,219 - $50,568.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Denver (600,158).

**DOLORES COUNTY**
PO Box 608 1010 N. Guyrene **Ph:** 970-677-2328
Dove Creek, CO 81324 **Fax:** 970-677-3759
www.dolorescounty.org

On southwestern border of CO, south of Grand Junction; organized Feb 19, 1881 from Ouray County. **Name Origin:** For the Dolores River, which runs through it; from Spanish *Rio de Nuestra Senora de los Dolores*, ' River of Our Lay of Sorrows.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,068.18 (land 1,067.05; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,064. **State rank:** 3050. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,827 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,244; median household $43,058; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,120 - $26,894.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.5%. **Change from 2007:** +12.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
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Castle Rock, CO 80104 **Fax:** 303-688-1293
www.douglas.co.us

In central CO, between Denver and Colorado Springs; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 842.89 (land 840.25; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 339.7.

**Pop 2010:** 285,465. **State rank:** 221. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.5%; 2000-2005 +41.9%. **Pop 2005:** 249,416 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 3.8%; Others 7.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,418; median household $99,198; **Pop below poverty level:** 2.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Douglas County (cont'd)

$58,305 - $66,047.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 34 for cities).

**EAGLE COUNTY**
PO Box 850
Eagle, CO 81631
www.eaglecounty.us
**Ph:** 970-328-8600
**Fax:** 970-328-8716

In west-central CO, west of Denver; organized Feb 11, 1883, from Summit County. **Name Origin:** For the Eagle River, which flows through the county; the river was named for the bird.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,688.46 (land 1,684.53; water 3.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.

**Pop 2010:** 52,197. **State rank:** 914. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +14.1%. **Pop 2005:** 47,530 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 30.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 30.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 19.9%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,753; median household $71,337; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,095 - $48,149.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Edwards (10,266).

**EL PASO COUNTY**
200 S Cascade Ave
Colorado Springs, CO 80903
www.elpasoco.com
**Ph:** 719-520-6200
**Fax:** 719-520-6212

In central CO, south of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Spanish 'the pass' [through the mountains], referring to Ute Pass, west of Colorado Springs.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,129.91 (land 2,126.80; water 3.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 292.6.

**Pop 2010:** 622,263. **State rank:** 101. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +9.4%. **Pop 2005:** 565,582 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 2.7%; Others 15.1%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,945; median household $56,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,399 - $38,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Colorado Springs 🏛 (416,427); Fountain (25,846); Cimarron Hills (16,161); Fort Carson (13,813); Black Forest (13,116).

**ELBERT COUNTY**
215 Comanche St PO Box 597
Kiowa, CO 80117
www.elbertcolorado.com
**Ph:** 303-621-3132
**Fax:** 303-621-3166

In east-central CO, southeast of Denver; organized Feb 2, 1874, from Douglas and Greenwood counties (prior to statehood), the latter of which was organized in 1874 and abolished in 1878 by being divided between Bent and Elbert counties. **Name Origin:** For Samuel H. Elbert (1833-1907), CO territorial governor (1873-74) and chief justice of CO Supreme Court (1880-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,850.96 (land 1,850.85; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.5.

**Pop 2010:** 23,086. **State rank:** 1658. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +14.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,788 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,782; median household $78,958; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,661 - $44,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 41 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FREMONT COUNTY**
615 Macon Ave Rm 106
Canon City, CO 81212
www.fremontco.com
**Ph:** 719-269-7410
**Fax:** 719-269-0134

In central CO, southwest of Colorado Springs; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For John Charles Fremont (1813-90), soldier and explorer who led five expeditions to the West, U.S. senator from CA (1850-51), and governor of the AZ Territory (1878-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,534.09 (land 1,533.07; water 1.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.5.

**Pop 2010:** 46,824. **State rank:** 1003. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 47,766 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.3%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,083; median household $37,847; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,919 - $27,061.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Canon City 🏛 (16,400).

**GARFIELD COUNTY**
108 8th St
Glenwood Springs, CO 81601
www.garfield-county.com
**Ph:** 970-945-1377
**Fax:** 970-945-7785

On central-western border of CO, north of Grand Junction; organized Feb 10, 1883 from Summit County. **Name Origin:** For James Abram Garfield (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,956.26 (land 2,947.56; water 8.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.1.

**Pop 2010:** 56,389. **State rank:** 885. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.2%; 2000-2005 +13.7%. **Pop 2005:** 49,810 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 28.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 28.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.7%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,457; median household $64,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,578 - $37,277.

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## Garfield County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GILPIN COUNTY

203 Eureka St PO Box 366
Central City, CO 80427
www.co.gilpin.co.us

**Ph:** 303-582-5214
**Fax:** 303-582-3086

In central CO, west of Denver; original county; organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Col. William Gilpin (1822-94), first territorial governor of CO (1861-62).

**Area (sq mi):** 150.29 (land 149.90; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,441. **State rank:** 2787. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,932 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 1.4%; Others 4.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,591; median household $58,036; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,835 - $41,999.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAND COUNTY

308 Byers Ave PO Box 264
Hot Sulphur Springs, CO 80451
www.co.grand.co.us

**Ph:** 970-725-3347
**Fax:** 970-725-0100

In north-central CO, west of Boulder; organized Feb 2, 1874 (prior to statehood) from Summit County. **Name Origin:** For Grand Lake and the Grand River; the latter was renamed the Colorado.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,869.26 (land 1,846.33; water 22.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,843. **State rank:** 2161. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.4%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,211 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 7.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,055; median household $60,433; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,853 - $37,283.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GUNNISON COUNTY

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Gunnison, CO 81230
www.co.gunnison.co.us

**Ph:** 970-641-1516
**Fax:** 970-641-7956

In west-central CO, west of Colorado Springs; organized Mar 9, 1877, from Lake County. **Name Origin:** For John William Gunnison (1812-53), killed by Indians while surveying for a proposed railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,260.03 (land 3,239.10; water 20.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,324. **State rank:** 2075. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,226 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.2%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,490; median household $49,356; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,748 - $33,836.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HINSDALE COUNTY

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Lake City, CO 81235
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**Fax:** 970-944-2630

In southwest CO, northeast of Durango; organized Feb 10, 1874, from Conejos and Summit counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George A. Hinsdale, a former lieutenant governor of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,122.71 (land 1,117.25; water 5.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 843. **State rank:** 3118. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.2%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 765 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.8%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,293; median household $74,659; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,704 - $38,772.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 5.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HUERFANO COUNTY

401 Main St, Suite 204
Walsenburg, CO 81089
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**Ph:** 719-738-2380
**Fax:** 719-738-2060

In south-central CO, south of Pueblo; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Huerfano River, Spanish orphan, referring to an isolated butte in the river.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,593.38 (land 1,591; water 2.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,711. **State rank:** 2617. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.6%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,771 (White 82.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 35.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 35.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 51.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,139; median household $30,058; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,794 - $30,962.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JACKSON COUNTY

404 4th St
Walden, CO 80480
www.co.jackson.wi.us

**Ph:** 970-723-4660
**Fax:** 970-723-4706

On central northern border of CO, west of Ft. Collins; organized May

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Jackson County (cont'd)

5, 1909 from Larimer County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,621.46 (land 1,613.72; water 7.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,394. **State rank:** 3087. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,448 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 10.8%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,814; median household $37,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,814 - $41,481.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
100 Jefferson County Pkwy
Golden, CO 80419
www.jeffco.us
**Ph:** 303-279-6511
**Fax:** 303-271-8197

In central CO, west of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). A portion of the county was used to create Broomfield County on November 15, 2001. **Name Origin:** From Jefferson Territory, the extra-legal government that preceded CO Territory. Named in honor of Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 770.18 (land 764.21; water 5.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 699.5.

**Pop 2010:** 534,543. **State rank:** 116. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 526,801 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 14.3%; Asian 2.6%; Others 14.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,714; median household $66,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,532 - $44,699.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 34 for cities).

**KIOWA COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 719-438-5327

On southeastern border of CO, east of Pueblo; organized Apr 11, 1889, from Bent County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Tanoan linguistic stock; name means 'principal people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,782.53 (land 1,767.77; water 14.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,398. **State rank:** 3096. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,422 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.0%; Others 5.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,877; median household $40,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,001 - $49,359.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KIT CARSON COUNTY**
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Burlington, CO 80807
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**Ph:** 719-346-8133
**Fax:** 719-346-7242

On central eastern border of CO; organized Apr 11, 1889 from Elbert County. **Name Origin:** For Christopher (Kit) Carson (1809-68), frontiersman, guide, and Indian agent.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,161.51 (land 2,160.82; water 0.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,270. **State rank:** 2558. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,642 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 19.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,086; median household $41,678; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,004 - $38,008.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LA PLATA COUNTY**
1060 E 2nd Ave, Suite 134
Durango, CO 81301
www.co.laplata.co.us
**Ph:** 970-382-6280
**Fax:** 970-382-6285

On southwestern border of CO; organized Feb 10, 1874, from Conejos and Lake counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For La Plata River, which runs through the county; from Spanish silver, for the mines in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,699.86 (land 1,692.08; water 7.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.3.

**Pop 2010:** 51,334. **State rank:** 946. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 47,452 (White 86.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 11.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,836; median household $56,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,496 - $42,638.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Durango 🏛 (16,887).

**LAKE COUNTY**
505 Harrison Ave PO Box 917
Leadville, CO 80461
www.lakecountyco.com
**Ph:** 719-486-1410
**Fax:** 719-486-3972

In central CO, southwest of Denver; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood); name changed from Carbonate Feb 10, 1879. **Name Origin:** For the Twin Lakes, a major feature of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 383.92 (land 376.91; water 7.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,310. **State rank:** 2582. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,738 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 39.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 39.1%,

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## Lake County (cont'd)

including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.0%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,437; median household $41,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,652 - $29,168.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LARIMER COUNTY

PO Box 1280
Fort Collins, CO 80522
www.larimer.org

**Ph:** 970-498-7860
**Fax:** 970-498-7906

On central northern border of CO; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Larimer, a founder of Denver and prominent early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,628.56 (land 2,596; water 32.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 115.4.

**Pop 2010:** 299,630. **State rank:** 215. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.2%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 271,927 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.6%; Asian 1.9%; Others 10.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,046; median household $56,447; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,929 - $38,546.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Collins 🏛 (143,986); Loveland (66,859).

### LAS ANIMAS COUNTY

PO Box 115
Trinidad, CO 81082
www.roadsofthepast.com

**Ph:** 719-846-3314
**Fax:** 719-845-2573

On southeastern border of CO, south of Pueblo; organized Feb 9, 1866 from Huerfano County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From part of the original name of the Purgatoire River, which runs through the county, *El Rio de las Animas Perdidas en Purgatorio*, Spanish 'river of souls lost in Purgatory,' in memory of people killed at the river by Indians c. 1595 who died without absolution. Shortened to El Purgatorio; then to its present form by French trappers; also known by Americanized *Picketwire*.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,775.46 (land 4,772.67; water 2.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,507. **State rank:** 2037. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,446 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 41.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 41.6%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,887; median household $38,134; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,344 - $31,088.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

103 3rd Ave PO Box 67
Hugo, CO 80821
www.lincolncountyco.us.

**Ph:** 719-743-2444
**Fax:** 719-743-2524

In east-central CO, east of Colorado Springs; organized Apr 11, 1889 , from Bent and Elbert counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,577.93 (land 2,577.63; water 0.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,467. **State rank:** 2814. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,618 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 12.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,440; median household $41,616; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,380 - $29,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LOGAN COUNTY

315 Main St
Sterling, CO 80751
www.loganco.gov

**Ph:** 970-522-0888
**Fax:** 970-522-4018

On northeastern border of CO, northeast of Greeley; organized Feb 25, 1887 from Weld County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Alexander Logan (1826-86), officer in the Mexican-American War and Civil War; U.S. senator from IL (1871-77; 1879-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,844.88 (land 1,838.55; water 6.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.4.

**Pop 2010:** 22,709. **State rank:** 1775. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,719 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 15.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 15.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,564; median household $40,961; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,599 - $34,098.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sterling 🏛 (14,777).

### MESA COUNTY

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Grand Junction, CO 81502
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**Ph:** 970-244-1800
**Fax:** 970-256-1588

On central western border of CO; organized Feb 14, 1883 from Gunnison County. **Name Origin:** Spanish 'table,' for the high, flat tablelands with sharply eroded sides common to the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,342.33 (land 3,328.97; water 13.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.1.

**Pop 2010:** 146,723. **State rank:** 422. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 129,872 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 13.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,067; median household $52,067; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Mesa County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,648 - $34,379.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grand Junction 🏛 (58,566); Clifton (19,889); Fruita (12,646).

**MINERAL COUNTY**
PO Box 70
Creede, CO 81130
www.mineralcountycolorado.com
**Ph:** 719-658-2331
**Fax:** 719-658-2764

In south-central CO, northeast of Durango; organized Mar 27, 1893, from Saguache and Rio Grande counties. **Name Origin:** For the rich mineral resources of the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 877.66 (land 875.67; water 1.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 712. **State rank:** 3113. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -23.6%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 932 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 53.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $46,358; median household $53,438; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,945 - $43,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MOFFAT COUNTY**
221 W Victory Way Suite 200
Craig, CO 81625
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**Ph:** 970-824-9104
**Fax:** 970-826-3413

On northwestern border of CO; organized Feb 27, 1911, from Routt County. **Name Origin:** For David Halliday Moffat (1839-1911), president of the Rio Grande Railroad (1884-91).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,751.98 (land 4,743.29; water 8.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,795. **State rank:** 2156. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,417 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 14.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 14.4%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,563; median household $53,587; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,593 - $36,579.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTEZUMA COUNTY**
109 W Main St, Rm 108
Cortez, CO 81321
www.co.montezuma.co.us
**Ph:** 970-565-3728
**Fax:** 970-564-0215

On southwesternmost border of CO; organized Apr 16, 1889, from La Plata County. The corners of four states, CO, AZ, NM, and UT, meet at this point, the only place in the U.S. where this occurs. **Name Origin:** For Montezuma (1479?-1520), Aztec Indian emperor of Mexico who was conquered by Hernan Cortez (1485-1547).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,032.87 (land 2,029.53; water 3.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 25,535. **State rank:** 1582. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,778 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 11.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 11.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,616; median household $44,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,076 - $33,142.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTROSE COUNTY**
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Montrose, CO 81401
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**Fax:** 970-249-7761

On central western border of CO, south of Grand Junction; organized Feb 11, 1883 from Gunnison County. **Name Origin:** For the city, named for *The Legend of Montrose*, by Sir Walter Scott (1771-1832), for the similarity of the surrounding country; also possibly an allusion to Montrose, Scotland.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,242.66 (land 2,240.70; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.4.

**Pop 2010:** 41,276. **State rank:** 1129. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 +12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 37,482 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 19.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 19.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,613; median household $46,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,293 - $30,247.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Montrose 🏛 (19,132).

**MORGAN COUNTY**
231 Ensign St PO Box 1399
Fort Morgan, CO 80701
www.co.morgan.co.us
**Ph:** 970-542-3521
**Fax:** 970-542-3525

In northeastern CO, east of Boulder; organized Feb 19, 1889, from Weld County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Morgan, named for Col. Christopher Anthony Morgan (1825-66), an army officer and inspector general of the Department of Missouri.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,288.94 (land 1,280.43; water 8.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.

**Pop 2010:** 28,159. **State rank:** 1490. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 27,995 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 33.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 33.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.6%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,181; median household $43,111; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,021 - $31,251.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel**

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## Morgan County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Morgan (11,315).

**OTERO COUNTY**
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La Junta, CO 81050
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**Ph:** 719-383-3020
**Fax:** 719-383-3026

In southeastern CO, southeast of Pueblo; organized Mar 25, 1889, from Bent County. **Name Origin:** For Miguel Antonio Otero (1859-1944), NM territorial governor (1896-1906).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,268.85 (land 1,261.96; water 6.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,831. **State rank:** 1878. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 19,495 (White 78.5%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 40.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 40.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,056; median household $34,142; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,997 - $30,969.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OURAY COUNTY**
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Ouray, CO 81427
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**Ph:** 970-325-4961
**Fax:** 970-325-0452

In southwestern CO, north of Durango; organized as Uncompahgre County Jan 18, 1877, from San Juan County; name changed Mar 2, 1883. **Name Origin:** For the Ute Indian chief Ouray (1820-80), possibly the arrow. He was chief of Uncompahgre Utes and signed a treaty with U.S. in 1863 as U-ray or Arrow; signed one in 1868 U-re, and later that year Ouray.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.33 (land 541.59; water 1.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,436. **State rank:** 2852. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +13.8%. **Pop 2005:** 4,260 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 50.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,051; median household $58,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,955 - $45,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PARK COUNTY**
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Fairplay, CO 80440
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**Ph:** 719-836-4227
**Fax:** 719-836-4348

In central CO, west of Colorado Springs; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the large mountain valley known as the South Park.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,203.85 (land 2,193.85; water 10). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,206. **State rank:** 1975. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 +16.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,949 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,663; median household $64,098; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,216 - $33,819.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 41.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PHILLIPS COUNTY**
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Holyoke, CO 80734
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**Ph:** 970-580-3614
**Fax:** 970-854-4387

On northeastern border of CO; organized Mar 27, 1889, from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For R. O. Phillips, an offical in the Lincoln Land Company, which organized many of the towns in eastern CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 688.05 (land 687.93; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,442. **State rank:** 2864. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,586 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 18.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 18.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,453; median household $44,084; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,101 - $37,210.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PITKIN COUNTY**
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Aspen, CO 81611
www.county.aspenpitkin.com
**Ph:** 970-920-5180
**Fax:** 970-920-5196

In west-central CO, west of Leadville; organized Feb 23, 1881, from Gunnison County. **Name Origin:** For Frederick Walker Pitkin (1837-86), governor of CO (1879-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 973.51 (land 970.70; water 2.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,148. **State rank:** 2034. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.0%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 14,914 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.1%; Asian 1.2%; Others 9.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.6%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $64,381; median household $64,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $90,305 - $76,318.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**PROWERS COUNTY**
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Lamar, CO 81052
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**Fax:** 719-336-2255

On southeastern border of CO; organized Apr 11, 1889, from Bent County. **Name Origin:** For John Wesley Prowers (1839-84), a member of CO General Assembly who married Amanche, daughter of a Cheyenne chief, and worked with Indian agent Col. William Bent.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,642.37 (land 1,638.40; water 3.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,551. **State rank:** 2232. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.7%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,892 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 35.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 35.2%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.0%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,429; median household $33,969; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,971 - $32,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PUEBLO COUNTY**
215 W 10th St
Pueblo, CO 81003
www.county.pueblo.org
**Ph:** 719-583-6000
**Fax:** 719-583-4894

In south-central CO; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861, (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city, from Spanish town.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,395.14 (land 2,386.10; water 9.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.7.

**Pop 2010:** 159,063. **State rank:** 390. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 151,322 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 41.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 41.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,609; median household $40,699; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,382 - $30,194.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pueblo 🏛 (106,595); Pueblo West (29,637).

**RIO BLANCO COUNTY**
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Meeker, CO 81641
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**Ph:** 970-878-5068
**Fax:** 970-878-3587

On northwestern border of CO, north of Grand Junction; organized Mar 25, 1889, from Garfield County. **Name Origin:** Spanish name for the White River, which flows through the county; possibly referring to the white caps of the rapids; probably translated from the Ute name.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,222.87 (land 3,220.93; water 1.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,666. **State rank:** 2711. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,973 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 10.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,382; median household $57,992; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,044 - $40,484.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RIO GRANDE COUNTY**
965 6th St PO Box 160
Del Norte, CO 81132
www.riograndecounty.org
**Ph:** 719-657-3334
**Fax:** 719-657-2621

In south-central CO; organized Feb 10, 1874, from Conejos Co unty. **Name Origin:** For the Rio Grande, which flows through the county; shortened from Spanish *Rio Grande del Norte* 'Great River of the North.'

**Area (sq mi):** 912.49 (land 911.96; water 0.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,982. **State rank:** 2314. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,227 (White 78.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 42.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 42.4%, including 1.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,199; median household $39,871; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,120 - $33,415.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROUTT COUNTY**
136 6th St PO Box 772830
Steamboat Springs, CO 80477
www.co.routt.co.us
**Ph:** 970-879-0825
**Fax:** 970-870-5383

On central northern border of CO; organized Jan 29, 1877, from Grand County. **Name Origin:** For John Long Routt (1826-1907), last territorial governor (1876-79) and first CO state governor (1891-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,368.46 (land 2,362.03; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.

**Pop 2010:** 23,509. **State rank:** 1649. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,313 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,079; median household $60,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,719 - $48,718.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbine (24,280); Steamboat Springs (12,088).

**SAGUACHE COUNTY**
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Saguache, CO 81149
www.saguachecounty.net
**Ph:** 719-655-2512
**Fax:** 719-655-2730

In south-central CO, west of Pueblo; organized Dec 29, 1866, from Costilla County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Saguache Creek, which flows through the county; from a Ute Indian word meaning 'blue earth,' or 'water at the blue earth.'

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## Saguache County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 3,170.35 (land 3,168.53; water 1.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,108. **State rank:** 2659. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.1%; 2000-2005 +18.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,031 (White 82.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 40.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 40.1%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.4%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,686; median household $30,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,851 - $23,081.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAN JUAN COUNTY

1557 Greene St PO Box 466 **Ph:** 970-387-5671
Silverton, CO 81433
www.sanjuancountycolorado.us

In southwestern CO, north of Durango; organized 1876, from La Plata County. **Name Origin:** Spanish Saint John (the Baptist). Name was given by early Spanish explorers to the river, the mountain range, and then the whole region.

**Area (sq mi):** 388.35 (land 387.49; water 0.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 699. **State rank:** 3135. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.1%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 577 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 12.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 12.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,232; median household $43,783; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,268 - $30,086.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAN MIGUEL COUNTY

333 W Colorado Ave **Ph:** 970-728-3954
Telluride, CO 81435 **Fax:** 970-728-4808
www.sanmiguelcounty.org

On southwestern border of CO; organized Nov 1, 1861, from Ouray County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the river, which flows through the county; Spanish for Saint Michael (the Archangel).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,288.59 (land 1,286.61; water 1.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,359. **State rank:** 2617. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +9.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,213 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,247; median household $66,399; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,941 - $50,481.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SEDGWICK COUNTY

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Julesburg, CO 80737 **Fax:** 970-474-0954
www.sedgwickcountygov.net

On northeasternmost border of CO; organized Apr 9, 1889, from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Sedgwick, named for Maj. Gen. John Sedgwick (1813-64), Indian fighter and Union officer in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 549.40 (land 548.04; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,379. **State rank:** 3016. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.9%; 2000-2005 -7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,529 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 12.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,652; median household $37,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,171 - $47,537.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SUMMIT COUNTY

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Breckenridge, CO 80424 **Fax:** 970-453-3540
www.co.summit.co.us

In central CO west of Denver; original county, organized 1861, (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the mountainous terrain of the county; part of its southeastern border follows the Continental Divide.

**Area (sq mi):** 619.45 (land 608.36; water 11.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.

**Pop 2010:** 27,994. **State rank:** 1513. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,892 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 14.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 14.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.2%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,770; median household $68,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,461 - $43,090.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TELLER COUNTY

112 N A St PO Box 959 **Ph:** 719-689-2988
Cripple Creek, CO 80813 **Fax:** 719-686-7900
www.co.teller.co.us

In central CO, west of Colorado Springs; organized Mar 23, 1899, from El Paso and Fremont Counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Moore Teller (1830-1914), U.S. senator from CO (1876-82; 1885-1909), and U.S. secretary of the interior (1882-85).

**Area (sq mi):** 558.95 (land 557.06; water 1.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,350. **State rank:** 1736. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 21,918 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,726; median household $58,080; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Teller County (cont'd)

$37,786 - $40,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
150 Ash Ave
Akron, CO 80720
www.co.washington.co.us

**Ph:** 970-345-2672
**Fax:** 970-345-2702

In northeastern CO, east of Denver; organized Feb 9, 1887, from Weld County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-1799), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,521.16 (land 2,518.03; water 3.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,814. **State rank:** 2866. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,633 (White 95.3%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,125; median household $39,735; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,599 - $36,577.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WELD COUNTY**
1150 O St PO Box 758
Greeley, CO 80632
www.co.weld.co.us

**Ph:** 970-336-7204
**Fax:** 970-352-0242

On central northern border of CO, east of Fort Collins; original county, organized Nov 1, 1861, (prior to statehood). A portion of the county was used to create Broomfield County on November 15, 2001. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Ledyard Weld, first Secretary of the CO Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,016.35 (land 3,987.24; water 29.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.4.

**Pop 2010:** 252,825. **State rank:** 252. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +26.5%. **Pop 2005:** 228,943 (White 82.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 28.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 28.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 33.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,732; median household $55,596; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,715 - $28,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greeley 🏛 (92,889); Windsor (18,644); Evans (18,537); Firestone (10,147).

**YUMA COUNTY**
310 Ash St, Suite F
Wray, CO 80758
www.yumacounty.net

**Ph:** 970-332-5809
**Fax:** 970-332-5919

On eastern border of CO, east of Denver; organized Mar 15, 1889, from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the Yuma Indian tribe. The name, given to the tribe by the Spanish, may mean 'children of the sun' or may come from the Spanish *umo* 'smoke.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,367.71 (land 2,364.41; water 3.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,043. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,789 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 20.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 20.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.7%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,872; median household $42,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,757 - $38,367.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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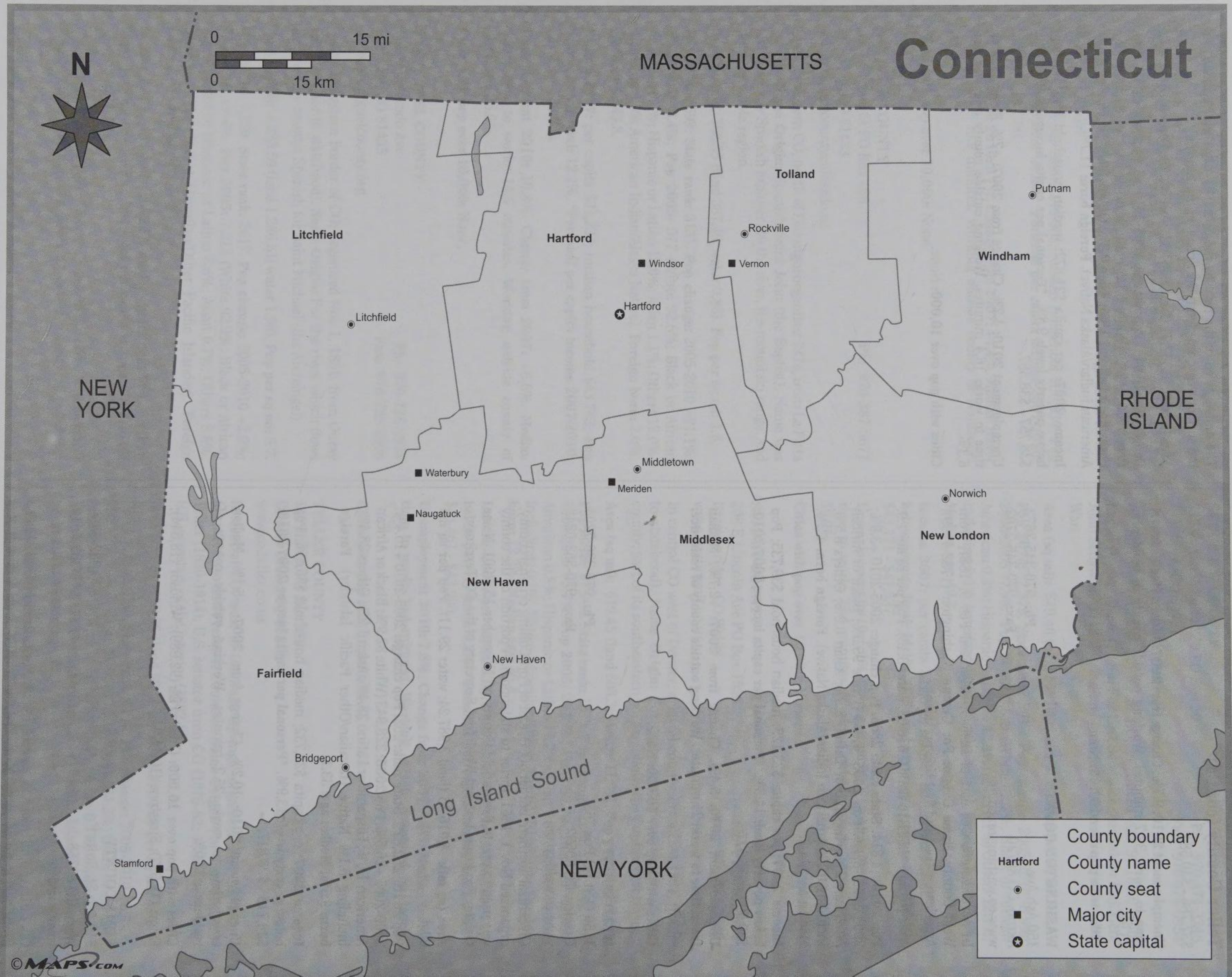
# Connecticut



# Connecticut

**CONNECTICUT STATE INFORMATION**
101 E River Dr Fl 4 **Ph:** 860-622-2200
East Hartford, CT 06108
www.ct.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 5,543.33 (land 4,844.80; water 698.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 738.1.

**Pop 2010:** 3,574,097. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,510,297 (White 77.6%; Black or African American 10.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.4%; Asian 3.8%; Others 13.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $56,001; median household $67,740; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,859 - $54,239.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

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**FAIRFIELD COUNTY**
611/725 Old Post Rd **Ph:** 203-256-3000
Fairfield, CT 06824
www.fairfieldct.org

In southwestern CT, bordered on the west by NY and on the south by Long Island Sound. Original county, organized May 10, 1666. **Name Origin:** Descriptive of the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 836.04 (land 624.89; water 211.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 1467.2.

**Pop 2010:** 916,829. **State rank:** 53. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 902,775 (White 74.8%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 16.9%; Asian 4.6%; Others 16.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.1%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $48,295; median household $81,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $80,139 - $71,768.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 34 for cities).

**HARTFORD CITY HALL**
550 Main St **Ph:** 860-522-4888
Hartford, CT 06103 **Fax:** 860-722-6591
www.hartford.gov

In north-central CT. Original county, organized May 10, 1666. **Name Origin:** For Hertford or Hertfordshire, England. Spelling reflects English pronunciation.

**Area (sq mi):** 750.23 (land 735.10; water 15.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1216.2.

**Pop 2010:** 894,014. **State rank:** 57. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 877,393 (White 72.4%; Black or African American 13.3%; Hispanic or Latino 15.3%; Asian 4.2%; Others 15.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,151; median household $62,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,595 - $51,320.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 34 for cities).

**LITCHFIELD COUNTY**
15 West St **Ph:** 860-567-0885
Litchfield, CT 06759 **Fax:** 860-567-4779
www.litchfieldcty.com

In northwestern CT, bordered on the west by NY and on the north by MA; organized Oct 14, 1751 from Hartford and Fairfield counties. **Name Origin:** For the town in England, in Hampshire County.

**Area (sq mi):** 945.21 (land 920.56; water 24.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 206.3.

**Pop 2010:** 189,927. **State rank:** 325. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 190,071 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,848; median household $69,639; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,384 - $50,365.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Torrington (36,383).

**MIDDLESEX COUNTY**
1 Court St **Ph:** 860-343-6400
Middletown, CT 06457 **Fax:** 860-343-6423
www.middlesexchamber.com

In south-central CT, east of New Haven, with Long Island Sound to the south and the Connecticut River to the east; organized May 2, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Hartford, New London, and New Haven counties. **Name Origin:** For a former county in southeast England.

**Area (sq mi):** 439.11 (land 369.30; water 69.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 448.6.

**Pop 2010:** 165,676. **State rank:** 368. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 163,214 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 2.6%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 43.1.

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## Middlesex County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,519; median household $74,906; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,986 - $51,807.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Middletown (47,648).

**NEW HAVEN CITY HALL**
165 Church St
New Haven, CT 06510
www.cityofnewhaven.com
**Ph:** 203-946-8200
**Fax:** 203-946-7683

In south-central CT on Long Island Sound, south of Hartford. Original county, organized May 10, 1666. **Name Origin:** For the colonial settlement at New Haven.

**Area (sq mi):** 860.89 (land 604.51; water 256.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 1426.7.

**Pop 2010:** 862,477. **State rank:** 60. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 846,766 (White 74.8%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 15.0%; Asian 3.5%; Others 15.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.4%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,720; median household $61,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,974 - $46,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 34 for cities).

**NEW LONDON COUNTY**
70 Huntington St
New London, CT 06320
**Ph:** 860-443-5363
**Fax:** 860-442-7703

In southeastern CT on Long Island Sound and east of the Connecticut River. Original county, organized May 10, 1666. **Name Origin:** For the city in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 770.63 (land 664.88; water 105.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 412.2.

**Pop 2010:** 274,055. **State rank:** 241. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 266,618 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 4.2%; Others 8.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,888; median household $65,419; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,158 - $45,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Norwich (40,493); New London (27,620); Groton (10,389).

**TOLLAND COUNTY**
69 Brooklyn St
Rockville, CT 06066
**Ph:** 860-896-4920
**Fax:** 860-897-0777

In north-central CT, east of Hartford; organized Oct 17, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Windham County. **Name Origin:** For the town in western England, in Somerset County.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.15 (land 410.21; water 6.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 372.2.

**Pop 2010:** 152,691. **State rank:** 410. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 147,634 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 3.4%; Others 4.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,108; median household $77,175; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,183 - $44,716.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Storrs (15,344).

**WINDHAM COUNTY**
PO Box 191
Putnam, CT 06260
**Ph:** 860-928-7749
**Fax:** 860-928-7076

In northeastern CT, bordered on the east by RI and on the north by MA; organized May 12, 1726 from Hartford and New London counties. **Name Origin:** For Wymondham, Norfolk, England; spelling reflects pronunciation.

**Area (sq mi):** 521.62 (land 512.91; water 8.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 230.9.

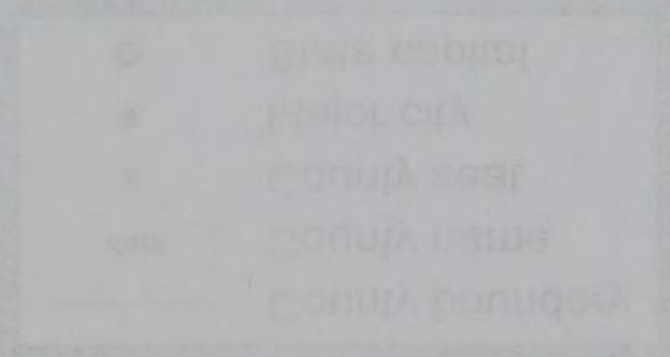
**Pop 2010:** 118,428. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 115,826 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 9.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,457; median household $59,370; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,577 - $37,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Willimantic (17,737).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*



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# Delaware

**DELAWARE STATE INFORMATION**
820 N French St 11th Floor
Wilmington, DE 19802
www.delaware.gov

**Ph:** 302-577-8476
**Fax:** 302-577-6701

**Area (sq mi):** 2,489.27 (land 1,953.56; water 535.71).

**Pop 2010:** 897,934. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 843,524 (White 68.9%; Black or African American 21.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 3.2%; Others 8.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.4.

median household $57,599; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.00%..

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

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**KENT COUNTY**
555 Bay Rd
Dover, DE 19901
www.co.kent.de.us

**Ph:** 302-744-2300
**Fax:** 302-736-2279

In central DE; organized as Saint Jones County in 1680 from Horre Kill District, which was organized in 1664; name changed in 1682. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 796.58 (land 586.18; water 210.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 276.9.

**Pop 2010:** 162,310. **State rank:** 388. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.7%; 2000-2005 +13.6%. **Pop 2005:** 143,968 (White 67.8%; Black or African American 24.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,194; median household $53,183; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,368 - $32,072.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dover 🏛 (36,047); Smyrna (10,023).

**NEW CASTLE COUNTY**
87 Reads Way
New Castle, DE 19720
www.co.new-castle.de.us

**Ph:** 302-395-5101
**Fax:** 302-395-5268

In northern DE; original county, organized 1673. **Name Origin:** Col. Richard Nicolls, in Oct. 1664, renamed the former Swedish-Dutch settlement of New Amstel to honor William Cavendish (1592-1676), Duke of Newcastle.

**Area (sq mi):** 493.53 (land 426.29; water 67.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 1263.2.

**Pop 2010:** 538,479. **State rank:** 118. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 523,008 (White 65.5%; Black or African American 23.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 4.3%; Others 8.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,220; median household $62,474; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,627 - $44,572.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 35 for cities).

**SUSSEX COUNTY**
2 The Circle PO Box 589
Georgetown, DE 19947
www.sussexcountyde.gov

**Ph:** 302-855-7743
**Fax:** 302-855-7749

In southern DE; organized as Deale County in 1680 from Horre Kill District, which was organized in 1664; name changed in 1682. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,194.15 (land 936.08; water 258.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 210.6.

**Pop 2010:** 197,145. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.7%; 2000-2005 +12.7%. **Pop 2005:** 176,548 (White 79.0%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 8.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,779; median household $51,046; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,915 - $34,512.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**FLORIDA STATE INFORMATION**
www.myflorida.com **Ph:** 850-488-1234

**Area (sq mi):** 65,754.59 (land 53,926.82; water 11,827.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 460.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,801,311. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,789,864 (White 75%; Black or African American 16%; Hispanic or Latino 22.5%; Asian 2.4%; Others 22.5%). **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,696; median household $56,966; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.00%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,256 - $38,270.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.3%.

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**ALACHUA COUNTY**
12 SE 1st St **Ph:** 352-374-5218
Gainesville, FL 32601 **Fax:** 352-374-5216
www.alachuacounty.us/Pages/AlachuaCounty.aspx

In north-central FL, north of Ocala; organized Dec 29, 1824 (prior to statehood) from Duval and Saint Johns counties. **Name Origin:** For a Seminole Indian town settled by Creek Indians from Oconee, GA. Name derives from *luchuwa* 'jug,' descriptive of a chasm, probably the Devil's Millhopper, near Gainesville, FL.

**Area (sq mi):** 969.90 (land 875.02; water 94.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 282.7.

**Pop 2010:** 247,336. **State rank:** 261. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.5%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 223,852 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 20.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 5.4%; Others 8.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 30.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,741; median household $40,644; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,232 - $34,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gainesville 🏛 (124,354); Spring Hill (98,621).

**BAKER COUNTY**
339 E Macclenny Ave **Ph:** 904-259-0209
Macclenny, FL 32063 **Fax:** 904-259-4176
bakercountyfl.org

On northern border of FL, west of Jacksonville; organized Feb 8, 1861 from New River County. **Name Origin:** For James McNair Baker (1821-92), FL legislator and jurist, associate justice of the FL supreme court (1866).

**Area (sq mi):** 588.90 (land 585.23; water 3.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,115. **State rank:** 1538. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,569 (White 83.7%; Black or African American 13.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,593; median household $47,276; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,953 - $25,236.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BAY COUNTY**
300 E 4th St, Rm 102 PO Box 2269 **Ph:** 850-763-9061
Panama City, FL 32401 **Fax:** 850-747-5188
www.co.bay.fl.us

On northern coast of the Gulf of Mexico; organized Apr 24, 1913 from Calhoun and Washington counties; name changed from New River County in 1861. **Name Origin:** For Saint Andrews Bay, in the southeastern part of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,028.06 (land 758.46; water 269.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 222.6.

**Pop 2010:** 168,852. **State rank:** 370. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 161,558 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 2.0%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,033; median household $47,770; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,037 - $36,305.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Panama City 🏛 (36,484); Lynn Haven (18,493); Callaway (14,405); Upper Grand Lagoon (13,963); Panama City Beach (12,018).

**BRADFORD COUNTY**
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Starke, FL 32091 **Fax:** 904-964-4454
www.bradford-co-fla.org

In north-central FL between Gainesville and Jacksonville; organized as New River County Dec 21, 1858; name changed Dec 6, 1861. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Richard Bradford (1839?-61), the first Florida officer killed in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 300.87 (land 293.96; water 6.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.

**Pop 2010:** 28,520. **State rank:** 1443. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%;

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## Bradford County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,118 (White 76.4%; Black or African American 20.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,997; median household $41,126; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,839 - $27,821.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BREVARD COUNTY

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Titusville, FL 32780
www.brevardcounty.us

**Ph:** 321-264-6942
**Fax:** 321-633-2115

On central east coast of FL, east of Orlando; organized as Saint Lucie County Mar 14, 1844 from Mosquito County; name changed Jan 6, 1855. **Name Origin:** For Theodore Washington Brevard (1804-77), FL state comptroller (1853-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,554.42 (land 1,015.66; water 538.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 535.

**Pop 2010:** 543,376. **State rank:** 117. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 531,250 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 10.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 2.1%; Others 8.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,606; median household $49,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,590 - $37,284.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 35 for cities).

### BROWARD COUNTY

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Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
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**Ph:** 954-357-7000
**Fax:** 954-357-7295

On southeastern coast of FL, north of Miami; organized Apr 30, 1915 from Dade and Palm Beach counties. **Name Origin:** For Napoleon Bonaparte Broward (1857-1910), FL governor (1905-09).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,324.03 (land 1,209.79; water 114.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 1444.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,748,066. **State rank:** 18. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,777,638 (White 63.1%; Black or African American 26.7%; Hispanic or Latino 25.1%; Asian 3.2%; Others 25.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.9%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,631; median household $51,694; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,321 - $41,146.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 26 (see page 35 for cities).

### CALHOUN COUNTY

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Blountstown, FL 32424
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**Fax:** 850-674-5553

In the central panhandle of FL, west of Tallahassee; organized Jan 26, 1838 (prior to statehood) from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.36 (land 567.33; water 7.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,625. **State rank:** 2168. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,290 (White 80.8%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,091; median household $31,699; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,842 - $22,240.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHARLOTTE COUNTY

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Port Charlotte, FL 33948
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**Ph:** 941-743-1944
**Fax:** 941-743-1530

On the Gulf coast of FL, north of Fort Myers; organized Apr 23, 1921 from DeSoto County. **Name Origin:** For Charlotte Harbor, possibly originally named for the Calusa tribe of southwestern FL, which the Spanish corrupted to Carlos or Calos. The name was later changed by English surveyors to honor Charlotte Sophia (1744-1818), wife of King George III of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 845.79 (land 680.28; water 165.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 235.2.

**Pop 2010:** 159,978. **State rank:** 392. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 157,536 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 55.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,938; median household $45,037; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,226 - $34,813.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Port Charlotte (54,392); Punta Gorda (16,641).

### CITRUS COUNTY

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Inverness, FL 34450
www.clerk.citrus.fl.us

**Ph:** 352-341-6424
**Fax:** 352-341-6491

On the Gulf coast of FL, southwest of Ocala; organized Jun 2, 1887 from Hernando County. **Name Origin:** For the major agricultural crop of the region.

**Area (sq mi):** 771.04 (land 581.70; water 189.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 242.8.

**Pop 2010:** 141,236. **State rank:** 439. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +13.8%. **Pop 2005:** 134,370 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 1.4%; Others

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Citrus County (cont'd)

4.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 54.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,551; median household $37,933; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,229 - $32,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Homosassa Springs (13,791).

### CLAY COUNTY

825 N Orange Ave
Green Cove Springs, FL 32043
www.claycountygov.com

**Ph:** 904-269-6376
**Fax:** 904-278-4731

In northeastern FL, southwest of Jacksonville; organized Dec 31, 1858 from Duval County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 646.95 (land 604.36; water 42.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 315.8.

**Pop 2010:** 190,865. **State rank:** 329. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +21.5%. **Pop 2005:** 171,095 (White 81.8%; Black or African American 9.9%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 2.9%; Others 7.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,872; median household $61,185; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,308 - $33,019.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lakeside (30,943); Middleburg (13,008).

### COLLIER COUNTY

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Naples, FL 34112
www.colliergov.net

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**Fax:** 239-252-4010

On the southwestern Gulf coast of FL, west of Fort Lauderdale; organized May 8, 1923 from Lee and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Barron Gift Collier (1873-1939), a promoter active in the development of southern FL.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,277.91 (land 1,998.32; water 279.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 160.9.

**Pop 2010:** 321,520. **State rank:** 198. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +22.2%. **Pop 2005:** 307,242 (White 83.9%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 25.9%; Asian 1.1%; Others 25.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 23.6%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,046; median household $58,106; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $63,423 - $57,788.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Immokalee (24,154); Golden Gate (23,961); Naples 🏛 (19,537).

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

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On northern border of FL, west of Jacksonville; organized Feb 4, 1832 (prior to statehood) from Alachua County. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 801.56 (land 797.57; water 3.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.7.

**Pop 2010:** 67,531. **State rank:** 760. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 64,040 (White 77.9%; Black or African American 17.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,366; median household $38,214; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,750 - $27,306.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lake City 🏛 (12,046).

### DESOTO COUNTY

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Arcadia, FL 34266
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**Fax:** 863-993-4809

In southwest-central FL, east of Sarasota; organized May 19, 1887 from Manatee County. **Name Origin:** For Hernando De Soto (c. 1500-42), Spanish explorer of southern U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 639.29 (land 637.06; water 2.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,862. **State rank:** 1286. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,406 (White 66.2%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 29.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 29.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 19.6%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,989; median household $35,979; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,257 - $22,957.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DIXIE COUNTY

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Cross City, FL 32628
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On the Gulf coast of FL, west of Gainesville; organized Apr 25, 1921 from Lafayette County. **Name Origin:** For the name applied to the Confederate States, from the song composed in 1859 by Daniel Decatur Emmett (1815-1904), said to be derived from a Creole pronunciation of the second name in the Mason and Dixon Line.

**Area (sq mi):** 864.70 (land 705.05; water 159.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,422. **State rank:** 2108. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.1%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,647 (White 88.8%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,066; median household $32,312; **Pop**

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## Dixie County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,715 - $20,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DUVAL COUNTY**
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Jacksonville, FL 32202
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**Fax:** 904-630-2906

On the northeastern coast of FL; organized Aug 12, 1822 from Saint Johns County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For William Pope DuVal (1784-1854), governor of the Florida Territory (1822-34).

**Area (sq mi):** 906.76 (land 762.19; water 144.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 1133.9.

**Pop 2010:** 864,263. **State rank:** 58. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 826,436 (White 60.9%; Black or African American 29.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 4.2%; Others 7.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,854; median household $49,463; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,511 - $39,140.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 35 for cities).

**ESCAMBIA COUNTY**
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Pensacola, FL 32591
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**Fax:** 850-595-4908

On northwestern border of FL, bordered on the south by the Gulf of Mexico; original county; organized Jul 21, 1822 (prior to statehood). It is one of the two first counties; the other is Saint Johns. **Name Origin:** For the river, which forms its eastern border; probably a Spanish rendering of a Choctaw or Chickasaw Indian word but origin is in dispute. River formerly called the *Pensacola*. There may be a connection to Spanish *cambiar* 'to trade.'

**Area (sq mi):** 869.67 (land 656.46; water 213.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 453.4.

**Pop 2010:** 297,619. **State rank:** 208. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 296,772 (White 68.9%; Black or African American 22.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 2.7%; Others 4.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,474; median household $43,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,661 - $35,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 35 for cities).

**FLAGLER COUNTY**
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On northeastern Atlantic coast of FL, north of Daytona Beach; organized Apr 28, 1917 from Saint Johns and Volusia counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Morrison Flagler (1830-1913), founder of the Florida East Coast Railroad (1886) and a leader in developing Florida's east coast as a resort area.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.23 (land 485.46; water 85.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 197.1.

**Pop 2010:** 95,696. **State rank:** 614. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +25.2%; 2000-2005 +53.3%. **Pop 2005:** 76,410 (White 82.3%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 2.1%; Others 8.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.1%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,939; median household $48,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,947 - $31,904.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.5%. **Change from 2007:** +9.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Palm Coast (75,180).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
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In eastern FL panhandle, southwest of Tallahassee and bordered on south by the Gulf of Mexico; organized Feb 8, 1832 from Jackson County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,027.87 (land 534.73; water 493.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,549. **State rank:** 2332. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 -8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,177 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,005; median household $36,490; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,251 - $28,544.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GADSDEN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 850-875-8612

On northern border of FL panhandle, west of Tallahassee; organized Jun 24, 1823 (prior to statehood) from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For James Gadsden (1788-1858), SC soldier and politician, negotiator of the Gadsden Purchase (1853).

**Area (sq mi):** 528.68 (land 516.33; water 12.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.8.

**Pop 2010:** 46,389. **State rank:** 1006. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 46,428 (White 35.9%; Black or African American 56.0%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 9.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Gadsden County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,843; median household $35,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,722 - $27,454.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Midway (16,115).

### GILCHRIST COUNTY

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In north-central FL, west of Gainesville; organized Dec 4, 1925 from Alachua County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Albert Waller Gilchrist (1858-1926), officer, FL legislator, and governor (1909-13).

**Area (sq mi):** 356.26 (land 349.68; water 6.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,939. **State rank:** 1957. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +13.6%. **Pop 2005:** 16,402 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,309; median household $37,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,510 - $29,682.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GLADES COUNTY

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Moore Haven, FL 33471
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**Fax:** 863-946-0560

In south-central FL, includes part of Lake Okeechobee; organized Apr 23, 1921 from DeSoto County. **Name Origin:** A shortened form of *Everglades*: the county is at their northern extent.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,018.80 (land 806.01; water 212.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.

**Pop 2010:** 12,884. **State rank:** 2354. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.5%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,252 (White 71.0%; Black or African American 12.3%; Hispanic or Latino 21.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 21.1%, including 4.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.3%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,872; median household $39,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,156 - $22,140.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GULF COUNTY

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**Fax:** 850-229-6174

In FL panhandle, southwest of Tallahassee; organized Jun 6, 1925 from Calhoun County. **Name Origin:** For the Gulf of Mexico, which forms its southern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 754.01 (land 564.01; water 190). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.1.

**Pop 2010:** 15,863. **State rank:** 2052. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,975 (White 78.1%; Black or African American 18.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,968; median household $39,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,670 - $25,824.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMILTON COUNTY

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Jasper, FL 32052
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**Fax:** 386-792-3524

On northern border of FL, between Jacksonville and Tallahassee; organized Dec 26, 1827 from Duval County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 518.24 (land 513.79; water 4.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,799. **State rank:** 2119. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,983 (White 59.8%; Black or African American 34.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,794; median household $37,613; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,810 - $19,349.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDEE COUNTY

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Wauchula, FL 33873
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**Fax:** 863-773-0958

In south-central FL, south of Winter Haven; organized Apr 23, 1921 from DeSoto County. **Name Origin:** For Cary Augustus Hardee (1876-1957), governor of FL (1921-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 638.81 (land 637.78; water 1.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.5.

**Pop 2010:** 27,731. **State rank:** 1434. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,286 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 42.9%; Asian 1.1%; Others 42.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 21.3%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,668; median household $37,466; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,705 - $24,091.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sweetwater (13,499).

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In south-central FL, east of Fort Myers; organized May 11, 1923 from Calhoun County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Francis Asbury Hendry (?-1917), Confederate officer, dubbed the Cattle King of South Florida.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,190.01 (land 1,152.75; water 37.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.

**Pop 2010:** 39,140. **State rank:** 1176. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 39,561 (White 59.9%; Black or African American 13.4%; Hispanic or Latino 49.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 49.2%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 27.8%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,734; median household $37,298; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,834 - $27,355.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HERNANDO COUNTY**
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Brooksville, FL 34601
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**Fax:** 352-754-4477

On central Gulf coast of FL, north of Tampa; organized Feb 24, 1843 (prior to statehood). Name changed to Benton County Mar 6, 1844, and back again Dec 24, 1850. **Name Origin:** For Hernando De Soto (c. 1496/1500-42), Spanish explorer of southern U.S. Changed to honor Thomas Hart Benton (1782-53) who sponsored legislation to open central FL to settlement; name changed back because of his moderate position on the Missouri Compromise.

**Area (sq mi):** 583.31 (land 472.54; water 110.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 365.6.

**Pop 2010:** 172,778. **State rank:** 356. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +21.1%. **Pop 2005:** 158,409 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 10.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 10.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,775; median household $42,011; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,148 - $29,397.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (98,621).

**HIGHLANDS COUNTY**
430 S Commerce Ave
Sebring, FL 33870
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**Ph:** 863-402-6500
**Fax:** 863-402-6507

In central FL, west of Ft. Pierce; organized Apr 23, 1921 from DeSoto County. **Name Origin:** For the hilliness of the area, in a state almost completely flat.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,094.63 (land 1,016.62; water 78.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.2.

**Pop 2010:** 98,786. **State rank:** 586. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 95,496 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 17.4%; Asian 1.5%; Others 17.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.3%. **Median age:** 51.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,579; median household $34,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,498 - $28,630.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sebring (10,491).

**HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 813-276-2437

On Tampa Bay on the central Gulf coast of FL; organized Jan 25, 1834 (prior to statehood) from Alachua and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Wills Hills, Earl of Hillsborough (1718-93), Irish peer and secretary of state for the colonies (1768-72) who had received a large grant of land in FL. Named by Bernard Romans, his surveyor.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,235.52 (land 1,020.21; water 215.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 1204.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,229,226. **State rank:** 32. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,132,152 (White 71.3%; Black or African American 16.7%; Hispanic or Latino 24.9%; Asian 3.4%; Others 24.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.1%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,062; median household $49,536; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,473 - $36,869.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 27 (see page 35 for cities).

**HOLMES COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 850-547-6630

On northern border of FL panhandle, north of Panama City; organized Jan 8, 1848 from Walton and Calhoun counties. **Name Origin:** For Holmes Creek, which forms the eastern boundary of the county. The creek was named for the valley, which was probably named for a Creek Indian chief, killed (1818) by troops under the command of Andrew Jackson (1767-1845); or possibly for Thomas J. Holmes, a settler from NC about 1830.

**Area (sq mi):** 485.04 (land 478.78; water 6.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,927. **State rank:** 1854. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,264 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,285; median household $32,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,126 - $25,684.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hudson (12,158).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**INDIAN RIVER COUNTY**
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Vero Beach, FL 32960
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**Fax:** 772-978-1822

On south-central Atlantic coast of FL, north of Fort Pierce; organized May 30, 1925 from Saint Lucie County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian River, which forms its eastern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 616.56 (land 502.87; water 113.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 274.5.

**Pop 2010:** 138,028. **State rank:** 448. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +13.9%. **Pop 2005:** 128,594 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 9.0%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 11.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 49.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,918; median household $47,341; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $56,122 - $49,963.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sebastian (21,929); Florida Ridge (18,164); Vero Beach 🏛 (15,220).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Marianna, FL 32447
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On northern border of FL panhandle, northwest of Tallahassee; organized Aug 12, 1822 (prior to statehood) from Escambia County; in 1834 annexed Fayette County, which was organized in 1832. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 956.70 (land 917.76; water 38.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.2.

**Pop 2010:** 49,746. **State rank:** 950. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 48,985 (White 69.1%; Black or African American 26.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,177; median household $38,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,227 - $27,985.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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On northern Gulf coast of FL, east of Tallahassee; organized Jan 20, 1827 (prior to statehood) from Leon County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.01 (land 598.10; water 38.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,761. **State rank:** 2154. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 14,490 (White 60.4%; Black or African American 36.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,647; median household $41,359; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,324 - $28,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAFAYETTE COUNTY**
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In northern FL, northwest of Gainesville; organized Dec 23, 1856 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 548.49 (land 543.41; water 5.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,870. **State rank:** 2592. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,953 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 15.9%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 12.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,069; median household $46,445; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,850 - $18,620.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Midway (16,115).

**LAKE COUNTY**
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In central FL, west of Orlando; organized May 27, 1887 from Orange and Sumter counties. **Name Origin:** For the more than 500 lakes of 10 acres or more in the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,141.63 (land 938.38; water 203.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 316.6.

**Pop 2010:** 297,052. **State rank:** 203. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +31.6%. **Pop 2005:** 277,035 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 9.8%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 1.7%; Others 12.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.7%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,323; median household $46,477; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,034 - $32,697.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 35 for cities).

**LEE COUNTY**
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On southwestern Gulf coast of FL, north of Naples; organized May 13, 1887 from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate

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forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,192.77 (land 784.51; water 408.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 788.7.

**Pop 2010:** 618,754. **State rank:** 105. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.6%; 2000-2005 +23.6%. **Pop 2005:** 544,758 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 18.3%; Asian 1.4%; Others 18.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.3%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,445; median household $50,014; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,937 - $41,094.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 35 for cities).

**LEON COUNTY**
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Tallahassee, FL 32301
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In eastern end of FL panhandle; organized Dec 9, 1824 (prior to statehood) from Gadsden County. **Name Origin:** For Juan Ponce de Leon (1460-1521), Spanish colonial governor and discoverer of Florida while in search of the fountain of youth.

**Area (sq mi):** 701.89 (land 666.85; water 35.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 413.1.

**Pop 2010:** 275,487. **State rank:** 243. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.1%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 245,756 (White 63.0%; Black or African American 30.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 2.9%; Others 5.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,803; median household $44,490; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,021 - $35,129.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tallahassee (181,376); Spring Hill (98,621).

**LEVY COUNTY**
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On Gulf coast of FL, west of Ocala; organized Mar 10, 1845 from Alachua and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For David Levy [Yulee] (1810-86), West Indian-born FL legislator, first U.S. senator from FL (1845-51; 1855-61), and member of the Confederate Congress (1861-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,412.15 (land 1,118.21; water 293.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.5.

**Pop 2010:** 40,801. **State rank:** 1189. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 37,998 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,703; median household $35,737; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,682 - $25,550.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIBERTY COUNTY**
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In eastern end of FL panhandle, southwest of Tallahassee; organized Dec 15, 1855 from Franklin and Gadsden counties. **Name Origin:** For the objective of the people who founded the U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 842.85 (land 835.56; water 7.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.

**Pop 2010:** 8,365. **State rank:** 2589. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,773 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 17.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.2%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,003; median household $40,777; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,458 - $23,400.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sweetwater (13,499).

**MADISON COUNTY**
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On northern border of FL, east of Tallahassee; organized Dec 26, 1827 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 719.95 (land 695.95; water 24). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,224. **State rank:** 1866. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 19,092 (White 57.6%; Black or African American 38.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,346; median household $37,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,163 - $24,455.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MANATEE COUNTY**
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On central Gulf coast, south of Tampa; organized Jan 9, 1855 from Hillsborough County. **Name Origin:** For the manatee, or sea cow, an endangered aquatic mammal found in the local waterways.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.65 (land 742.93; water 151.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 434.5.

**Pop 2010:** 322,833. **State rank:** 199. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +16.2%. **Pop 2005:** 306,779 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 14.9%; Asian 1.6%; Others 14.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**born:** 12.3%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,072; median household $47,812; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,131 - $38,776.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bradenton 🏛 (49,546); South Bradenton (22,178); Bayshore Gardens (16,323); Palmetto (12,606).

**MARION COUNTY**
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In north-central FL, south of Gainesville; organized Mar 14, 1844 (prior to statehood) from Alachua County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-1795), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,668.70 (land 1,584.55; water 84.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 209.1.

**Pop 2010:** 331,298. **State rank:** 193. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +17.2%. **Pop 2005:** 303,442 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 12.3%; Hispanic or Latino 10.9%; Asian 1.3%; Others 10.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,384; median household $40,339; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,187 - $31,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +9.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ocala 🏛 (56,315).

**MARTIN COUNTY**
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On central Atlantic coast of FL, north of Palm Beach; organized May 30, 1925 from Palm Beach County. **Name Origin:** For John W. Martin (1884-1958), governor of FL (1925-29).

**Area (sq mi):** 740.64 (land 543.46; water 197.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 269.2.

**Pop 2010:** 146,318. **State rank:** 440. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 139,728 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 5.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 12.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.4%. **Median age:** 49.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,772; median household $53,210; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $59,114 - $51,723.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 35 for cities).

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY**
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In southeastern FL, south of Fort Lauderdale; organized Feb 4, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Monroe County. Renamed as Miami-Dade County effective July 22, 1997. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Francis Langhorne Dade (1793-1835), officer killed in the Seminole War (1835-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,382.91 (land 1,897.72; water 485.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 1315.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,496,435. **State rank:** 8. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,376,014 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 18.9%; Hispanic or Latino 65.0%; Asian 1.5%; Others 65.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 51.1%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,957; median household $43,605; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,492 - $36,520.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 50 (see page 35 for cities).

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In southwestern FL, includes the Florida Keys; organized Jul 3, 1823 (prior to statehood) from Saint Johns County. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,723.52 (land 983.28; water 2,740.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.3.

**Pop 2010:** 73,090. **State rank:** 729. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 76,329 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 20.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 20.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.2%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,516; median household $53,821; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $61,557 - $58,799.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Plantation (84,955); Key West 🏛 (24,649); Pinecrest (18,223); Key Largo (10,433).

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In northeastern corner of FL, north of Jacksonville; organized Dec 29, 1824 (prior to statehood) from Duval County. **Name Origin:** For the Nassau River, which forms part of the northern border of the county, and Nassau Sound; named for the duchy in Germany associated with the House of Orange.

**Area (sq mi):** 722.94 (land 648.64; water 74.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 113.

**Pop 2010:** 73,314. **State rank:** 749. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.2%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 64,746 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%.

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## Nassau County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,089; median household $58,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,046 - $43,010.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yulee (11,491); Fernandina Beach (11,487).

### OKALOOSA COUNTY

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Crestview, FL 32536 **Fax:** 850-689-5818
www.co.okaloosa.fl.us

In northwestern FL panhandle, east of Pensacola; organized Jun 13, 1915 from Santa Rosa and Walton counties. **Name Origin:** From Choctaw Indian name for the Blackwater River, which runs through the county; from *oka* 'water' and *lusa* 'black.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,076.62 (land 930.25; water 146.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 194.4.

**Pop 2010:** 180,822. **State rank:** 342. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 182,172 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 2.9%; Others 6.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,621; median household $54,242; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,711 - $41,024.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 36 for cities).

### OKEECHOBEE COUNTY

304 NW 2nd St Rm 123 **Ph:** 863-763-6441
Okeechobee, FL 34972 **Fax:** 863-763-9529
www.co.okeechobee.fl.us

In east-central FL, west of Fort Pierce; organized May 8, 1917 from Osceola and Palm Beach counties. **Name Origin:** For Lake Okeechobee, which forms the county's southern boundary; from Hitchiti (Muskhogan) Indian *oki* 'water' and *chobi* 'big.'

**Area (sq mi):** 886.54 (land 768.91; water 117.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.

**Pop 2010:** 39,996. **State rank:** 1166. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 39,836 (White 77.5%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 23.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 23.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.1%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,664; median household $38,339; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,776 - $27,895.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ORANGE COUNTY

201 S Rosalind Ave, 5th Fl PO Box1393 **Ph:** 407-836-7350
Orlando, FL 32802 **Fax:** 407-836-5879
www.orangecountyfl.net

In central FL, southwest of Daytona Beach; organized as Mosquito County Dec 29, 1824 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands; name changed Jan 30, 1845. **Name Origin:** For the major crop in the region.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,000.17 (land 903.43; water 96.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 1268.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,145,956. **State rank:** 35. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 +14.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,023,023 (White 63.6%; Black or African American 20.8%; Hispanic or Latino 26.9%; Asian 4.9%; Others 26.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.1%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,490; median household $50,138; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,764 - $34,635.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 18 (see page 36 for cities).

### OSCEOLA COUNTY

2 Courthouse Sq Suite 2000 **Ph:** 407-343-3500
Kissimmee, FL 34741 **Fax:** 407-343-3699
www.osceola.org

In east-central FL, west of Melbourne; organized May 12, 1887 from Brevard and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For Osceola (c. 1804-38), Seminole leader during the early years of the Second Seminole War (1835-42). Name is from Creek *asi-yahola* 'black drink cry,' and refers to a ceremonial drink made from leaves of the yaupon bush (Ilex vomitoria).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,511.90 (land 1,327.45; water 184.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 202.4.

**Pop 2010:** 268,685. **State rank:** 234. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.0%; 2000-2005 +34.3%. **Pop 2005:** 231,578 (White 71.0%; Black or African American 11.3%; Hispanic or Latino 45.5%; Asian 2.8%; Others 45.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.7%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,536; median household $46,328; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,410 - $26,033.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kissimmee (59,682); Poinciana (53,193); Buenaventura Lakes (26,079).

### PALM BEACH COUNTY

301 N Olive Ave **Ph:** 561-355-2001
West Palm Beach, FL 33401 **Fax:** 561-355-3990
www.co.palm-beach.fl.us

On south-central Atlantic coast, north of Fort Lauderdale; organized Apr 30, 1909 from Dade County. **Name Origin:** For the coconut palms that are common in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,381.98 (land 1,969.76; water 412.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 670.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,320,134. **State rank:** 28. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,268,548 (White 73.5%; Black or African American 17.3%; Hispanic or Latino 19.0%; Asian

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Palm Beach County (cont'd)

2.4%; Others 19.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.3%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,610; median household $53,242; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $58,749 - $52,526.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 15 (see page 36 for cities).

### PASCO COUNTY

7530 Little Rd
New Port Richey, FL 34654
www.pascocountyfl.net

**Ph:** 727-847-8137

On central Gulf coast of FL, north of Tampa; organized Jun 2, 1887 from Hernando County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Pasco (1834-1917), English-born FL legislator, and U.S. senator (1887-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 869.99 (land 746.89; water 123.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 622.2.

**Pop 2010:** 464,697. **State rank:** 139. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.3%; 2000-2005 +24.5%. **Pop 2005:** 429,065 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 11.7%; Asian 2.1%; Others 11.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,164; median household $44,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,539 - $30,424.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 36 for cities).

### PINELLAS COUNTY

315 Court St
Clearwater, FL 33756
www.pinellascounty.org

**Ph:** 727-464-3485
**Fax:** 727-464-4384

On central Gulf coast of FL, west of Tampa, largely a peninsula, bounded on the east by Old Tampa Bay; organized May 23, 1911 from Hillsborough County. **Name Origin:** Derived from Spanish *punta pinal* 'point of pines.'

**Area (sq mi):** 601.55 (land 273.80; water 327.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 3347.5.

**Pop 2010:** 916,542. **State rank:** 51. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 928,032 (White 82.1%; Black or African American 10.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 3.0%; Others 8.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.2%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,742; median household $45,258; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,185 - $41,964.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 36 for cities).

### POLK COUNTY

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Bartow, FL 33831-1900
www.polk-county.net

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**Fax:** 863-534-7655

In central FL, east of Tampa; organized Feb 8, 1861 from Brevard and Hillsborough counties. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,933.44 (land 1,797.84; water 135.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 334.9.

**Pop 2010:** 602,095. **State rank:** 106. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 542,912 (White 75.2%; Black or African American 14.8%; Hispanic or Latino 17.7%; Asian 1.6%; Others 17.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.7%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,881; median household $43,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,838 - $31,807.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 36 for cities).

### PUTNAM COUNTY

PO Box 758
Palatka, FL 32178
www.co.putnam.fl.us

**Ph:** 386-329-0361
**Fax:** 386-329-0888

In northeastern FL, east of Gainesville; organized Jan 13, 1849 from Alachua, Duval, Marion, Mosquito (now Orange), and Saint Johns counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Alexander Putnam (1801-69), officer in the Seminole Indian War (1835-42), FL legislator, and surveyor-general of FL (1848-54).

**Area (sq mi):** 832.89 (land 727.62; water 105.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.2.

**Pop 2010:** 74,364. **State rank:** 732. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 73,568 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 16.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 9.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,402; median household $34,645; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,875 - $26,885.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Palatka 🏛 (10,558).

### SAINT JOHNS COUNTY

4010 Lewis Speedway
Saint Augustine, FL 32084
www.co.st-johns.fl.us

**Ph:** 904-819-3600
**Fax:** 904-819-3661

In northeastern FL, south of Jacksonville; original county; organized Aug 12, 1822 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Saint Johns River, which forms its western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.08 (land 600.66; water 212.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 316.4.

**Pop 2010:** 190,039. **State rank:** 328. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.7%; 2000-2005 +31.2%. **Pop 2005:** 161,525 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 2.1%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 42.2.

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## Saint Johns County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,027; median household $62,663; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,714 - $48,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fruit Cove (29,362); Palm Valley (20,019).

### SAINT LUCIE COUNTY

PO Box 700
Fort Pierce, FL 34954
www.stlucieco.gov

**Ph:** 772-462-6900
**Fax:** 772-462-1614

On central Atlantic coast of FL, north of Palm Beach; organized Mar 14, 1844 (prior to statehood) from Mosquito County; name changed to Brevard County on Jan 6, 1855. The present-day Saint Lucie County was organized from Brevard County May 24, 1905. **Name Origin:** For Saint Lucy (c.283-303), early Christian martyr.

**Area (sq mi):** 687.56 (land 571.93; water 115.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 485.7.

**Pop 2010:** 277,789. **State rank:** 242. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.1%; 2000-2005 +25.2%. **Pop 2005:** 241,305 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 19.1%; Hispanic or Latino 16.6%; Asian 1.6%; Others 16.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.6%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,296; median household $45,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,568 - $29,670.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Pierce (41,590); Lakewood Park (11,323).

### SANTA ROSA COUNTY

68655 Caroline St
Milton, FL 32570
www.co.santa-rosa.fl.us

**Ph:** 850-983-1974
**Fax:** 850-983-1986

In western end of FL panhandle, east of Pensacola; organized Feb 18, 1842 (prior to statehood) from Escambia County. **Name Origin:** For Santa Rosa Island, which lies off its southern coast; named for Santa Rosa de Viterbo (1235-52), Christian saint.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,168.26 (land 1,011.61; water 156.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 149.6.

**Pop 2010:** 151,372. **State rank:** 406. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +21.5%. **Pop 2005:** 143,105 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 5.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 1.8%; Others 4.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,384; median household $55,129; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,140 - $34,838.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (98,621); Navarre (31,378); Pace (20,039); East Milton (11,074).

### SARASOTA COUNTY

PO Box 3079
Sarasota, FL 34230
www.co.sarasota.fl.us

**Ph:** 941-861-7400

On central Gulf coast of FL, south of Tampa; organized May 14, 1921 from Manatee County. **Name Origin:** Variously attributed to Spanish and Indian sources. One version states that the Spanish gave this name to the area, with the meaning 'place of dancing'; another explanation is that this was the site of a Seminole village named Sarasota, meaning 'point of rocks.'

**Area (sq mi):** 709.50 (land 555.87; water 153.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 682.6.

**Pop 2010:** 379,448. **State rank:** 176. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +12.4%. **Pop 2005:** 366,256 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.9%; Asian 1.3%; Others 7.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.6%. **Median age:** 52.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,045; median household $49,388; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,239 - $52,331.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 36 for cities).

### SEMINOLE COUNTY

1101 E 1st St
Sanford, FL 32771
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**Ph:** 407-665-7945
**Fax:** 407-665-7939

In east-central FL, north of Orlando; organized Apr 25, 1913 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For the Muskhogean tribe who lived in FL until the end of the Seminole War (1835-42). Remnants of the tribe moved into the Everglades and their descendants are still there. The name may be from Creek *ishti semoli* 'wild men' or 'separate ones.'

**Area (sq mi):** 345.89 (land 309.22; water 36.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 1367.

**Pop 2010:** 422,718. **State rank:** 158. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 401,619 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 11.1%; Hispanic or Latino 17.1%; Asian 3.7%; Others 17.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.5%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,795; median household $58,971; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,588 - $40,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 12 (see page 36 for cities).

### SUMTER COUNTY

209 N Florida St
Bushnell, FL 33513
www.bocc.co.sumter.fl.us

**Ph:** 352-793-0200
**Fax:** 352-793-0207

In west-central FL, west of Orlando; organized 1853 from Marion and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Sumter (1734-1832), American Revolutionary officer nicknamed the Gamecock of the Revolution, U.S. representative from GA (1789-93; 1797-1801), and U.S. senator (1801-10).

**Area (sq mi):** 581.51 (land 546.93; water 34.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 170.8.

**Pop 2010:** 93,420. **State rank:** 697. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +45.6%;

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sumter County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +20.3%. **Pop 2005:** 64,182 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 62.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,180; median household $43,079; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,391 - $24,836.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** The Villages (51,442).

### SUWANNEE COUNTY

200 S Ohio Ave
Live Oak, FL 32064
www.suwanneechamber.com

**Ph:** 386-364-3498
**Fax:** 386-362-0548

In northern FL, west of Jacksonville; organized Dec 21, 1858 from Columbia County. **Name Origin:** For the Suwanee River, which forms the northern and western borders of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 692.81 (land 688.55; water 4.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.3.

**Pop 2010:** 41,551. **State rank:** 1168. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 38,624 (White 82.5%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,782; median household $36,352; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,528 - $27,380.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TAYLOR COUNTY

108 North Jefferson St PO Box 620
Perry, FL 32348
www.taylorcountygov.com

**Ph:** 850-838-3506
**Fax:** 850-838-3549

On northern Gulf coast of FL, southeast of Tallahassee; organized Dec 23, 1856 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For Zachary Taylor (1784-1850), twelfth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,233.41 (land 1,043.31; water 190.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,570. **State rank:** 1743. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.0%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 19,622 (White 75.2%; Black or African American 20.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,649; median household $37,408; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,304 - $26,088.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### UNION COUNTY

55 W Main St Rm 103
Lake Butler, FL 32054
www.unioncofl.com

**Ph:** 386-496-3711
**Fax:** 386-496-1718

In north-central FL, southwest of Jacksonville; organized May 20, 1921( October 1, 1921) from Bradford County. **Name Origin:** An expression of unity between political parties in the division of Bradford County, from which this was formed, and in the location of the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 252.98 (land 243.56; water 9.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,535. **State rank:** 2122. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,916 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 22.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,657; median household $41,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,643 - $18,421.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lake Butler (15,400).

### VOLUSIA COUNTY

123 W Indiana Ave
DeLand, FL 32720
volusia.org

**Ph:** 386-736-5920
**Fax:** 386-822-5707

On central Atlantic coast of FL, northeast of Orlando; organized Dec 29, 1854 from Saint Lucie County. **Name Origin:** For Volusia Landing on the Saint Johns River, the latter forms the western border of the county. Origin uncertain.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,430.22 (land 1,101.03; water 329.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 449.2.

**Pop 2010:** 494,593. **State rank:** 130. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 490,055 (White 82.5%; Black or African American 10.5%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 1.5%; Others 11.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,768; median household $44,400; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,321 - $32,212.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 36 for cities).

### WAKULLA COUNTY

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Crawfordville, FL 32327
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**Ph:** 850-926-0919
**Fax:** 850-926-0940

On north Gulf coast of FL, south of Tallahassee; organized Mar 11, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Leon County. **Name Origin:** Possibly from Creek *wahkola* 'loon,'

**Area (sq mi):** 735.50 (land 606.42; water 129.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.8.

**Pop 2010:** 30,776. **State rank:** 1349. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +23.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,212 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 14.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.8.

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## Wakulla County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,892; median household $53,301; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,400 - $28,711.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALTON COUNTY**
571 US Highway 90 **Ph:** 850-892-8115
De Funiak Springs, FL 32435 **Fax:** 850-892-8711
www.co.walton.fl.us

In central part of FL panhandle, east of Pensacola; organized Dec 29, 1824 (prior to statehood) from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For Col. George William Walton (1740-1804), secretary of the Territory of West Florida under Andrew Jackson (1821-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,218.10 (land 1,037.63; water 180.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.

**Pop 2010:** 55,043. **State rank:** 898. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 +23.9%. **Pop 2005:** 50,324 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.3%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,746; median household $47,273; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,591 - $30,601.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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Chipley, FL 32428 **Fax:** 850-638-6106
www.washingtonfl.com

In central part of FL panhandle, north of Panama City; organized Dec 9, 1825 (prior to statehood) from Jackson and Walton counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.66 (land 582.80; water 35.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.7.

**Pop 2010:** 24,896. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 22,299 (White 80.4%; Black or African American 15.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,470; median household $36,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,812 - $23,782.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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# Georgia

**GEORGIA STATE INFORMATION**
www.georgia.gov **Ph:** 404-656-2000

**Area (sq mi):** 59,424.77 (land 57,906.14; water 1,518.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 168.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,687,653. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,072,576 (White 59.7%; Black or African American 30.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 3.2%; Others 8.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,490; median household $49,347; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.70%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,369 - $34,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

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**APPLING COUNTY**
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www.baxley.org/site

In southeast-central GA; organized 1818 (prior to statehood) from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Appling (1787-1818), an officer in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 510.69 (land 507.08; water 3.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.

**Pop 2010:** 18,236. **State rank:** 1908. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 17,954 (White 73.4%; Black or African American 18.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 9.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,977; median household $36,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,243 - $25,865.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ATHENS-CLARKE COUNTY**
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Athens, GA 30603 **Fax:** 706-613-3033
www.athensclarkecounty.com

In north-central GA, northeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 5, 1801 from Jackson and Greene counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Elijah Clarke ( 1733-99), an officer in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 119.69 (land 119.20; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 979.1.

**Pop 2010:** 116,714. **State rank:** 509. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 104,439 (White 61.9%; Black or African American 26.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.4%; Asian 4.2%; Others 10.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 25.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,839; median household $34,253; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,484 - $25,309.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ATKINSON COUNTY**
86 Main St S PO Box 518 **Ph:** 912-422-3391
Pearson, GA 31642 **Fax:** 912-422-3429
www.atkinson-ga.org

In south-central GA, northeast of Valdosta; organized Aug 15, 1917 from Coffee and Clinch counties. **Name Origin:** For William Yates Atkinson (1854-99), GA governor (1894-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 345.43 (land 339.38; water 6.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,375. **State rank:** 2570. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 8,030 (White 62.2%; Black or African American 17.3%; Hispanic or Latino 24.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 24.3%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.3%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,456; median household $33,834; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,073 - $21,661.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.2%. **Change from 2007:** +10.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AUGUSTA-RICHMOND COUNTY**
530 Greene St, Suite 801 **Ph:** 706-821-2400
Augusta, GA 30901 **Fax:** 706-821-2819
www.augustaga.gov

On central east coast of GA; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint Paul Parish. **Name Origin:** For Charles Lennox, 1st Duke of Richmond (1672-1723).

**Area (sq mi):** 328.74 (land 324.33; water 4.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 618.4.

**Pop 2010:** 200,549. **State rank:** 308. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 195,769 (White 39.7%; Black or African American 54.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 1.7%; Others 4.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,604; median household $37,882; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,829 - $29,686.

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## Augusta-Richmond County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BACON COUNTY

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**Fax:** 912-632-2757

In southeast-central GA, northwest of Brunswick; organized Jul 27, 1914 from Appling, Pierce, and Ware counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Augustus Octavius Bacon (1839-1914), Confederate army officer and U.S. senator (1895-1914) from GA.

**Area (sq mi):** 259.55 (land 258.58; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,096. **State rank:** 2386. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 10,379 (White 78.6%; Black or African American 15.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,110; median household $31,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,910 - $24,300.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BAKER COUNTY

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**Fax:** 229-734-7770

In southwestern GA, southwest of Albany; organized Dec 12, 1825 from Early County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Baker (?-1792), Army officer and GA legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 347.89 (land 341.94; water 5.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 3,451. **State rank:** 2924. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -16.9%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,154 (White 48.5%; Black or African American 46.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,379; median household $27,462; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,141 - $32,761.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BALDWIN COUNTY

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In central GA, northeast of Macon; original county; organized May 11, 1803 from Creek Indian lands and Hancock, Washington, and Wilkinson counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Baldwin (1754-1807), member of the Continental Congress, and U.S. senator from GA (1799-1807).

**Area (sq mi):** 266.89 (land 257.84; water 9.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 177.3.

**Pop 2010:** 45,720. **State rank:** 1020. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 45,230 (White 54.9%; Black or African American 41.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,488; median household $37,237; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,032 - $27,663.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +10%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Milledgeville (17,715).

### BANKS COUNTY

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Homer, GA 30547
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**Fax:** 706-677-6294

In northeastern GA, north of Athens; organized Dec 11, 1858 from Franklin and Habersham counties. **Name Origin:** For Richard Banks (1784-1850), a noted local surgeon.

**Area (sq mi):** 232.29 (land 232.09; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,395. **State rank:** 1972. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.6%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,055 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,497; median household $40,455; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,055 - $28,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BARROW COUNTY

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Winder, GA 30680
www.barrowga.org

**Ph:** 770-307-3035
**Fax:** 770-867-4800

In north-central GA, west of Athens; organized Jul 7, 1914 from Jackson, Walton, and Gwinnett counties. **Name Origin:** For David Crenshaw Barrow (1852-1929), professor and chancellor of the University of Georgia.

**Area (sq mi):** 160.98 (land 160.31; water 0.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 432.7.

**Pop 2010:** 69,367. **State rank:** 738. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.7%; 2000-2005 +29.9%. **Pop 2005:** 59,954 (White 78.8%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 3.4%; Others 8.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 33.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,882; median household $48,958; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,519 - $29,612.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Winder (14,099).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**BARTOW COUNTY**
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In northwestern GA, east of Rome; organized as Cass County Dec 3, 1832 from Indian lands; name changed Dec 6, 1861. **Name Origin:** For Confederate Gen. Francis S. Bartow (?-1861), first officer of such rank to be killed in action during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 470.23 (land 459.54; water 10.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 217.9.

**Pop 2010:** 100,157. **State rank:** 595. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.2%; 2000-2005 +17.4%. **Pop 2005:** 89,229 (White 82.7%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 7.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,241; median household $49,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,226 - $26,922.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cartersville 🏛 (19,731).

**BEN HILL COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 229-426-5106

In south-central GA, northeast of Albany; organized Jul 31, 1906 from Irwin and Wilcox counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Harvey Hill (1823-82), GA legislator and U.S. senator.

**Area (sq mi):** 252.35 (land 250.12; water 2.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.5.

**Pop 2010:** 17,634. **State rank:** 1934. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,316 (White 59.2%; Black or African American 34.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,529; median household $30,134; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,634 - $26,579.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BERRIEN COUNTY**
201 N Davis St, Rm 198
Nashville, GA 31639
www.berriencountygeorgia.com
**Ph:** 229-686-5421
**Fax:** 229-686-2785

In south-central GA, north of Valdosta; organized Feb 25, 1856 from Lowndes, Coffee, and Irwin counties. **Name Origin:** For John Macpherson Berrien (1781-1856), U.S. senator from GA (1825-29; 1841-52) and U.S. Attorney General (1829-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 457.27 (land 451.90; water 5.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.7.

**Pop 2010:** 19,286. **State rank:** 1961. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.4%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,708 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 10.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,049; median household $32,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,498 - $27,144.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BIBB COUNTY**
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Macon, GA 31201
www.co.bibb.ga.us
**Ph:** 478-621-6345
**Fax:** 478-621-6329

In central GA; organized Dec 9, 1822 from Jones, Monroe, Twiggs, and Houston counties. **Name Origin:** For William Wyatt Bibb (1781-1820), U.S. senator from GA (1813-16) and first governor of AL (1817-20).

**Area (sq mi):** 254.93 (land 249.76; water 5.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 622.8.

**Pop 2010:** 155,547. **State rank:** 394. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 154,918 (White 43.2%; Black or African American 52.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,436; median household $38,798; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,386 - $34,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Macon 🏛 (91,351).

**BLECKLEY COUNTY**
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Cochran, GA 31014
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**Fax:** 478-934-0822

In central GA, southeast of Macon; organized Jul 30, 1912 from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For Logan Edwin Bleckley (1827-1907), Confederate soldier and chief justice of GA supreme court.

**Area (sq mi):** 217.61 (land 215.87; water 1.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,063. **State rank:** 2242. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,141 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 27.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,960; median household $35,661; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,837 - $28,612.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRANTLEY COUNTY**
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brantleycountyga.blogspot.com
**Ph:** 912-462-5256

In southeastern GA, west of Brunswick; organized Aug 4, 1920 from Charlton, Pierce, and Wayne counties. **Name Origin:** For William Gordon Brantley (1860-1934), state senator. Some claim Benjamin D. Brantley (1832-91).

**Area (sq mi):** 445.38 (land 442.36; water 3.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.6.

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## Brantley County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 18,411. **State rank:** 2061. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.8%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,491 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,905; median household $37,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,601 - $22,687.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROOKS COUNTY**
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Quitman, GA 31643
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**Fax:** 229-263-9345

On central southern border of GA, west of Valdosta; organized Dec 11, 1858 from Lowndes and Thomas counties. **Name Origin:** For a local citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 497.20 (land 493.05; water 4.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,243. **State rank:** 2007. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,327 (White 59.9%; Black or African American 35.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,346; median household $41,309; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,992 - $29,722.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRYAN COUNTY**
116 Lanier St
Pembroke, GA 31321
www.bryancountyga.org
**Ph:** 912-653-3819
**Fax:** 912-653-4691

In southeastern GA, west of Savannah; organized Dec 19, 1793 from Chatham County. **Name Origin:** For Jonathan Bryan (1708-88), a founder of the Georgia Colony at Savannah, jurist, and GA legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 448.75 (land 435.97; water 12.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.3.

**Pop 2010:** 30,233. **State rank:** 1356. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +21.9%. **Pop 2005:** 28,549 (White 80.2%; Black or African American 14.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,365; median household $63,244; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,814 - $39,394.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 74.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BULLOCH COUNTY**
115 N Main St PO Box 347
Statesboro, GA 30458
www.bullochcounty.net
**Ph:** 912-764-6245
**Fax:** 912-764-8634

In central eastern GA, northwest of Savannah; organized Feb 8, 1796 from Bryan and Screven counties. **Name Origin:** For Archibald Bulloch (1730-77), soldier, legislator, and first governor of GA (1776-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 679.58 (land 672.81; water 6.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.4.

**Pop 2010:** 70,217. **State rank:** 761. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.3%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 61,454 (White 67.2%; Black or African American 27.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.5%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 25.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,812; median household $34,327; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,922 - $24,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Statesboro (28,422).

**BURKE COUNTY**
PO Box 89
Waynesboro, GA 30830
www.burkecounty-ga.gov
**Ph:** 706-554-2324
**Fax:** 706-554-0350

On central east coast of GA, south of Augusta; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint George Parish. **Name Origin:** For Edmund Burke (1729-97), British statesman, orator, and defender of the American colonies.

**Area (sq mi):** 831.49 (land 826.97; water 4.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.2.

**Pop 2010:** 23,316. **State rank:** 1684. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 23,299 (White 47.5%; Black or African American 49.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,934; median household $33,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,284 - $26,671.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTTS COUNTY**
25 3rd St, Suite 4
Jackson, GA 30233
www.buttscounty.org
**Ph:** 770-775-8204
**Fax:** 770-775-8004

In west-central GA, northwest of Macon; organized Dec 24, 1825 from Henry and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Sam Butts (1777-1814), army officer killed in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 187.79 (land 184.39; water 3.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,655. **State rank:** 1615. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.4%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 21,045 (White 69.9%; Black or African American 27.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,963; median household $52,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Butts County (cont'd)

$26,137 - $25,473.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CALHOUN COUNTY

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Morgan, GA 39866

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**Fax:** 229-849-2100

In southwestern GA, west of Albany; organized Feb 20, 1854 from Early and Baker counties. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 283.76 (land 280.37; water 3.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,694. **State rank:** 2731. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.1%; 2000-2005 -5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,972 (White 34.7%; Black or African American 61.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,452; median household $30,522; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,338 - $20,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CAMDEN COUNTY

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Woodbine, GA 31569
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**Ph:** 912-576-5601
**Fax:** 912-576-5647

On southeastern Atlantic coast; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint Mary and Saint Thomas parishes. **Name Origin:** For Charles Pratt, 1st Earl of Camden (1714-94), English statesman who supported the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 765.64 (land 613.03; water 152.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.4.

**Pop 2010:** 50,513. **State rank:** 990. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 45,759 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 19.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 1.4%; Others 5.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 31.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,022; median household $49,230; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,637 - $30,236.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kingsland (15,946).

### CANDLER COUNTY

705 N Lewis St
Metter, GA 30439
candlercounty.georgia.gov

**Ph:** 912-685-2835
**Fax:** 912-685-4823

In east-central GA, northwest of Savannah; organized Jul 1914 from Bulloch, Emanuel, and Tattnall counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Allen Daniel Candler (1834-1910), GA legislator and governor (1898-1902).

**Area (sq mi):** 244.98 (land 243.04; water 1.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,998. **State rank:** 2378. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,321 (White 65.9%; Black or African American 24.4%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 11.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,068; median household $35,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,689 - $24,669.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARROLL COUNTY

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Carrollton, GA 30112
www.carrollcountyga.com

**Ph:** 770-830-5800
**Fax:** 770-830-5992

On central western border of GA, southwest of Atlanta; original county; established Jun 9, 1825 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 503.97 (land 499.08; water 4.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 221.5.

**Pop 2010:** 110,527. **State rank:** 515. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +20.8%. **Pop 2005:** 105,453 (White 75.6%; Black or African American 18.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,523; median household $45,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,190 - $28,216.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Carrollton 🏛 (24,388); Villa Rica (13,956).

### CATOOSA COUNTY

875 Lafayette St
Ringgold, GA 30736
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**Fax:** 706-935-4909

On the northern border of GA, southeast of Chattanooga, TN; organized Dec 5, 1853 from Walker and Whitfield counties. **Name Origin:** For the Cherokee Indian chief.

**Area (sq mi):** 162.60 (land 162.16; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 394.3.

**Pop 2010:** 63,942. **State rank:** 803. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +14.1%. **Pop 2005:** 60,813 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,563; median household $46,544; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,793 - $28,446.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 73.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**CHARLTON COUNTY**
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In southeastern GA, southwest of Brunswick; organized Feb 11, 1854 from Camden County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Milledge Charlton (1807-54), GA legislator, jurist, and U.S. senator (1852-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 775.78 (land 773.58; water 2.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,171. **State rank:** 2375. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.8%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,790 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 28.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,652; median household $40,850; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,612 - $18,392.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHATHAM COUNTY**
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Savannah, GA 31401
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**Fax:** 912-652-7880

On the southeastern Atlantic coast of GA; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint Phillips and Christ Church parishes. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt (the Elder; 1708-78), 1st Earl of Chatham, known as the Great Commoner, for his support of the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 620.61 (land 426.44; water 194.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 621.7.

**Pop 2010:** 265,128. **State rank:** 249. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 238,410 (White 52.8%; Black or African American 40.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 2.4%; Others 5.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,397; median household $44,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,245 - $38,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Savannah (136,286); Pooler (19,140); Wilmington Island (15,138); Georgetown (11,823).

**CHATTOOGA COUNTY**
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Summerville, GA 30747
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**Fax:** 706-857-0742

On the northwestern border of GA, north of Rome; organized Dec 28, 1838 from Floyd and Walker counties. **Name Origin:** For the Chattooga River, which runs diagonally through the county; a Cherokee word whose meaning is unclear.

**Area (sq mi):** 313.57 (land 313.34; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.

**Pop 2010:** 26,015. **State rank:** 1527. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 26,570 (White 83.9%; Black or African American 11.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,158; median household $32,419; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,315 - $23,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHEROKEE COUNTY**
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Canton, GA 30114
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**Fax:** 678-493-6013

In northwest-central GA, north of Atlanta; original county; established Dec 21, 1830 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock who occupied the land at the time. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 431.98 (land 421.67; water 10.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 508.3.

**Pop 2010:** 214,346. **State rank:** 289. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.4%; 2000-2005 +29.8%. **Pop 2005:** 184,211 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 1.7%; Others 9.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,217; median household $66,320; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,100 - $35,240.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Woodstock (23,896); Canton (22,958).

**CLAY COUNTY**
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Fort Gaines, GA 39851
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**Fax:** 229-768-3672

On the southwestern border of GA, west of Albany; organized Feb 16, 1854 from Early and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 217.17 (land 195.38; water 21.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,183. **State rank:** 2958. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,242 (White 37.6%; Black or African American 60.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,353; median household $26,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,977 - $29,836.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAYTON COUNTY**
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Jonesboro, GA 30236
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**Ph:** 770-477-3211
**Fax:** 770-477-3217

In west-central GA, south of Atlanta; organized Nov 30, 1858 from Fayette and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Augustin Smith Clayton (1783-1839), GA jurist and U.S. representative (1832-35).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Clayton County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 143.23 (land 141.57; water 1.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 1832.5.

**Pop 2010:** 259,424. **State rank:** 232. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 267,966 (White 18.9%; Black or African American 66.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.7%; Asian 5.0%; Others 13.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 14.6%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,958; median household $43,311; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,839 - $25,744.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Forest Park (18,468); Riverdale (15,134).

### CLINCH COUNTY

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Homerville, GA 31634
www.clinchcounty.georgia.gov

**Ph:** 912-487-2375
**Fax:** 912-487-3111

On southern border, east of Valdosta; organized Feb 14, 1850 from Ware and Lowndes counties. **Name Origin:** For Brig. Gen. Duncan Lamont Clinch (1787-1849), Army officer and U.S. representative from GA (1844-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 815.10 (land 800.22; water 14.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,798. **State rank:** 2672. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,996 (White 67.4%; Black or African American 27.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,709; median household $31,963; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,258 - $24,489.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COBB COUNTY

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Marietta, GA 30090
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**Ph:** 770-528-3300
**Fax:** 770-528-2606

In northwest-central GA, northwest of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Willis Cobb (1784-1830), U.S. senator from GA (1824-28) and judge of the GA superior court (1828).

**Area (sq mi):** 343.91 (land 339.55; water 4.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 2026.4.

**Pop 2010:** 688,078. **State rank:** 84. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 663,818 (White 62.2%; Black or African American 25.0%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 4.5%; Others 12.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.2%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,110; median household $65,522; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,707 - $43,888.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 36 for cities).

### COFFEE COUNTY

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Douglas, GA 31533
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In south-central GA, northeast of Valdosta; organized Feb 9, 1854 from Clinch, Irwin, Telfair, and Ware counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Coffee (1782-1836), an officer in the Indian wars, U.S. representative from GA (1833-36), and cousin to John Coffee of TN.

**Area (sq mi):** 578.82 (land 575.10; water 3.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.7.

**Pop 2010:** 42,356. **State rank:** 1149. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 39,674 (White 64.7%; Black or African American 26.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 10.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,664; median household $35,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,708 - $23,519.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.1%. **Change from 2007:** +11.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Douglas 🏛 (11,589).

### COLQUITT COUNTY

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Moultrie, GA 31776-6051
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**Ph:** 229-616-7400
**Fax:** 229-616-7018

In south-central GA, northwest of Valdosta; organized Feb 25, 1856 from Thomas and Lowndes counties. **Name Origin:** For Walter Terry Colquitt (1799-1855), jurist, Methodist minister, and U.S. senator (1843-48).

**Area (sq mi):** 548.43 (land 544.15; water 4.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.6.

**Pop 2010:** 45,498. **State rank:** 1038. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 43,915 (White 64.7%; Black or African American 22.4%; Hispanic or Latino 17.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 17.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.6%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,362; median household $32,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,260 - $26,482.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moultrie 🏛 (14,268).

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

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Evans, GA 30809
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**Fax:** 706-868-3343

On central eastern coast of GA, north of Augusta; organized Dec 10, 1790 from Richmond County. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 307.85 (land 290.09; water 17.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 427.6.

**Pop 2010:** 124,053. **State rank:** 526. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.5%; 2000-2005 +16.3%. **Pop 2005:** 103,812 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 14.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 3.8%; Others 5.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,479; median household $66,333; **Pop**

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## Columbia County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,452 - $40,707.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Martinez (35,795); Evans (29,011); Grovetown (11,216).

**COLUMBUS-MUSCOGEE COUNTY**
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Columbus, GA 31902 **Fax:** 706-653-4016
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On central western border of GA, southwest of Macon; organized Dec 11, 1826 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For the Muskogee Indians, a Shawnee tribe of Muskhogean linguistic stock.

**Area (sq mi):** 221.13 (land 216.39; water 4.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 877.5.

**Pop 2010:** 189,885. **State rank:** 324. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 185,271 (White 46.3%; Black or African American 45.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 2.2%; Others 6.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,514; median household $41,331; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,083 - $38,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbus (189,885).

**COOK COUNTY**
1200 Hutchinson Ave **Ph:** 229-896-2266
Adel, GA 31620 **Fax:** 229-896-6888
blog.cookcountygov.com/#

In south-central GA, northwest of Valdosta; organized Jul 30, 1918 from Berrien County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Cook (1817-94), Confederate officer and U.S. representative from GA (1873-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 231.36 (land 227.16; water 4.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,212. **State rank:** 1989. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,366 (White 67.0%; Black or African American 27.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,528; median household $31,390; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,676 - $24,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COWETA COUNTY**
22 E Broad St **Ph:** 770-254-2631
Newnan, GA 30263 **Fax:** 770-254-2634
www.coweta.ga.us

In west-central GA, southwest of Atlanta; organized Jun 9, 1825 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William McIntosh (1775-1825), a half-blooded Creek Indian and the head chief of the Coweta Indians of the Creek nation. The name may mean falls, with reference to those on the Chattahoochee River.

**Area (sq mi):** 444.25 (land 440.89; water 3.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 288.8.

**Pop 2010:** 127,317. **State rank:** 476. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.8%; 2000-2005 +23.2%. **Pop 2005:** 109,903 (White 75.9%; Black or African American 17.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 1.5%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,161; median household $61,550; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,207 - $32,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newnan 🏛 (33,039).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
1011 Hwy 341 N **Ph:** 478-836-3782
Roberta, GA 31078 **Fax:** 478-836-5818
www.crawfordcountyga.org

In west-central GA, southwest of Macon; organized Dec 9, 1822 from Houston County. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Crawford (1772-1834), VA statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 326.34 (land 324.89; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,630. **State rank:** 2278. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,874 (White 74.6%; Black or African American 22.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,692; median household $37,062; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,165 - $30,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 82.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRISP COUNTY**
210 S 7th St, Rm 303 **Ph:** 229-276-2672
Cordele, GA 31015 **Fax:** 229-276-2675
www.crispcounty.com

In south-central GA, northeast of Albany; organized Aug 17, 1905 from Dooly County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Frederick Crisp (1845-96), Confederate army officer and U.S. representative from GA (1883-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 279.96 (land 272.58; water 7.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.

**Pop 2010:** 23,439. **State rank:** 1713. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 22,017 (White 53.3%; Black or African American 43.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,187; median household $29,960; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,640 - $25,676.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cordele 🏛 (11,147).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**CUSSETA-CHATTAHOOCHEE COUNTY**
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Cusseta, GA 31805-5029
chattahoocheecounty.georgia.gov
**Ph:** 706-989-3602
**Fax:** 706-989-2005

On the central western border of GA, south of Columbus; organized Feb 13, 1854 from Muscogee and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For the Chattahoochee River, which forms its western border. From an Indian word probably meaning 'marked rocks,' for painted stones found in the river.

**Area (sq mi):** 251.14 (land 248.74; water 2.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,267. **State rank:** 2133. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -23.2%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,679 (White 68.8%; Black or African American 18.8%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 2.2%; Others 12.4%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 24.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,202; median household $51,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,930 - $34,160.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DADE COUNTY**
12371 Main St PO Box 417
Trenton, GA 30752
www.dadecounty-ga.gov
**Ph:** 706-657-4778
**Fax:** 706-657-8284

In northwestern corner of GA, south of Chattanooga, TN; organized Dec 25, 1837 from Walker County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Francis Langhorne Dade (1793-1835), officer killed in the Seminole War (1835-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 174.16 (land 173.98; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,633. **State rank:** 2024. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,040 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,168; median household $39,760; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,274 - $26,374.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAWSON COUNTY**
78 Howard Ave E, Suite 100
Dawsonville, GA 30534
www.dawsoncounty.org
**Ph:** 706-344-3501
**Fax:** 706-344-3889

In north-central GA, northeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1857 from Gilmer and Lumpkin counties. **Name Origin:** For William Crosby Dawson (1798-1856), soldier, jurist, and U.S. senator from GA (1849-55).

**Area (sq mi):** 213.73 (land 210.83; water 2.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,330. **State rank:** 1697. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.2%; 2000-2005 +23.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,731 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,557; median household $51,128; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,553 - $32,376.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DECATUR COUNTY**
112 W Water St PO Box 726
Bainbridge, GA 39817
www.decaturcountyga.org
**Ph:** 229-248-3009
**Fax:** 229-246-2062

On the southwestern border of GA, southwest of Albany; organized Dec 8, 1823 from Early county. **Name Origin:** For Stephen F. Decatur (1779-1820), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812 and in actions against the Barbary pirates near Tripoli, who said may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong!

**Area (sq mi):** 623.50 (land 597.14; water 26.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.6.

**Pop 2010:** 27,842. **State rank:** 1460. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 28,618 (White 54.2%; Black or African American 41.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,833; median household $33,297; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,201 - $28,288.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bainbridge 🏛 (12,697).

**DEKALB COUNTY**
1300 Commerce Dr
Decatur, GA 30030
www.co.dekalb.ga.us
**Ph:** 404-371-2000
**Fax:** 404-371-7004

In northwest-central GA, east of Atlanta; organized Dec 9, 1822 from Fayette, Henry, Gwinnett, and Newton counties. **Name Origin:** For Johann, Baron de Kalb (1721-80), German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 270.28 (land 267.58; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 2585.7.

**Pop 2010:** 691,893. **State rank:** 76. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 677,959 (White 33.3%; Black or African American 54.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 5.1%; Others 9.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.3%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,412; median household $51,349; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,879 - $39,297.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 36 for cities).

**DODGE COUNTY**
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Eastman, GA 31023
dodgecountyga.com
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**Fax:** 478-374-8121

In central GA, southwest of Macon; organized Oct 26, 1870 from Montgomery, Pulaski, and Telfair counties. **Name Origin:** For William

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## Dodge County (cont'd)

Earle Dodge (1805-83), U.S. representative from NY (1866-67) and owner of a vast estate in GA, who was active in the attempt to avoid the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.77 (land 495.89; water 2.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.

**Pop 2010:** 21,796. **State rank:** 1830. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,574 (White 66.8%; Black or African American 29.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,288; median household $33,580; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,106 - $22,396.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DOOLY COUNTY**
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Vienna, GA 31092-2151
www.doolychamber.com
**Ph:** 229-268-4228
**Fax:** 229-268-4230

In west-central GA, south of Macon; original county; organized May 15, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. John Dooly (1740-80), American Revolutionary officer in GA, killed by British sympathizers.

**Area (sq mi):** 396.13 (land 391.94; water 4.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,918. **State rank:** 2301. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +27.0%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,749 (White 45.6%; Black or African American 49.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,871; median household $31,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,213 - $19,585.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DOUGHERTY COUNTY**
PO Box 1827
Albany, GA 31702
www.dougherty.ga.us
**Ph:** 229-431-2102
**Fax:** 229-434-2694

In southwestern GA, southeast of Columbus; organized Dec 15, 1853 from Baker County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Dougherty (1801-53), lawyer and western circuit judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 333.73 (land 328.69; water 5.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 287.7.

**Pop 2010:** 94,565. **State rank:** 597. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 94,882 (White 29.6%; Black or African American 67.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,210; median household $32,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,167 - $28,263.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albany (77,434).

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
8700 Hospital Dr
Douglasville, GA 30134
www.co.douglas.ga.us
**Ph:** 770-949-2000
**Fax:** 770-920-7357

In west-central GA, west of Atlanta; organized Oct 17, 1870 from Carroll and Campbell counties. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 201.03 (land 200.07; water 0.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 661.8.

**Pop 2010:** 132,403. **State rank:** 467. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.4%; 2000-2005 +22.3%. **Pop 2005:** 112,760 (White 52.5%; Black or African American 39.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 1.4%; Others 8.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,515; median household $55,852; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,233 - $29,343.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Douglasville (30,961); Lithia Springs (15,491).

**EARLY COUNTY**
PO Box 849
Blakely, GA 39823
**Ph:** 229-723-3033
**Fax:** 229-723-4411

On southwestern border, southwest of Albany; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Creek Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Peter Early (1773-1817), U.S. representative from GA, jurist, and governor (1813-15).

**Area (sq mi):** 517.63 (land 512.59; water 5.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,008. **State rank:** 2317. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.7%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,056 (White 48.4%; Black or African American 49.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,330; median household $26,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,949 - $33,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Douglasville (30,961).

**ECHOLS COUNTY**
PO Box 190
Statenville, GA 31648
www.echolscountygeorgia.com
**Ph:** 229-559-6538
**Fax:** 229-559-6158

On southern border of GA, east of Valdosta; organized Dec 13, 1858 from Clinch and Lowndes counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Robert M. Echols (1800?-47), a GA officer killed during the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 431.56 (land 414.89; water 16.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.7.

**Pop 2010:** 4,034. **State rank:** 2879. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,253 (White 74.9%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 29.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 29.3%, including 1.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.7%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,201; median household $32,390; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**below poverty level:** 32.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,301 - $22,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 85.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EFFINGHAM COUNTY**
601 N Laurel St
Springfield, GA 31329
www.effinghamcounty.org
**Ph:** 912-754-2153
**Fax:** 912-754-4157

On the central eastern border of GA, north of Savannah; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint Mathew and Saint Phillips parishes. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Howard (1746-91), Earl of Effingham, a pro-colonist English army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 481.10 (land 477.70; water 3.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.4.

**Pop 2010:** 52,250. **State rank:** 915. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +25.0%. **Pop 2005:** 46,924 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 13.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,465; median household $56,903; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,166 - $33,648.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ELBERT COUNTY**
12 South Oliver Street PO Box 619
Elberton, GA 30635
www.elbertco.net
**Ph:** 706-283-2005
**Fax:** 706-213-7286

On northeastern border of GA, northeast of Athens; organized Dec 10, 1790 from Wilkes County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Samuel Elbert (1743-88), Revolutionary War hero and GA governor (1785-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 356.84 (land 351.06; water 5.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,166. **State rank:** 1799. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 20,799 (White 65.9%; Black or African American 29.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,100; median household $30,543; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,281 - $28,463.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EMANUEL COUNTY**
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Swainsboro, GA 30401
**Ph:** 478-237-3881
**Fax:** 478-237-2593

In east-central GA, northwest of Savannah; organized Dec 10, 1812 from Montgomery and Bulloch counties. **Name Origin:** For David Emanuel (1742-1808), GA legislator and governor (1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 685.14 (land 680.60; water 4.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,598. **State rank:** 1668. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,108 (White 61.6%; Black or African American 33.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,076; median household $30,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,138 - $26,244.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EVANS COUNTY**
3 Freeman St
Claxton, GA 30417
www.evanscountyga.com
**Ph:** 912-739-1141
**Fax:** 912-739-0111

In east-central GA, west of Savannah; organized Aug 11, 1914 from Bulloch and Tattnall counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Clement Anselm Evans (1833-1911), GA officer during the Civil War, jurist, and Methodist minister.

**Area (sq mi):** 184.81 (land 182.85; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.2.

**Pop 2010:** 11,000. **State rank:** 2308. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,443 (White 58.8%; Black or African American 29.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 13.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,072; median household $40,796; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,430 - $27,658.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FANNIN COUNTY**
400 W Main St Suite 100
Blue Ridge, GA 30513
www.fannincountyga.org
**Ph:** 706-632-2203
**Fax:** 706-632-2507

On the central northern border of GA northeast of Rome; organized Jan 12, 1854 from Gilmer and Union counties. **Name Origin:** For James Walker Fannin (1809-36), GA soldier killed in action in the Texas War of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 392.41 (land 386.72; water 5.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.2.

**Pop 2010:** 23,682. **State rank:** 1675. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +10.6%. **Pop 2005:** 21,887 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,103; median household $34,145; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,236 - $28,195.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**FAYETTE COUNTY**
140 Stonewall Ave W, Suite 100 **Ph:** 770-460-5400
Fayetteville, GA 30214 **Fax:** 770-460-9412
www.fayettecountyga.gov

In west-central GA, south of Atlanta; original county; organized May 15, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 196.54 (land 194.34; water 2.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 548.3.

**Pop 2010:** 106,567. **State rank:** 546. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +14.2%. **Pop 2005:** 104,248 (White 71.1%; Black or African American 20.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 3.9%; Others 6.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,076; median household $82,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,442 - $43,820.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Peachtree City (34,364); Fayetteville (15,945).

**FLOYD COUNTY**
12 E 4th Ave, Suite 210 PO Box 946 **Ph:** 706-291-5111
Rome, GA 30162 **Fax:** 706-291-5248
www.romefloyd.com

On northwestern border of GA; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Floyd (1769-1839), officer in the GA militia and U.S. representative (1827-29).

**Area (sq mi):** 515.24 (land 509.91; water 5.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 188.9.

**Pop 2010:** 96,317. **State rank:** 594. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 94,198 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 14.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.3%; Asian 1.3%; Others 9.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,640; median household $41,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,046 - $32,331.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rome (36,303).

**FORSYTH COUNTY**
100 Courthouse Sq Suite 010 **Ph:** 770-781-2120
Cumming, GA 30040 **Fax:** 770-886-2858
www.co.forsyth.ga.us

In north-central GA, northeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1832(Prior to Dec. 21, 1830) from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For John Forsyth (1780-1841), governor of GA (1827-29) and U.S. secretary of state (1834-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 245.59 (land 224.02; water 21.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 783.5.

**Pop 2010:** 175,511. **State rank:** 349. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +25.0%; 2000-2005 +42.7%. **Pop 2005:** 140,393 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 6.2%; Others 9.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.8%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,385; median household $87,605; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,703 - $38,343.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
165 Athens St PO Box 151 **Ph:** 706-384-4659
Carnesville, GA 30521
www.franklin-county.com

On northeast border of GA, northeast of Athens; original county; organized Feb 25, 1784 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 264.57 (land 261.50; water 3.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,084. **State rank:** 1734. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,590 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,276; median household $36,739; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,918 - $27,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FULTON COUNTY**
141 Pryor St Suite 10061 **Ph:** 404-730-8320
Atlanta, GA 30303 **Fax:** 404-893-6511
www.co.fulton.ga.us

In west-central GA; organized Dec 20, 1853 from De Kalb County; on Jan 1, 1932 annexed Campbell County (organized 1828 from Carroll, Coweta, De Kalb, Fayette, and Cherokee counties) and Milton County (organized 1857 from Cobb, Cherokee, and Forsyth counties). **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), builder of the Clermont, the first commercially successful steamboat. Some believe for Hamilton Fulton, the English engineer who surveyed a railroad through the present county.

**Area (sq mi):** 532.59 (land 526.64; water 5.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 1748.

**Pop 2010:** 920,581. **State rank:** 39. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 915,623 (White 44.5%; Black or African American 44.1%; Hispanic or Latino 7.9%; Asian 5.6%; Others 7.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.0%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,211; median household $56,709; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $61,964 - $55,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 12 (see page 37 for cities).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**GILMER COUNTY**
1 W Side Sq
Ellijay, GA 30540
www.gilmerchamber.com
**Ph:** 706-635-4361
**Fax:** 706-635-4359

In north-central GA, north of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For George Rockingham Gilmer (1790-1859), U.S. representative from GA (1821-23; 1827-29; 1833-35) and twice governor (1829-31; 1837-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 431.68 (land 426.54; water 5.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.3.

**Pop 2010:** 28,292. **State rank:** 1453. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +16.5%. **Pop 2005:** 27,335 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 9.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,439; median household $36,741; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,793 - $28,469.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GLASCOCK COUNTY**
62 E Main St PO Box 231
Gibson, GA 30810
**Ph:** 706-598-2084
**Fax:** 706-598-2577

In east-central GA, southwest of Augusta; organized Dec 19, 1857 from Warren County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Glascock (1790-1841), GA army officer during the War of 1812 and the Seminole War (1817), state legislator, and U.S. representative from GA (1835-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 144.05 (land 143.74; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,082. **State rank:** 2983. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.9%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,705 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 8.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,844; median household $37,149; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,122 - $22,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 74.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GLYNN COUNTY**
1725 Reynolds St, Suite 302
Brunswick, GA 31520
www.glynncounty.org
**Ph:** 912-554-7111
**Fax:** 912-267-5691

On southeastern Atlantic coast of GA; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint David and Saint Patrick parishes. **Name Origin:** For John Glynn (1722-79), a pro-colonist member of the British Parliament.

**Area (sq mi):** 582.55 (land 419.75; water 162.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 189.7.

**Pop 2010:** 79,626. **State rank:** 703. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 71,874 (White 67.6%; Black or African American 26.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 6.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,040; median household $50,337; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,284 - $36,029.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brunswick 🏛 (15,383); Georgetown (11,823).

**GORDON COUNTY**
201 N Wall St Administration Building
Calhoun, GA 30701
www.gordoncounty.org
**Ph:** 706-629-3795
**Fax:** 706-629-9516

In northwestern GA, northeast of Rome; organized Feb 13, 1850 from Bartow (then called Cass) and Floyd counties. **Name Origin:** For William Washington Gordon (1796-1842), prominent GA railroad official.

**Area (sq mi):** 358.29 (land 355.81; water 2.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 155.1.

**Pop 2010:** 55,186. **State rank:** 920. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +14.0%. **Pop 2005:** 50,279 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 14.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,285; median household $40,916; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,254 - $27,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Calhoun 🏛 (15,650).

**GRADY COUNTY**
250 N Broad St
Cairo, GA 39828-8210
www.gradycountyga.gov
**Ph:** 229-377-1512
**Fax:** 229-377-1039

On southern border of GA, west of Valdosta; organized Aug 17, 1905 from Decatur and Thomas counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Woodfin Grady (1850-89), GA orator and journalist, editor, and part-owner of the *Atlanta Constitution*.

**Area (sq mi):** 456.75 (land 454.53; water 2.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.

**Pop 2010:** 25,011. **State rank:** 1584. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,466 (White 62.8%; Black or African American 28.7%; Hispanic or Latino 10.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,785; median household $32,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,653 - $26,694.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENE COUNTY**
1034 Silver Dr
Greensboro, GA 30642
www.greenecountyga.gov
**Ph:** 706-453-7716
**Fax:** 706-453-9555

In east-central GA, southeast of Athens; organized Feb 3, 1786 (prior to statehood) from Washington, Oglethorpe, and Wilkes counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the

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## Greene County (cont'd)

Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South.

**Area (sq mi):** 405.40 (land 387.44; water 17.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.3.

**Pop 2010:** 15,994. **State rank:** 2054. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,693 (White 56.6%; Black or African American 38.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,943; median household $38,513; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,638 - $36,525.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GWINNETT COUNTY**
Gwinnett Justice & Administration Ctr 75 Langley Dr
**Ph:** 770-822-7000
Lawrenceville, GA 30045 **Fax:** 770-822-7097
www.co.gwinnett.ga.us

In north-central GA, northeast of Atlanta; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Button Gwinnett (c. 1735-77), a signer of the Declaration of Independence and acting president of GA (1777).

**Area (sq mi):** 434.37 (land 430.38; water 3.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 1871.2.

**Pop 2010:** 805,321. **State rank:** 64. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +23.4%. **Pop 2005:** 726,273 (White 53.3%; Black or African American 23.6%; Hispanic or Latino 20.1%; Asian 10.6%; Others 20.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 25.5%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,901; median household $63,219; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,377 - $31,987.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 37 for cities).

**HABERSHAM COUNTY**
555 Monroe St, Unit 20 **Ph:** 706-754-6270
Clarkesville, GA 30523 **Fax:** 706-754-1014
www.co.habersham.ga.us

In northeastern GA; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. Joseph Habersham (1751-1815), member of the Continental Congress and U.S. postmaster general (1795-1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 277.77 (land 276.74; water 1.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 155.5.

**Pop 2010:** 43,041. **State rank:** 1078. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 39,603 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 2.2%; Others 12.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,286; median household $40,192; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,002 - $26,759.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HALL COUNTY**
PO Box 1435 **Ph:** 770-535-8288
Gainesville, GA 30503 **Fax:** 770-531-3972
www.hallcounty.org

In north-central GA, northwest of Athens; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Lyman Hall (1731-90), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and GA governor (1783-84).

**Area (sq mi):** 428.31 (land 392.78; water 35.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 457.5.

**Pop 2010:** 179,684. **State rank:** 326. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 +19.0%. **Pop 2005:** 165,771 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 26.1%; Asian 1.8%; Others 26.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.2%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,675; median household $50,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,449 - $30,806.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gainesville (33,804); Sugar Hill (18,522).

**HANCOCK COUNTY**
601 Broad St **Ph:** 706-444-5746
Sparta, GA 31087 **Fax:** 706-444-6221
www.hancockcountyga.gov

In east-central GA, southwest of Augusta; organized Dec 17, 1793 from Greene and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 477.32 (land 471.84; water 5.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.

**Pop 2010:** 9,429. **State rank:** 2491. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,643 (White 24.4%; Black or African American 74.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $10,925; median household $22,283; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,485 - $20,956.

**Unemployment 2010:** 22.4%. **Change from 2007:** +13.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARALSON COUNTY**
155 Van Wert St PO Box 489 **Ph:** 770-646-2002
Buchanan, GA 30113 **Fax:** 770-646-2035
www.haralsoncountyga.org

On the western border of GA, west of Atlanta; organized Jan 26, 1856 from Carroll and Polk counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Anderson Haralson (1805-54), U.S. representative from GA (1843-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 283.22 (land 282.17; water 1.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.

**Pop 2010:** 28,780. **State rank:** 1457. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 28,338 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,033; median household $38,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,498 - $28,273.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARRIS COUNTY

PO Box 528
Hamilton, GA 31811
www.harriscountyga.gov

**Ph:** 706-628-4944
**Fax:** 706-628-7039

On central western border of GA, north of Columbus; organized Dec 14, 1827 from Muscogee and Troup counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Harris (1772-1827), a Savannah lawyer and city official.

**Area (sq mi):** 473.11 (land 463.87; water 9.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.

**Pop 2010:** 32,024. **State rank:** 1421. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.3%; 2000-2005 +17.2%. **Pop 2005:** 27,779 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 17.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,073; median household $67,018; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,762 - $45,647.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HART COUNTY

800 Chandler St
Hartwell, GA 30643
www.hartcountyga.org

**Ph:** 706-376-2024
**Fax:** 706-376-9477

On the northeastern border of GA, northeast of Athens; organized Dec 7, 1853 from Elbert and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** For Nancy (Morgan) Hart (1735?-1830?), spy, sharpshooter, and heroine of the American Revolution. Called War Woman by the Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 256.60 (land 232.39; water 24.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.5.

**Pop 2010:** 25,213. **State rank:** 1623. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,036 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 18.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,124; median household $36,109; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,867 - $26,371.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HEARD COUNTY

215 E Court Sq, Rm Suite 15 PO Box 40
Franklin, GA 30217
www.heardcountyga.com

**Ph:** 706-675-3821
**Fax:** 706-675-2493

On central western border of GA, southwest of Atlanta; organized Dec 22, 1830 from Carroll, Coweta, and Troup counties. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Heard (1740-1815), chief justice of the GA inferior court and governor of GA (1780-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 301.09 (land 296.03; water 5.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.

**Pop 2010:** 11,834. **State rank:** 2319. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,346 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 9.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,077; median household $42,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,238 - $26,258.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENRY COUNTY

140 Henry Pkwy
McDonough, GA 30253
www.co.henry.ga.us

**Ph:** 770-954-2400
**Fax:** 770-954-2418

In west-central GA, southeast of Atlanta; county organized May 15, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for declaring, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 323.90 (land 322.13; water 1.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 633.

**Pop 2010:** 203,922. **State rank:** 316. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.5%; 2000-2005 +40.6%. **Pop 2005:** 167,848 (White 55.0%; Black or African American 36.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 2.9%; Others 5.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,773; median household $63,923; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,754 - $29,506.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 33 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Stockbridge (25,636); McDonough (22,084).

### HOUSTON COUNTY

200 Carl Vinson Pkwy
Warner Robins, GA 31088
www.houstoncountyga.com

**Ph:** 478-542-2115
**Fax:** 478-923-5697

In central GA, south of Macon; original county; organized May 15, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Houstoun (1744-96), American Revolutionary patriot and GA governor (1778; 1784). Spelling changed by clerical error.

**Area (sq mi):** 378.62 (land 375.54; water 3.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 372.5.

**Pop 2010:** 139,900. **State rank:** 446. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +13.9%. **Pop 2005:** 126,163 (White 63.3%; Black or African American 28.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 2.4%; Others 6.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 34.5.

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## Houston County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,206; median household $55,098; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,903 - $33,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Warner Robins (66,588); Perry (13,839).

### IRWIN COUNTY

207 S Irwin Ave Suite 2
Ocilla, GA 31774
irwincounty.georgia.gov

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**Fax:** 229-468-9672

In south-central GA, north of Valdosta; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jared Irwin (1750-1818), twice GA governor (1796-98; 1806-09).

**Area (sq mi):** 360.26 (land 354.34; water 5.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,538. **State rank:** 2423. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,093 (White 71.4%; Black or African American 25.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.4%). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,561; median household $38,376; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,173 - $26,964.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JACKSON COUNTY

67 Athens St
Jefferson, GA 30549
www.jacksoncountygov.com

**Ph:** 706-367-6314
**Fax:** 706-367-9083

In northeastern GA, northwest of Athens; organized Feb 11, 1796 from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Jackson (1757-1806), an officer in the American Revolution, GA governor (1798-1801), and U.S. senator (1793-95; 1801-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 340.30 (land 339.66; water 0.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 178.1.

**Pop 2010:** 60,485. **State rank:** 809. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.7%; 2000-2005 +25.7%. **Pop 2005:** 52,292 (White 86.8%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 1.7%; Others 6.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,473; median household $51,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,292 - $29,159.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JASPER COUNTY

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**Fax:** 706-468-4942

In central GA, north of Macon; organized as Randolph County Dec 10, 1807 from Baldwin County; name changed Dec 10, 1812. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), Revolutionary War soldier from SC. Originally for John Randolph (1773-1833), U.S. congressman from VA, home of many early settlers; his opposition to the War of 1812 angered the populace.

**Area (sq mi):** 371.33 (land 368.17; water 3.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,900. **State rank:** 2158. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +15.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,147 (White 73.9%; Black or African American 21.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,263; median household $42,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,785 - $28,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

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jeffdavisga.com

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**Fax:** 912-375-0378

In southeast-central GA; organized Aug 18, 1905 from Appling and Coffee counties. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Davis (1808-89), president of the Confederate States of America (1862-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 332.78 (land 330.74; water 2.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,068. **State rank:** 2183. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.2%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,083 (White 76.1%; Black or African American 14.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 10.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,730; median household $32,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,273 - $23,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

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Louisville, GA 30434
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In east-central GA, southwest of Augusta; organized Feb 20, 1796 from Burke and Warren counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 528.40 (land 526.49; water 1.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,930. **State rank:** 1998. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 16,926 (White 42.6%; Black or African American 54.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,165; median household $29,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,335 - $25,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Fax:** 478-982-5512

In east-central GA, south of Augusta; organized Aug 17, 1905 from Bulloch, Burke, Screven, and Emanuel counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Jones Jenkins (1805-83), GA legislator, jurist, and governor (1865-67).

**Area (sq mi):** 349.92 (land 347.28; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.

**Pop 2010:** 8,340. **State rank:** 2551. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 8,729 (White 54.9%; Black or African American 40.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,629; median household $27,686; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,693 - $23,631.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.5%. **Change from 2007:** +10.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 478-864-1343

In east-central GA, east of Macon; organized Dec 11, 1858 from Emanuel, Laurens, and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For Herschel Vespasian Johnson (1812-80), middle circuit court judge, U.S. senator (1848-49), and GA governor (1853-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 305.27 (land 303.01; water 2.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,980. **State rank:** 2479. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +11.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,538 (White 63.1%; Black or African American 35.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,659; median household $27,607; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,788 - $19,846.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JONES COUNTY**
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Gray, GA 31032
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**Fax:** 478-986-9682

In central GA, north of the Macon city center; organized Dec 10, 1807 from Baldwin County. **Name Origin:** For James Jones (?-1801), GA legislator and U.S. representative (1799-1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 395.57 (land 393.93; water 1.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.8.

**Pop 2010:** 28,669. **State rank:** 1495. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +13.5%. **Pop 2005:** 26,836 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 24.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,598; median household $50,717; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,265 - $32,237.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAMAR COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 770-358-5149

In west-central GA, northwest of Macon; organized Aug 17, 1920 from Monroe and Pike counties. **Name Origin:** For Lucius Quintus Cincinnatus Lamar (1825-93), U.S. statesman and a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1888-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 184.47 (land 183.50; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,317. **State rank:** 1935. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,378 (White 66.0%; Black or African American 30.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,725; median household $37,536; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,075 - $26,236.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LANIER COUNTY**
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Lakeland, GA 31635
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**Fax:** 229-482-8187

In south-central GA, northeast of Valdosta; organized Aug 7, 1920 from Berrien, Lowndes, and Clinch counties. **Name Origin:** For Sidney Lanier (1842-81), soldier, lawyer, musician, and important post-Civil War southern poet.

**Area (sq mi):** 198.27 (land 185.26; water 13.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.4.

**Pop 2010:** 10,078. **State rank:** 2554. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +33.4%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,553 (White 70.6%; Black or African American 23.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 4.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,894; median household $37,522; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,834 - $23,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAURENS COUNTY**
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In central GA, southeast of Macon; organized Dec 10, 1807 from Wilkinson County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. John Laurens (1753-82), officer in the American Revolution, who received the sword of Gen. Charles Cornwallis when the latter surrendered at Yorktown, VA.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.54 (land 807.30; water 6.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.

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## Laurens County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 48,434. **State rank:** 989. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 46,896 (White 60.6%; Black or African American 35.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,387; median household $38,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,417 - $29,124.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dublin 🏛 (16,201).

**LEE COUNTY**
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In southwestern GA, north of Albany; original county; established Jun 9, 1826 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Richard Henry Lee (1732-94), signer of the Declaration of Independence, VA legislator, and U.S. senator (1789-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 362.02 (land 355.78; water 6.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.5.

**Pop 2010:** 28,298. **State rank:** 1305. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.0%; 2000-2005 +25.6%. **Pop 2005:** 31,099 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 18.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 2.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,867; median household $59,811; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,695 - $39,044.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 82.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIBERTY COUNTY**
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Hinesville, GA 31313
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**Fax:** 912-368-4677

In southeastern GA, southwest of Savannah; original county; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Saint Andrew, Saint James, Saint Johns, and Tatnall parishes. **Name Origin:** For the fervent patriotism of the Midway community during the Revolutionary War, and to honor American independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.27 (land 489.80; water 83.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.5.

**Pop 2010:** 63,453. **State rank:** 826. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 57,544 (White 47.1%; Black or African American 42.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 2.0%; Others 9.7%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 27.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,662; median household $42,674; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,896 - $26,911.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hinesville 🏛 (33,437).

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
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On central-eastern border of GA, north of Augusta; organized Feb 20, 1796 from Wilkes County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), Revolutionary War officer, U.S. secretary of war (1781-83), and lt. gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 256.57 (land 210.38; water 46.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 7,996. **State rank:** 2597. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,207 (White 65.7%; Black or African American 32.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,627; median household $36,399; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,211 - $27,927.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LONG COUNTY**
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Ludowici, GA 31316
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In southeastern GA, northwest of Brunswick; organized Aug 14, 1920 from Liberty County. **Name Origin:** For Crawford Williamson Long (1815-78), prominent GA surgeon, first in history to use sulphuric ether as an anesthetic, Mar 30, 1842.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.86 (land 400.29; water 2.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,464. **State rank:** 2279. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +30.5%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,083 (White 62.4%; Black or African American 25.2%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 12.3%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 30.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,068; median household $41,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,879 - $21,497.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 86.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOWNDES COUNTY**
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Valdosta, GA 31601
www.lowndescounty.com
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**Fax:** 229-245-5222

On central southern border of GA; organized Dec 23, 1825 from Irwin County. **Name Origin:** For William Jones Lowndes (1782-1822), SC legislator and U.S. representative (1811-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 502.48 (land 496.07; water 6.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 220.2.

**Pop 2010:** 109,233. **State rank:** 545. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 96,705 (White 58.1%; Black or African American 35.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 29.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,041; median household $39,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,858 - $30,268.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lowndes County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Valdosta 🏛 (54,518).

### LUMPKIN COUNTY

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In north-central GA, northeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee, Hall, and Habersham counties. **Name Origin:** For Wilson Lumpkin (1783-1870), GA governor (1831-35) and U.S. senator (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 283.33 (land 282.93; water 0.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.9.

**Pop 2010:** 29,966. **State rank:** 1504. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +23.2%; 2000-2005 +15.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,324 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,088; median household $43,394; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,505 - $26,731.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MACON COUNTY

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In central GA, southeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 14, 1837 from Houston and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), NC legislator, U.S. representative (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 403.31 (land 400.64; water 2.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,740. **State rank:** 2211. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,745 (White 35.1%; Black or African American 60.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,902; median household $27,950; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,352 - $21,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MADISON COUNTY

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In northeastern GA, northeast of Athens; organized Dec 5, 1811 from Clarke, Elbert, Franklin, Jackson, and Oglethorpe counties. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 284 (land 282.31; water 1.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,120. **State rank:** 1475. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,289 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,975; median household $41,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,967 - $28,834.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARION COUNTY

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In west-central GA, east of Columbus; organized Dec 14, 1827 from Lee and Muscogee counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-1795), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 366.49 (land 366; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,742. **State rank:** 2670. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.7%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,244 (White 60.1%; Black or African American 32.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 0.9%; Others 6.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,729; median household $31,581; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,673 - $26,330.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MCDUFFIE COUNTY

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Thomson, GA 30824
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In eastern GA, west of Augusta; organized Oct 18, 1870 from Columbia and Warren counties. **Name Origin:** For George McDuffie (1790-1851), SC governor (1834-36) and U.S. senator (1842-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 263.98 (land 257.46; water 6.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.

**Pop 2010:** 21,875. **State rank:** 1728. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,743 (White 57.2%; Black or African American 39.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,261; median household $35,414; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,084 - $30,215.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MCINTOSH COUNTY**
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On southeastern coast of GA, north of Brunswick; organized Dec 19, 1793 from Liberty County. **Name Origin:** Either for the McIntosh family of early settlers; or for William McIntosh (1775-1825), Creek Indian leader who fought in the Seminole War (1817-18), then became a brigadier general in the U.S. Army. He was killed as a traitor by the Creek Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.38 (land 424.30; water 141.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,333. **State rank:** 2328. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +29.5%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,068 (White 61.5%; Black or African American 35.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,964; median household $39,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,639 - $22,346.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MERIWETHER COUNTY**
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In west-central GA, northeast of Columbus; organized Dec 24, 1827 from Troup County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. David Meriwether (1755-1823), officer in the Revolutionary War, U.S. representative from GA (1802-07), and commissioner to the Creek Indians (1804).

**Area (sq mi):** 503.28 (land 501.22; water 2.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.9.

**Pop 2010:** 21,992. **State rank:** 1685. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,919 (White 57.9%; Black or African American 39.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,295; median household $37,845; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,732 - $26,599.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MILLER COUNTY**
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In southwestern GA, southwest of Albany; organized Feb 26, 1856 from Baker and Early counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson Miller (1806-56), GA legislator and superior court judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 283.10 (land 282.42; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,125. **State rank:** 2740. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,228 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 28.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,895; median household $33,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,136 - $31,893.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MITCHELL COUNTY**
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In southwestern GA, south of Albany; organized Dec 21, 1857 from Baker County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Mitchell (1760-1839), Revolutionary War hero and president of the GA Senate. Some claim David Brydie Mitchell (1766-1837), GA governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 513.94 (land 512.09; water 1.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,498. **State rank:** 1637. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 23,791 (White 47.9%; Black or African American 47.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,322; median household $36,198; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,510 - $25,641.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
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In central GA, northwest of Macon; original county; organized May 15, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 397.83 (land 395.66; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.8.

**Pop 2010:** 26,424. **State rank:** 1580. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.1%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 23,785 (White 73.3%; Black or African American 23.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,656; median household $48,297; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,024 - $37,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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In east-central GA, west of Savannah; organized Dec 19, 1793 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 241.51 (land 239.52; water 1.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Montgomery County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 9,123. **State rank:** 2516. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,909 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 26.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,168; median household $35,182; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,162 - $24,902.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MORGAN COUNTY

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In central GA, southeast of Atlanta; organized as Cotaco County Dec 10, 1807 from Baldwin County; name changed Jun 14, 1821. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 352.31 (land 347.35; water 4.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,868. **State rank:** 1873. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +13.2%. **Pop 2005:** 17,492 (White 72.7%; Black or African American 23.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,732; median household $45,817; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,162 - $35,401.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MURRAY COUNTY

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On northern border of GA, southeast of Chattanooga, TN; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas W. Murray (1790-1832), GA legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 346.94 (land 344.47; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 115.

**Pop 2010:** 39,628. **State rank:** 1160. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +11.8%. **Pop 2005:** 40,812 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 13.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.1%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,925; median household $38,226; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,085 - $24,568.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEWTON COUNTY

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**Fax:** 770-784-2007

In central GA, southeast of Atlanta; organized Dec 24, 1821 from Henry, Walton, and Jasper counties. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. John Newton (1752-80), soldier under Gen. Francis Marion (1732?-95) in the Revolutionary War, who saved several colonial patriots from execution by surprising and capturing the British soldiers guarding them.

**Area (sq mi):** 274.92 (land 272.16; water 2.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 367.3.

**Pop 2010:** 99,958. **State rank:** 575. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.3%; 2000-2005 +39.9%. **Pop 2005:** 86,713 (White 53.8%; Black or African American 40.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,583; median household $52,361; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,633 - $25,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Covington 🏛 (13,118).

### OCONEE COUNTY

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In northeast-central GA, south of Athens; organized Feb 25, 1875 from Clarke County. **Name Origin:** For an Indian tribe of Muskhogean linguistic stock; meaning of name uncertain.

**Area (sq mi):** 184.73 (land 184.29; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 178.

**Pop 2010:** 32,808. **State rank:** 1334. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 29,748 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 3.1%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,271; median household $74,352; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,673 - $51,445.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OGLETHORPE COUNTY

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In northeastern GA, southeast of Athens; organized Dec 19, 1793 from Wilkes County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Edward Oglethorpe (1696-1785), founder of GA and English humanitarian who proposed that GA be settled by former prisoners; first governor of GA under the charter granted to him.

**Area (sq mi):** 440.07 (land 439.01; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,899. **State rank:** 2139. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.5%; 2000-2005 +7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 13,609 (White 78.3%; Black or African American 17.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.1.

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## Oglethorpe County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,572; median household $39,319; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,366 - $29,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 78.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PAULDING COUNTY**
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In northwestern GA, northwest of Atlanta; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For John Paulding (1758-1818), one of the captors (1780) of John Andre (1750-80), British spy, during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 313.85 (land 312.22; water 1.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 455.8.

**Pop 2010:** 142,324. **State rank:** 444. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +26.6%; 2000-2005 +37.6%. **Pop 2005:** 112,411 (White 77.7%; Black or African American 17.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 33.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,450; median household $62,348; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,856 - $34,152.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dallas (11,544).

**PEACH COUNTY**
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In central GA, southeast of Macon; organized Jul 18, 1924 from Houston and Macon counties; the last county formed. **Name Origin:** For its location in one of the most fertile peach-growing areas of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 150.67 (land 150.27; water 0.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 184.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,695. **State rank:** 1512. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.7%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 24,794 (White 48.3%; Black or African American 45.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 33.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,681; median household $41,014; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,555 - $28,887.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PICKENS COUNTY**
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In north-central GA, north of Atlanta; organized Dec 5, 1853 from Cherokee and Gilmer counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Pickens (1739-1817), soldier and U.S. representative from SC (1793-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 232.71 (land 232.06; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.8.

**Pop 2010:** 29,431. **State rank:** 1395. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +23.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,442 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,892; median household $49,945; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,915 - $35,425.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIERCE COUNTY**
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In southeastern GA, west of Brunswick; organized Dec 18, 1857 from Appling and Ware counties. **Name Origin:** For Franklin Pierce (1804-69), fourteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 317.14 (land 316.49; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,758. **State rank:** 1882. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,119 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 8.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,283; median household $37,062; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,159 - $26,775.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIKE COUNTY**
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In west-central GA, northwest of Macon; organized Dec 9, 1822 from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 217.15 (land 216.09; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,869. **State rank:** 1927. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +17.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,128 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 10.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,051; median household $53,213; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,952 - $30,284.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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On northwestern border of GA, south of Rome; organized Dec 20, 1851 from Paulding and Floyd counties. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 311.32 (land 310.33; water 0.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.6.

**Pop 2010:** 41,475. **State rank:** 1104. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 40,479 (White 77.1%; Black or African American 12.5%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 11.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,214; median household $38,646; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,066 - $25,740.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PULASKI COUNTY**
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In central GA, southeast of Macon; organized Dec 13, 1808 from Laurens County. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 251.50 (land 249.03; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.2.

**Pop 2010:** 12,010. **State rank:** 2437. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +23.3%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,737 (White 63.9%; Black or African American 31.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,621; median household $36,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,768 - $25,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PUTNAM COUNTY**
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In central GA, northeast of Macon; organized Dec 10, 1807 from Baldwin County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 360.74 (land 344.64; water 16.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.6.

**Pop 2010:** 21,218. **State rank:** 1793. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.0%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,829 (White 67.9%; Black or African American 26.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,576; median household $41,529; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,041 - $31,641.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**QUITMAN COUNTY**
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On southwestern border of GA, south of Columbus; organized Dec 10, 1858 from Randolph (organized 1828) and Stewart counties. **Name Origin:** For John Anthony Quitman (1799-1858), tenth and sixteenth governor of MS (1835-36; 1850-51), and U.S. representative (1855-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 160.62 (land 151.24; water 9.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,513. **State rank:** 2992. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,467 (White 51.3%; Black or African American 47.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian Z%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,642; median household $28,912; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,662 - $25,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Georgetown (11,823).

**RABUN COUNTY**
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In northeastern corner of GA; organized Dec 21, 1819 from Cherokee land. **Name Origin:** For William Rabun (1771-1819), GA legislator and governor (1817-19).

**Area (sq mi):** 375.93 (land 369.99; water 5.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.

**Pop 2010:** 16,276. **State rank:** 1988. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,087 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,471; median household $34,406; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,936 - $29,768.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RANDOLPH COUNTY**
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In southwestern GA, northwest of Albany; organized Dec 20, 1828 from Lee County (an earlier Randolph County was renamed Jasper County in 1812). **Name Origin:** For John Randolph (1773-1833), VA statesman and U.S. minister to Russia (1830).

**Area (sq mi):** 429.88 (land 428.24; water 1.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.

**Pop 2010:** 7,719. **State rank:** 2652. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,310 (White 36.6%; Black or African

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## Randolph County (cont'd)

American 61.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,632; median household $26,194; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,624 - $27,651.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROCKDALE COUNTY**
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In central GA, southeast of Atlanta; organized Oct 18, 1870 from Henry and Newton counties. **Name Origin:** For the Rockdale Church, which was named for the underlying bed of granite in this part of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 131.29 (land 129.79; water 1.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 656.5.

**Pop 2010:** 85,215. **State rank:** 654. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 78,545 (White 44.8%; Black or African American 46.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 1.8%; Others 9.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.6%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,367; median household $55,779; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,658 - $32,009.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Conyers (15,195).

**SCHLEY COUNTY**
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In west-central GA, southeast of Columbus; organized Dec 22, 1857 from Marion and Sumter counties. **Name Origin:** For William Schley (1786-1858), U.S. representative from GA and governor (1835-37).

**Area (sq mi):** 167.12 (land 166.91; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.

**Pop 2010:** 5,010. **State rank:** 2873. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.5%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,122 (White 73.0%; Black or African American 23.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.2%). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,122; median household $35,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,880 - $21,290.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCREVEN COUNTY**
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On central east coast of GA, north of Savannah; organized Dec 14, 1793 from Burke and Effingham counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Screven (1744-78), an officer in the Revolutionary War. Originally spelled *Scriven*.

**Area (sq mi):** 652.24 (land 645.10; water 7.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 14,593. **State rank:** 2089. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 15,430 (White 54.6%; Black or African American 43.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,189; median household $32,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,571 - $27,918.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEMINOLE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 229-524-8984

In southwestern corner of GA; organized Jul 8, 1920 from Decatur and Early counties. **Name Origin:** For the Muskhogean tribe. Name is from Creek the separate ones.

**Area (sq mi):** 253.75 (land 235.23; water 18.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,729. **State rank:** 2503. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,226 (White 64.1%; Black or African American 33.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,263; median household $32,666; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,135 - $32,887.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SPALDING COUNTY**
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Griffin, GA 30224
www.spaldingcounty.com
**Ph:** 770-467-4200

In west-central GA, south of Atlanta; organized Dec 20, 1851 from Henry, Pike, and Fayette counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Spalding (1774-1851), GA legislator, U.S. representative (1805-06), and member of the GA Constitutional Convention of 1798.

**Area (sq mi):** 198.12 (land 196.47; water 1.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 326.1.

**Pop 2010:** 64,073. **State rank:** 796. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 61,289 (White 62.7%; Black or African American 32.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,607; median household $41,100; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,207 - $27,816.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Griffin (23,643).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**STEPHENS COUNTY**
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www.stephenscountyga.com
**Ph:** 706-886-9491
**Fax:** 706-886-2185

On northeastern border of GA, northeast of Athens; organized Aug 18, 1905 from Franklin and Habersham counties. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton Stephens (1812-83), GA statesman and a vice president of the Confederacy (1861).

**Area (sq mi):** 184.10 (land 179.13; water 4.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 146.1.

**Pop 2010:** 26,175. **State rank:** 1566. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 25,060 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,285; median household $34,938; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,382 - $29,838.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STEWART COUNTY**
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Lumpkin, GA 31815-5015
www.stewartcountyga.gov
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**Fax:** 229-838-9856

On central-western border of GA, south of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1830 from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Stewart (1759-1829), an officer in the American Revolution and the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 463.26 (land 458.73; water 4.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,058. **State rank:** 2858. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.1%; 2000-2005 -7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,882 (White 28.0%; Black or African American 47.3%; Hispanic or Latino 24.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 24.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,612; median household $30,954; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,204 - $23,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SUMTER COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 229-928-4503

In west-central GA, north of Albany; organized Dec 26, 1831 from Lee County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Sumter (1734-1832), American Revolutionary officer nicknamed the Gamecock of the Revolution, U.S. representative from GA (1789-93; 1797-1801), and U.S. senator (1801-10).

**Area (sq mi):** 489.96 (land 482.70; water 7.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.

**Pop 2010:** 32,819. **State rank:** 1372. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 32,912 (White 42.2%; Black or African American 51.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 33.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,436; median household $32,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,097 - $27,931.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Americus (17,041).

**TALBOT COUNTY**
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www.talbotcounty.georgia.gov
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**Fax:** 706-665-8637

In west-central GA, northeast of Columbus; organized Dec 14, 1827 from Muscogee County. **Name Origin:** For Matthew Talbot (1762-1827), GA legislator and ex-officio governor (1819).

**Area (sq mi):** 392.91 (land 391.39; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,865. **State rank:** 2722. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,709 (White 39.0%; Black or African American 59.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,007; median household $33,873; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,395 - $25,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TALIAFERRO COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 706-456-2749

In east-central GA, northwest of Augusta; organized Dec 24, 1825 from Greene, Hancock, Oglethorpe, Warren, and Wilkes counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Benjamin Taliaferro (1750-1821), GA superior court judge, legislator, and U.S. representative (1799-1802).

**Area (sq mi):** 194.69 (land 194.61; water 0.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,717. **State rank:** 3061. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,826 (White 37.3%; Black or African American 59.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,955; median household $22,188; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,825 - $28,185.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TATTNALL COUNTY**
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In east-central GA, west of Savannah; organized Dec 5, 1801 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Josiah Tattnall (1764-1803), an officer in the American Revolution, U.S. senator from GA (1796-99), and governor (1801-02).

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## Tattnall County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 483.93 (land 479.40; water 4.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.2.

**Pop 2010:** 25,520. **State rank:** 1609. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.9%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 23,211 (White 62.7%; Black or African American 29.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 9.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,742; median household $38,522; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,598 - $23,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TAYLOR COUNTY

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Butler, GA 31006 **Fax:** 478-862-2871
www.taylorga.us

In west-central GA, east of Columbus; organized Jan 15, 1852 from Macon, Marion, and Talbot counties. **Name Origin:** For Zachary Taylor (1784-1850), twelfth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 378.86 (land 376.69; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,906. **State rank:** 2542. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 8,887 (White 58.5%; Black or African American 39.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,693; median household $25,237; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,866 - $24,967.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TELFAIR COUNTY

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McRae, GA 31055 **Fax:** 229-868-7950

In central GA, southeast of Macon; organized Dec 10, 1807 from Wilkinson County. **Name Origin:** For Edward Telfair (1735-1807), member of the Continental Congress (1777-79; 1780-83), and GA governor (1786-87; 1790-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 440.29 (land 437.30; water 2.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,500. **State rank:** 2247. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +25.0%; 2000-2005 +12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,205 (White 57.0%; Black or African American 36.5%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.2%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,420; median household $23,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $16,265 - $16,614.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.3%. **Change from 2007:** +9.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TERRELL COUNTY

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Dawson, GA 39842 **Fax:** 229-995-4320

In southwestern GA, northwest of Albany; organized Feb 16, 1856 from Lee and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Dr. William Terrell (1778-1855), GA legislator and U.S. representative (1817-21).

**Area (sq mi):** 337.70 (land 335.44; water 2.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.8.

**Pop 2010:** 9,315. **State rank:** 2401. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.0%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,711 (White 36.6%; Black or African American 61.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,553; median household $27,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,208 - $30,209.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### THOMAS COUNTY

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Thomasville, GA 31799 **Fax:** 229-226-3430
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On southern border of GA, west of Valdosta; organized Dec 23, 1825 from Decatur and Irwin counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jett Thomas (1776-1817), officer of the GA militia; supervisor of the construction of the state capitol at Milledgeville and the first university building at Athens.

**Area (sq mi):** 548.38 (land 544.60; water 3.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.1.

**Pop 2010:** 44,720. **State rank:** 1022. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 44,692 (White 59.6%; Black or African American 36.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,261; median household $35,797; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,587 - $34,138.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Thomasville (18,413).

### TIFT COUNTY

225 N Tift Ave PO Box 354 **Ph:** 229-386-7810
Tifton, GA 31793 **Fax:** 229-386-7813
www.tiftcounty.org

In south-central GA, east of Albany; organized Aug 17, 1905 from Berrien, Irwin, and Worth counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Nelson Tift (1810-91), GA legislator, officer in the Confederate Navy, and U.S. representative (1868-69). Founder of the city of Albany, GA (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 262.73 (land 258.92; water 3.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 154.9.

**Pop 2010:** 40,118. **State rank:** 1094. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 40,793 (White 61.4%; Black or African American 29.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 1.3%; Others 10.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,394; median household $36,847; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Tift County (cont'd)

$28,208 - $27,930.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tifton (16,350).

### TOOMBS COUNTY

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In east-central GA, west of Savannah; organized Aug 18, 1905 from Emanuel, Montgomery, and Tattnall counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Robert Toombs (1810-85), U.S. senator (1853-61), secretary of state of the Confederacy, and officer in the Confederate Army.

**Area (sq mi):** 366 (land 364.01; water 1.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.8.

**Pop 2010:** 27,223. **State rank:** 1486. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 27,274 (White 65.1%; Black or African American 24.9%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 11.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,974; median household $31,635; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,076 - $30,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vidalia (10,473).

### TOWNS COUNTY

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**Fax:** 706-896-4628

On northern border of GA, northwest of Athens; organized Mar 6, 1856 from Rabun and Union counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington Bonaparte Towns (1801-54), U.S. representative from GA (1835-36; 1837-39; 1846-47) and governor (1847-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 171.91 (land 166.56; water 5.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,471. **State rank:** 2350. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 10,315 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 51.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,527; median household $39,540; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,670 - $35,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TREUTLEN COUNTY

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Soperton, GA 30457
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**Ph:** 912-529-3664
**Fax:** 912-529-6062

In east-central GA; organized Aug 21, 1917 from Emanuel and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For John Adam Treutlen (1726-83), first governor of GA (1777-78).

**Area (sq mi):** 200.97 (land 199.44; water 1.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,885. **State rank:** 2664. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,753 (White 65.2%; Black or African American 32.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,710; median household $36,467; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,650 - $24,258.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TROUP COUNTY

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LaGrange, GA 30240
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On central western border of GA, north of Columbus; original county; organized Dec 11, 1826 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For George Michael Troup (1780-1856), U.S. senator from GA (1816-18; 1829-33) and governor (1823-27).

**Area (sq mi):** 446.05 (land 413.99; water 32.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 161.9.

**Pop 2010:** 67,044. **State rank:** 797. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 62,015 (White 61.5%; Black or African American 33.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,699; median household $41,770; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,898 - $30,594.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TURNER COUNTY

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In south-central GA, northeast of Albany; organized 1905 from Dooly, Irwin, Wilcox, and Worth counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Henry Gray Turner (1839-1904), officer in the Confederate Army, U.S. representative from GA (1881-97), and associate justice of the GA supreme court (1903).

**Area (sq mi):** 289.22 (land 285.39; water 3.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,930. **State rank:** 2488. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,474 (White 54.7%; Black or African American 41.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,973; median household $30,763; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,649 - $28,073.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**TWIGGS COUNTY**
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In central GA, east of Macon; organized Dec 14, 1809 from Wilkinson County. The geographic center of GA is within the county. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Gen. John Twiggs, an officer in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 361.06 (land 358.40; water 2.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.2.

**Pop 2010:** 9,023. **State rank:** 2420. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.4%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 10,299 (White 56.8%; Black or African American 41.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,904; median household $26,521; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,672 - $30,662.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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On northern border of GA, northwest of Athens; organized Dec 3, 1832 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** By John Thomas, state legislator at the time of naming: Union, for none but Union men reside in it.

**Area (sq mi):** 328.40 (land 321.93; water 6.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,356. **State rank:** 1750. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +14.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,782 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 50.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,182; median household $41,298; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,894 - $30,653.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UPSON COUNTY**
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In west-central GA, west of Macon; organized Dec 15, 1824 from Crawford and Pike counties. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Upson (1784/5-1824), attorney, jurist, and GA legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 325.59 (land 323.44; water 2.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.

**Pop 2010:** 27,153. **State rank:** 1503. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 27,679 (White 68.8%; Black or African American 28.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,398; median household $34,509; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,811 - $27,067.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the northern border of GA, south of Chattanooga, TN; organized Dec 18, 1833 from Murray County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Freeman Walker (1780-1827), GA legislator, U.S. senator (1819-21), and mayor of Augusta (1818-19; 1823).

**Area (sq mi):** 446.83 (land 446.38; water 0.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 154.

**Pop 2010:** 68,756. **State rank:** 793. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 63,890 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,440; median household $38,723; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,893 - $26,506.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALTON COUNTY**
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Monroe, GA 30655
www.waltoncountyga.org
**Ph:** 770-267-1301
**Fax:** 770-267-1400

In central GA, east of Atlanta; original county; organized Dec 15, 1818 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For George Walton (1741-1804), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, GA governor (1779-80; 1789), and U.S. senator (1795-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 326.55 (land 325.68; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 257.2.

**Pop 2010:** 83,768. **State rank:** 643. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +24.7%. **Pop 2005:** 75,647 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 15.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,521; median household $51,721; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,564 - $32,767.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Monroe (13,234); Loganville (10,458).

**WARE COUNTY**
PO Box 1069
Waycross, GA 31502
www.warecounty.com
**Ph:** 912-287-4300
**Fax:** 912-287-4301

In southeastern GA, west of Brunswick; organized Dec 15, 1824 from Appling County. **Name Origin:** For Nicholas Ware (1769-1824), GA legislator, mayor of Augusta (1819-21), and U.S. senator (1821-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 896.48 (land 892.46; water 4.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Ware County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 36,312. **State rank:** 1269. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 34,492 (White 66.4%; Black or African American 29.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,295; median household $35,517; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,322 - $25,100.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waycross 🏛 (14,649).

### WARREN COUNTY

521 Main St
Warrenton, GA 30828
www.warrencountyga.com

**Ph:** 706-465-2171
**Fax:** 706-465-1300

In east-central GA, west of Augusta; organized Dec 19, 1793 from Hancock, Wilkes, Richmond, and Columbus counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 285.52 (land 284.30; water 1.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,834. **State rank:** 2775. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,101 (White 36.9%; Black or African American 61.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,987; median household $31,043; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,773 - $25,780.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

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Sandersville, GA 31082
www.washingtoncounty-ga.com

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**Fax:** 478-552-7424

In east-central GA, east of Macon; organized Feb 25, 1784 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 682.48 (land 678.45; water 4.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,187. **State rank:** 1772. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,118 (White 45.0%; Black or African American 52.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,033; median household $31,382; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,057 - $28,933.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WAYNE COUNTY

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Jesup, GA 31598
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**Ph:** 912-427-5900
**Fax:** 912-427-5906

In southeastern GA, northwest of Brunswick; original county; organized May 11, 1803 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman; nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 645.91 (land 641.78; water 4.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 30,099. **State rank:** 1435. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 28,390 (White 74.9%; Black or African American 19.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,393; median household $37,340; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,628 - $27,815.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jesup (10,214).

### WEBSTER COUNTY

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Preston, GA 31824
www.webstercountyga.org

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In west-central GA, southeast of Columbus; organized as Kinchafoonee County Dec 16, 1853 from Stewart County; name changed Feb 21, 1856. Originally named for the creek that runs through the county; from Creek 'nutcracker.'. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 209.84 (land 209.12; water 0.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,799. **State rank:** 3029. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +22.3%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,289 (White 54.0%; Black or African American 42.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,295; median household $25,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,389 - $24,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WHEELER COUNTY

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Alamo, GA 30411
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**Fax:** 912-568-1909

In central GA, west of Savannah; organized Aug 14, 1912 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Wheeler (1836-1906), Confederate general, author, and U.S. representative from AL (1881-82; 1883; 1885-1900).

**Area (sq mi):** 297.90 (land 295.48; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,421. **State rank:** 2668. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,706 (White 61.3%; Black or African American 35.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $10,043; median household $35,422; **Pop**

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**below poverty level:** 24.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,792 - $17,253.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHITE COUNTY**
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Cleveland, GA 30528
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In northeastern GA, northwest of Athens; organized Dec 22, 1857 from Habersham County. **Name Origin:** Believed to be for David Thomas White (1812-71), supporter of a bill to create the county. Some claim Col. John White, a hero of the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 241.27 (land 240.69; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.8.

**Pop 2010:** 27,144. **State rank:** 1583. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.8%; 2000-2005 +20.6%. **Pop 2005:** 24,055 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,680; median household $41,756; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,247 - $25,097.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHITFIELD COUNTY**
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On northern border of GA, northeast of Rome; organized Dec 20, 1851 from Murray County. **Name Origin:** For the Rev. George Whitefield (1714-70), prominent Church of England clergyman who established Bethesda, one of the first orphanages in the U.S. Spelling changed by clerical error.

**Area (sq mi):** 291.12 (land 290.46; water 0.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 353.2.

**Pop 2010:** 102,599. **State rank:** 606. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 +8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 90,889 (White 76.6%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 31.6%; Asian 1.3%; Others 31.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.6%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,780; median household $42,345; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,220 - $28,588.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dalton (33,128).

**WILCOX COUNTY**
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In central GA, northeast of Albany; organized Dec 22, 1857 from Dooly, Irwin, and Pulaski counties. **Name Origin:** Either for the Abbeville District of SC, or for the wife of David Fitzgerald, who donated the land for the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 380.71 (land 377.71; water 3). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,255. **State rank:** 2522. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,721 (White 61.7%; Black or African American 35.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,692; median household $30,784; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,916 - $22,855.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILKES COUNTY**
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In eastern GA, southeast of Athens; organized Feb 5, 1777 (prior to statehood) from original territory. **Name Origin:** For John Wilkes (1725-97), member of the British House of Commons who supported the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 472.11 (land 469.49; water 2.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,593. **State rank:** 2408. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 10,457 (White 53.0%; Black or African American 42.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,993; median household $28,022; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,140 - $28,006.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILKINSON COUNTY**
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Irwinton, GA 31042
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**Fax:** 478-946-3767

In central GA, east of Macon; original county; organized May 11, 1803 from Creek cession. **Name Origin:** For James Wilkinson (1757-1825), officer under Washington, negotiated for the Louisiana Purchase, and first governor of the Louisiana Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 452.76 (land 447.31; water 5.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,563. **State rank:** 2425. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,143 (White 58.5%; Black or African American 38.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,929; median household $37,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,196 - $27,847.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**WORTH COUNTY**
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Sylvester, GA 31791
www.worthcounty.com

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In southwest-central GA, east of Albany; organized Dec 20, 1853 from Dooly and Irwin counties. **Name Origin:** For William Jenkins Worth (1794-1849), general during the Mexican War, cited by Congress for bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.56 (land 570.70; water 4.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 21,679. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 21,996 (White 70.3%; Black or African American 27.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,348; median household $38,670; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,185 - $31,219.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Area (sq mi):** 10,930.98 (land 6,422.62; water 4,508.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 211.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,360,301. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,275,194 (White 24.7%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 38.6%; Others 8.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $41,021; median household $66,420; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,946 - $41,550.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.3%.

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**HAWAII COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 808-961-8912

Southernmost of the Islands, bordered on the north by Alenuihaha Channel; county is coextensive with the island. Established 1905 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** In Hawaii the name has no meaning, but in the rest of Polynesia it is the name of the underworld or of the ancestral home. Sometimes translated as 'beyond the doors of death.' Called the 'Big Island.'

**Area (sq mi):** 5,087.11 (land 4,028.42; water 1,058.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.9.

**Pop 2010:** 185,079. **State rank:** 344. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.6%; 2000-2005 +12.5%. **Pop 2005:** 167,293 (White 33.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.6%; Asian 22.2%; Others 11.6%, including 12.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.2%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,194; median household $54,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,997 - $30,844.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 37 for cities).

**HONOLULU CITY & COUNTY**
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Between the islands of Kauai and Molokai; bordered on west by Kauai Channel and on southeast by Kaiwi Channel. Established 1905 (prior to statehood); legally the City and County of Honolulu with one municipal government; includes the islands of Oahu and small ones northwest of Kauai. About 80 of the state's population lives in Honolulu County. **Name Origin:** From two Polynesian words, *hono* fair haven and *lulu* calm or quiet, referring to Mamala Bay, into which Pearl Harbor opens.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,127.82 (land 600.74; water 1,527.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 1586.7.

**Pop 2010:** 953,207. **State rank:** 52. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 905,266 (White 20.8%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 43.9%; Others 8.1%, including 9.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.5%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,516; median household $70,093; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,611 - $45,216.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 15 (see page 37 for cities).

**KALAWAO COUNTY**

On the north coast of the island of Molokai, southeast of the island of Oahu. Established 1905 (prior to statehood); has no county government. For statistical purposes is considered as one of the judicial districts of Maui County. Site of a colony for victims of leprosy or Hansen's disease; administered by the state department of health. **Name Origin:** From the Polynesian meaning 'mountain area.'

**Area (sq mi):** 51.11 (land 11.99; water 39.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.5.

**Pop 2010:** 90. **State rank:** 3142. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -18.9%; 2000-2005 -24.5%. **Pop 2005:** 111 (White 26.7%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 7.8%; Others 1.1%, including 48.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.6%. **Median age:** 55.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,308; median household $41,806; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.1%. (BEA data includes Maui County & Kalawao ).

**Median travel time to work:** 6.2 minutes.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KAUAI COUNTY**
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Lihue, HI 96766
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Westernmost of the Islands; county includes Kauai and Niihau islands; bordered on east by Kauai Channel. Established 1905 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From the Polynesian meaning 'drying place.'

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## Kauai County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,263.89 (land 619.96; water 643.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.2.

**Pop 2010:** 67,091. **State rank:** 798. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 62,640 (White 33.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 31.3%; Others 9.4%, including 9.0% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.7%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,513; median household $62,531; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,992 - $35,304.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kapaa (10,699).

**MAUI COUNTY**
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Wailuku, HI 96793
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Separated from Hawaii County to the southeast by Alenuihaha Channel and from Honolulu to the northwest by Kaiwi Channel. Established 1905 (prior to statehood). Includes Molokai, Lanai, Kahoolawe, and Maui islands. **Name Origin:** A Polynesian demigod.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,401.06 (land 1,161.52; water 1,239.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.3.

**Pop 2010:** 154,834. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 139,884 (White 34.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 28.8%; Others 10.1%, including 10.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,180; median household $63,989; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. (BEA data includes Maui County & Kalawao ).

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 37 for cities).

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www.idaho.gov
**Ph:** 208-332-0102
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**Area (sq mi):** 83,570.08 (land 82,747.21; water 822.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.

**Pop 2010:** 1,567,582. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,429,096 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 11.2%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,257; median household $46,423; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,607 - $31,897.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.1%.

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**ADA COUNTY**
200 W Front St Suite 3255
Boise, ID 83702
www.adaweb.net
**Ph:** 208-287-7000
**Fax:** 208-287-7009

In southwestern ID; organized Dec 22, 1864 (prior to statehood) from Boise County. **Name Origin:** For Ada Riggs (1863-?), the first white child born in Boise, daughter of H. C. Riggs.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,057.92 (land 1,052.58; water 5.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 372.8.

**Pop 2010:** 392,365. **State rank:** 169. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.8%; 2000-2005 +14.6%. **Pop 2005:** 344,727 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 2.4%; Others 7.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,915; median household $55,835; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,262 - $38,718.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Meridian (75,092); Eagle (19,908); Kuna (15,210); Garden City (10,972).

**ADAMS COUNTY**
PO Box 48
Council, ID 83612
www.co.adams.id.us
**Ph:** 208-253-4561
**Fax:** 208-253-4880

On the central western border of ID, north of Boise; organized Mar 3, 1911 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,368.49 (land 1,363.06; water 5.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,976. **State rank:** 2930. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,591 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 50.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,730; median household $36,004; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,907 - $27,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.2%. **Change from 2007:** +11.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BANNOCK COUNTY**
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Pocatello, ID 83205
www.co.bannock.id.us
**Ph:** 208-236-7211
**Fax:** 208-236-7363

In southeastern ID; organized Mar 6, 1893 from Bingham County. **Name Origin:** For the Bannack Indians whose name in Shoshonean means 'hair in backward motion,' for their habit of wearing a lock of hair tossed back over their heads. Early settlers spelled the name 'Bannock,' with an 'o' instead of an 'a'.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,146.15 (land 1,111.99; water 34.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.5.

**Pop 2010:** 82,839. **State rank:** 664. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 78,155 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 6.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,275; median household $44,848; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,801 - $28,589.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pocatello 🏛 (54,255); Chubbuck (13,922).

**BEAR LAKE COUNTY**
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Paris, ID 83261
www.bearlakecounty.info
**Ph:** 208-945-2212
**Fax:** 208-945-2248

On the southeastern border of ID, southeast of Pocatello; organized Jan 5, 1875 from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For Bear Lake, which lies half in ID and half in UT.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,052.84 (land 974.79; water 78.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,986. **State rank:** 2774. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,176 (White 96.3%; Black or African

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## Bear Lake County (cont'd)

American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,284; median household $43,374; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,684 - $28,940.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENEWAH COUNTY**
701 College Ave
Saint Maries, ID 83861
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**Fax:** 208-245-3046

On the western border of ID, southeast of Spokane, WA; organized Jan 23, 1915 from Kootenai County. **Name Origin:** For Benewah, a chief of the Coeur d'Alene Indian tribe.

**Area (sq mi):** 784.53 (land 776.62; water 7.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.

**Pop 2010:** 9,285. **State rank:** 2486. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,218 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,312; median household $37,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,965 - $31,058.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BINGHAM COUNTY**
501 N Maple St, Suite 205
Blackfoot, ID 83221
www.co.bingham.id.us
**Ph:** 208-782-3163
**Fax:** 208-785-4131

In southeastern ID, south of Idaho Falls; organized Jan 13, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** By ID Territorial Governor William M. Bunn for his friend Henry Harrison Bingham (1841-1912), U.S. representative from PA (1879-1912) and a former Union officer who was awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor in 1864.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,119.49 (land 2,093.98; water 25.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.8.

**Pop 2010:** 45,607. **State rank:** 1058. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 43,739 (White 80.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 17.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 17.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 31.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,633; median household $44,128; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,422 - $26,299.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Blackfoot (11,899).

**BLAINE COUNTY**
206 1st Ave S Suite 200
Hailey, ID 83333
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**Fax:** 208-788-5501

In south-central ID, west of Pocatello; organized Mar 5, 1895 from Alturas County, which was organized in 1864 and abolished in 1895, and from Logan County, which was organized in 1889 and abolished in 1895. **Name Origin:** For James Gillespie Blaine (1830-93), U.S. representative from ME (1863-76), U.S. senator (1876-81), and U.S. secretary of state (1881; 1889-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,659.83 (land 2,643.59; water 16.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.1.

**Pop 2010:** 21,376. **State rank:** 1709. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 21,166 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 20.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 20.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.0%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,656; median household $61,854; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $63,712 - $63,883.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOISE COUNTY**
420 Main St PO Box 1300
Idaho City, ID 83631
www.boisecounty.us
**Ph:** 208-392-4431
**Fax:** 208-392-4473

In west-central ID, northeast of Boise; original county, established Feb 4, 1864. **Name Origin:** For the Boise River, which forms part of its eastern border from French *boise* 'woods.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,903.54 (land 1,899.24; water 4.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,028. **State rank:** 2626. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.7%; 2000-2005 +13.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,535 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,288; median household $48,789; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,916 - $36,035.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BONNER COUNTY**
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Sandpoint, ID 83864
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**Fax:** 208-265-1447

In the north of the ID panhandle, northeast of Spokane, WA; organized Feb 21, 1907 from Kootenai County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin L. Bonner, an early settler of northern ID who operated a ferry on the Kootenai River.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,916.49 (land 1,734.57; water 181.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 40,877. **State rank:** 1130. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 40,908 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Bonner County (cont'd)

**born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,745; median household $41,943; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,438 - $30,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +9.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BONNEVILLE COUNTY

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Idaho Falls, ID 83402
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**Fax:** 208-529-1379

On the southeastern border of ID, northeast of Pocatello; organized Feb 7, 1911 from Bingham County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Louis Eulalie de Bonneville (1796-1878), French-born officer in the Mexican-American War and explorer of California and the Rocky Mountains region (1831-31); immortalized in the *Adventures of Captain Bonneville* (1837) by Washington Irving (1783-1859).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,898.26 (land 1,866.08; water 32.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.9.

**Pop 2010:** 104,234. **State rank:** 565. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 91,856 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 11.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,218; median household $50,445; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,343 - $34,667.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Idaho Falls 🏛 (56,813); Ammon (13,816).

### BOUNDARY COUNTY

PO Box 419
Bonners Ferry, ID 83805
www.boundarycountyid.org

**Ph:** 208-267-5504
**Fax:** 208-267-7814

On the northern boundary of the ID panhandle; organized Jan 23, 1915 from Kootenai and Bonner counties. **Name Origin:** Because it borders Canada on the north, MT on the east, and WA on the west.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,277.96 (land 1,268.56; water 9.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,972. **State rank:** 2353. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,619 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,011; median household $37,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,574 - $26,044.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUTTE COUNTY

248 W Grand Ave PO Box 737
Arco, ID 83213
www.buttecounty.net

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**Fax:** 208-527-3295

In east-central ID, west of Idaho Falls; organized Feb 6, 1917 from Bingham, Blaine, and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** For the landmark buttes rising from the Snake River plains.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,232.41 (land 2,231.67; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,891. **State rank:** 2987. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,808 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,414; median household $39,413; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,344 - $32,199.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CAMAS COUNTY

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Fairfield, ID 83327
www.idaho.gov/aboutidaho/county/camas.html

**Ph:** 208-764-2242
**Fax:** 208-764-2349

In south-central ID, east of Boise; organized Feb 6, 1917 from Blaine County. **Name Origin:** From the Chinook name for the camas, an edible root of the lily family.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,078.55 (land 1,074.49; water 4.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,117. **State rank:** 3103. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,050 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 6.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,659; median household $44,145; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,492 - $34,727.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +10.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CANYON COUNTY

1115 Albany St
Caldwell, ID 83605
www.canyoncounty.org

**Ph:** 208-454-7300
**Fax:** 208-454-7525

On the southwestern border of ID, west of Boise; established Mar 7, 1891 from Ada County. **Name Origin:** Either for the canyon of the Boise River near Caldwell, or the Snake River canyon, which forms a county boundary.

**Area (sq mi):** 601.16 (land 587.37; water 13.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 321.6.

**Pop 2010:** 188,923. **State rank:** 330. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.8%; 2000-2005 +25.2%. **Pop 2005:** 164,593 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 23.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 23.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,366; median household $43,218; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,614 - $22,723.

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## Canyon County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Nampa (81,557); Caldwell (46,237).

### CARIBOU COUNTY

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Soda Springs, ID 83276
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**Ph:** 208-547-4324
**Fax:** 208-547-4759

On the southeastern border of ID, east of Pocatello; organized Feb 11, 1919 from Bannock and Oneida counties. **Name Origin:** For Caribou (Cariboo) Fairchild, active in mining in ID; nickname acquired in the Cariboo mine fields of British Columbia, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,796.76 (land 1,764.15; water 32.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,963. **State rank:** 2674. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,131 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,637; median household $44,958; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,593 - $30,843.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CASSIA COUNTY

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Burley, ID 83318
www.cassiacounty.org

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**Fax:** 208-878-9109

On the central southern border of ID, east of Twin Falls; organized Feb 20, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For Cassia Creek (spelled Cassier in 1879), named either from French *cajeaux* 'raft,' for for James John Cazier, member of the Mormon Battalion and a colorful wagon train leader. Locals also believe it is for the cassia plant.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,578.94 (land 2,565.08; water 13.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,952. **State rank:** 1735. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,324 (White 81.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 24.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 24.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.9%. **Median age:** 32.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,782; median household $39,866; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,606 - $31,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burley (10,345).

### CLARK COUNTY

320 W Main St
Dubois, ID 83530
www.idaho.gov/aboutidaho/county/clark.html

**Ph:** 208-983-2751
**Fax:** 208-983-1428

On lower northern border of ID, north of Idaho Falls; organized May of 1881. **Name Origin:** For Sam K. Clark, an early settler on Medicine Lodge Creek, and first state senator from the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,764.77 (land 1,764.19; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 982. **State rank:** 3110. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 943 (White 72.4%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 40.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 40.5%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 29.4%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,737; median household $40,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,147 - $39,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLEARWATER COUNTY

150 Michigan Ave PO Box 586
Orofino, ID 83544
www.clearwatercounty.org

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**Fax:** 208-476-3127

On the eastern border of the ID panhandle, east of Lewiston; organized Feb 27, 1911 from Nez Perce County. **Name Origin:** For the Clearwater River, itself named for the translation of the Nez Perce descriptive name.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,483.97 (land 2,457.27; water 26.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,761. **State rank:** 2583. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,373 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,507; median household $41,835; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,990 - $29,648.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CUSTER COUNTY

801 Main St PO Box 385
Challis, ID 83226
www.co.custer.id.us

**Ph:** 208-879-2360
**Fax:** 208-879-5246

In central ID; organized Jan 8, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Alturas and Lemhi counties. **Name Origin:** For the General Custer mine, named for Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. officer and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,932.28 (land 4,920.94; water 11.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,368. **State rank:** 2877. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,077 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian Z%; Others 4.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 48.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,625; median household $41,910; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,328 - $32,507.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Custer County (cont'd)

16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ELMORE COUNTY

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Mountain Home, ID 83647
www.elmorecounty.org

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**Fax:** 208-587-2243

In southwestern ID, east of Boise; organized Feb 7, 1889 (prior to statehood) from Alturas County. **Name Origin:** For the Ida Elmore Quartz Mine, largest producer of gold and silver during the 1860s.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,097.67 (land 3,074.74; water 22.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.8.

**Pop 2010:** 27,038. **State rank:** 1461. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 28,634 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 15.2%; Asian 2.8%; Others 15.2%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,388; median household $43,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,040 - $33,592.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mountain Home 🏛 (14,206).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

39 W Oneida St
Preston, ID 83263
www.franklincountyidaho.org

**Ph:** 208-852-1090
**Fax:** 208-852-1094

On the southern border of ID, southeast of Pocatello; organized Jan 30, 1913 from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For the first settlement in ID, named for Franklin Dewey Richards (1821-99), a Mormon apostle.

**Area (sq mi):** 666.57 (land 663.65; water 2.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,786. **State rank:** 2256. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,371 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 6.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,967; median household $45,682; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,376 - $25,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FREMONT COUNTY

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Saint Anthony, ID 83445
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**Fax:** 208-624-7335

On the lower northeastern border of ID, northeast of Idaho Falls; organized Mar 4, 1893 from Bingham County. **Name Origin:** For John Charles Fremont (1813-90), soldier and explorer who led five expeditions to the West, U.S. senator from CA (1850-51), and governor of the AZ Territory (1878-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,892.37 (land 1,863.53; water 28.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,242. **State rank:** 2255. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 12,242 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 12.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,616; median household $42,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,425 - $23,803.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GEM COUNTY

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Emmett, ID 83617
www.co.gem.id.us

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**Fax:** 208-365-7795

In southwestern ID, north of Boise; organized Mar 19, 1915 from Boise and Canyon counties. **Name Origin:** For the state nickname, 'Gem State,' from the supposed Indian meaning of Idaho 'Gem of the Mountain.'

**Area (sq mi):** 564.07 (land 560.90; water 3.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 16,719. **State rank:** 2000. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,273 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,431; median household $42,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,987 - $27,745.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GOODING COUNTY

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Gooding, ID 83330
www.goodingcounty.org

**Ph:** 208-934-4841
**Fax:** 208-934-5085

In south-central ID, northwest of Twin Falls; organized Jan 28, 1913 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For Frank Robert Gooding (1859-1928), governor of Idaho (1905-08) and U.S. senator (1921-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 732.03 (land 728.97; water 3.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,464. **State rank:** 2130. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,461 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 28.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 28.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.6%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,694; median household $37,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,528 - $37,054.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**IDAHO COUNTY**
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Grangeville, ID 83530
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**Fax:** 208-983-0667

At the southern base of the ID panhandle, east and south of Lewiston; original county; organized Feb 4, 1864 (prior to statehood). Originally established in 1861 as the third county of WA Territory, now in ID. **Name Origin:** For the steamer *Idaho*, launched Jun 9, 1860 on the Columbia River to serve miners in the gold rush.

**Area (sq mi):** 8,494.94 (land 8,477.35; water 17.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,267. **State rank:** 2070. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 15,697 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.6%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 48.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,980; median household $34,536; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,176 - $27,537.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 208-745-9397

In southeastern ID, north of Idaho Falls; organized Feb 18, 1913 from Fremont County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,103.97 (land 1,093.50; water 10.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 26,140. **State rank:** 1600. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.1%; 2000-2005 +12.7%. **Pop 2005:** 21,580 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,019; median household $51,579; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,126 - $26,241.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEROME COUNTY**
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Jerome, ID 83338
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**Fax:** 208-644-2709

In south-central ID, north of Twin Falls; organized Feb 18, 1919 from Gooding and Lincoln counties. **Name Origin:** Either for Jerome Hill, a principal figure in the Twin Falls North Side Irrigation Project (1905), or Jerome Kuhn, his son-in-law, or for Jerome Kuhn, Jr., his grandson. All were major figures in the growth of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 599.22 (land 597.19; water 2.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,374. **State rank:** 1748. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.9%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,638 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 31.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 31.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.1%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,947; median household $39,188; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,639 - $29,214.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jerome (10,890).

**KOOTENAI COUNTY**
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On the western border of the ID panhandle, east of Spokane, WA; original county; organized Dec 22, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Kootenai (or Kutenai) Indian tribe, whose name means 'water people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,314.70 (land 1,244.13; water 70.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.3.

**Pop 2010:** 138,494. **State rank:** 442. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +17.5%. **Pop 2005:** 127,668 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,418; median household $46,336; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,155 - $32,142.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Post Falls (27,574); Hayden (13,294).

**LATAH COUNTY**
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On the western border of the ID panhandle, north of Lewiston; organized May 14, 1888 (prior to statehood) from Kootenai County. **Name Origin:** For Latah Creek from a combination of two Nez Perce words, *lakah* 'place of the pines,' and *tah-ol* 'pestle'. The Indians found stones there to grind camas roots and shade in which to work.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,076.24 (land 1,076; water 0.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,244. **State rank:** 1210. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,714 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 2.1%; Others 3.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 28.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,218; median household $36,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,762 - $30,633.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moscow (23,800).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**LEMHI COUNTY**
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Salmon, ID 83467
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**Fax:** 208-756-8424

On the central eastern border of ID; organized Mar 3, 1869 (prior to statehood) from Idaho County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Lemhi, a Mormon mission on the Salmon River, named for a character in the Book of Mormon.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,568.74 (land 4,563.39; water 5.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,936. **State rank:** 2599. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,909 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 49.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,699; median household $36,411; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,263 - $30,669.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEWIS COUNTY**
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Nezperce, ID 83543
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**Fax:** 208-937-9233

In central-western ID, southeast of Lewiston; organized Mar 3, 1911 from Nez Perce County. **Name Origin:** For Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809), co-leader of the Lewis and Clark expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 479.57 (land 478.80; water 0.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,821. **State rank:** 2917. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,750 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 48.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,580; median household $35,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,161 - $41,544.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
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Shoshone, ID 83352
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**Fax:** 208-886-2798

In south-central ID, north of Twin Falls; organized Mar 18, 1895 from Blaine County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,201.74 (land 1,201.41; water 0.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,208. **State rank:** 2849. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.6%; 2000-2005 +12.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,545 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 28.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 28.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.2%. **Median age:** 32.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,011; median household $45,714; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,084 - $27,694.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +10.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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Rexburg, ID 83440
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In southeastern ID, northeast of Idaho Falls; organized Feb 18, 1913 from Fremont County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 471.05 (land 469.21; water 1.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 80.

**Pop 2010:** 37,536. **State rank:** 1203. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.2%; 2000-2005 +12.8%. **Pop 2005:** 30,975 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 22.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,735; median household $35,461; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,781 - $18,651.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rexburg (25,484).

**MINIDOKA COUNTY**
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In south-central ID, west of Pocatello; organized Jan 28, 1913 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For the first settlement, a railroad siding, from Shoshonean 'broad expanse,' descriptive of the Snake River plain in this area.

**Area (sq mi):** 760.95 (land 757.59; water 3.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.5.

**Pop 2010:** 20,069. **State rank:** 1848. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,014 (White 80.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 32.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 32.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.9%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,747; median household $40,350; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,922 - $28,376.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEZ PERCE COUNTY**
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Lewiston, ID 83501
www.co.nezperce.id.us
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On the western border of the ID panhandle; original county; organized Feb 4, 1864 (prior to statehood). It was previously established by WA Territory in 1861. **Name Origin:** From the French name pierced nose, for an Indian tribe that called itself *Chopunnish*. The French term might be better translated as mashed or flattened nose.

**Area (sq mi):** 855.37 (land 848.09; water 7.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 39,265. **State rank:** 1187. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%;

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## Nez Perce County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 37,931 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,899; median household $44,395; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,250 - $35,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lewiston (31,894).

**ONEIDA COUNTY**
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Malad City, ID 83252
www.co.oneida.id.us
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**Fax:** 208-766-2448

On the southern border of ID, south of Pocatello; original county; organized Jan 22, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lake Oneida, NY, former home of early settlers, itself named for one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois. Name means 'stone people,' perhaps for their bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,201.34 (land 1,200.06; water 1.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,286. **State rank:** 2878. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,209 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,950; median household $44,599; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,808 - $26,712.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OWYHEE COUNTY**
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Murphy, ID 83650
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On the southwestern border of ID, south of Boise; original county; organized Dec 31, 1863 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Owyhee River, itself named for a corrupt spelling of Hawaii, in honor of three Hawaiians (Owyhee) who were hired to trade with the Indians; they disappeared and were presumed to have been killed.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,684.23 (land 7,665.51; water 18.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,526. **State rank:** 2337. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,073 (White 76.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 25.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 25.8%, including 4.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.9%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,373; median household $33,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,667 - $28,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PAYETTE COUNTY**
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Payette, ID 83661
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**Fax:** 208-642-6011

On western border of ID, northeast of Boise; organized Feb 28, 1917 from Canyon County. **Name Origin:** For the Payette River, which runs diagonally through the county; named for Francis Payette, Canadian fur trapper and explorer.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.54 (land 406.87; water 2.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,623. **State rank:** 1667. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 22,197 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 14.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 14.9%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,814; median household $43,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,727 - $26,821.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POWER COUNTY**
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American Falls, ID 83211
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**Fax:** 208-226-7612

In southeastern ID, east of Pocatello; organized Jan 30, 1913 from Bingham, Cassia, Oneida, and Blaine counties. **Name Origin:** For the American Falls Canal and Power Company.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,441.27 (land 1,404.24; water 37.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,817. **State rank:** 2608. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,753 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 29.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 29.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.9%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,412; median household $40,843; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,590 - $24,551.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHOSHONE COUNTY**
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On the eastern border of the ID panhandle, northeast of Lewiston. The first organized unit of government in ID, it was originally created in 1858 as part of WA Territory, effective in 1861; reorganized Feb 4, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Shonone, one of the major Indian tribes of the northern Rocky Mountain region.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,631.26 (land 2,629.67; water 1.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,765. **State rank:** 2257. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,157 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Income 2007:** per capita $19,020; median household $36,654; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,276 - $31,825.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +9.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eagle (19,908).

**TETON COUNTY**
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Driggs, ID 83422
tetoncountyidaho.gov
**Ph:** 208-354-8780
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On the eastern border of ID, northeast of Idaho Falls; organized Jan 26, 1915 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For the Teton Mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 449.67 (land 449.46; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,170. **State rank:** 2473. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +36.2%; 2000-2005 +24.5%. **Pop 2005:** 7,467 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 16.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 16.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,633; median household $53,364; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,377 - $24,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TWIN FALLS COUNTY**
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On the central southern border of ID; organized Feb 21, 1907 from Cassia County. **Name Origin:** For the falls on the Snake River.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,924.65 (land 1,921.21; water 3.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.2.

**Pop 2010:** 77,230. **State rank:** 713. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.3%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 69,419 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 13.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,892; median household $42,455; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,842 - $31,069.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Twin Falls 🏛 (44,125).

**VALLEY COUNTY**
PO Box 1350
Cascade, ID 83611
www.co.valley.id.us
**Ph:** 208-382-4297
**Fax:** 208-382-7107

In west-central ID; organized Feb 26, 1917. **Name Origin:** For Long Valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,720.36 (land 3,664.52; water 55.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,862. **State rank:** 2533. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.4%; 2000-2005 +8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,332 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,577; median household $50,851; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,014 - $34,365.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +12.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
256 E Court
Weiser, ID 83672
www.co.washington.id.us
**Ph:** 208-414-2092
**Fax:** 208-414-3925

On the central western border of ID, north of Caldwell; organized Feb 20, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Boise County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,470.21 (land 1,452.98; water 17.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,198. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 10,098 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 16.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 16.8%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,015; median household $36,542; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,647 - $26,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# Illinois

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Springfield, IL 62706
www.illinois.gov
**Ph:** 217-782-2000

**Area (sq mi):** 57,914.37 (land 55,583.58; water 2,330.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 231.1.

**Pop 2010:** 12,830,632. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 12,763,371 (White 71.5%; Black or African American 14.5%; Hispanic or Latino 15.8%; Asian 4.6%; Others 15.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,159; median household $55,735; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,950 - $42,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
507 Vermont St
Quincy, IL 62301
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**Fax:** 217-277-2155

On west-central border of IL west of Springfield; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Pike County. Highland County organized from Adams and Marquette counties in 1847 and eliminated in 1848. Marquette County organized in 1843 from Adams County and eliminated in 1847. **Name Origin:** For John Quincy Adams (1767-1848), sixth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 869.84 (land 855.20; water 14.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 78.5.

**Pop 2010:** 67,103. **State rank:** 776. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 67,040 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,308; median household $43,824; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,346 - $37,130.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Quincy 🏛 (40,633).

**ALEXANDER COUNTY**
2000 Washington Ave
Cairo, IL 62914
**Ph:** 618-734-7000
**Fax:** 618-734-7003

On the southwest border southwest of Carbondale; organized Mar 4, 1819 from Johnson County. **Name Origin:** For William M. Alexander, an early settler and IL legislator (1820-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 251.67 (land 235.51; water 16.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.

**Pop 2010:** 8,238. **State rank:** 2596. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.7%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,927 (White 60.9%; Black or African American 35.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,858; median household $28,833; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,534 - $26,045.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOND COUNTY**
203 W College Ave
Greenville, IL 62246
bondcountyil.com
**Ph:** 618-664-0449
**Fax:** 618-664-9414

In south-central IL northeast of Belleville; organized Jan 4, 1817 (prior to statehood) from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For Shadrach Bond (1773-1832), IL legislator and first governor (1818-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 382.74 (land 380.28; water 2.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,768. **State rank:** 1903. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,027 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,341; median household $51,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,286 - $33,406.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOONE COUNTY**
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Belvidere, IL 61008
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**Fax:** 815-547-3579

On the north-central border of IL east of Rockford; organized Mar 4, 1837 from Winnebago County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 281.40 (land 280.72; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.

**Pop 2010:** 54,165. **State rank:** 913. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +20.8%. **Pop 2005:** 50,483 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 20.2%; Asian 1.3%; Others 20.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.1%.

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## Boone County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,105; median household $61,210; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,212 - $31,465.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.9%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Belvidere (25,585).

**BROWN COUNTY**
200 Court St, Rm 5
Mount Sterling, IL 62353
www.browncountyil.com

**Ph:** 217-773-3013
**Fax:** 217-773-3648

In west-central IL east of Quincy; organized Feb 1, 1839 from Schuyler County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jacob Jennings Brown (1775-1828), an officer in the War of 1812 and commander of the U.S. Army (1821-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 307.20 (land 305.61; water 1.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,937. **State rank:** 2705. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,835 (White 76.1%; Black or African American 18.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,133; median household $38,696; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,991 - $26,544.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** La Grange (15,550).

**BUREAU COUNTY**
700 S Main St
Princeton, IL 61356
www.bureaucounty-il.com

**Ph:** 815-875-3344
**Fax:** 815-875-2452

In north-central IL, east of Moline; organized Feb 28, 1837 from Putnam County. **Name Origin:** Anglicized version of Pierre de Bureo (Buero), a French trader with the Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 873.77 (land 869.03; water 4.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.2.

**Pop 2010:** 34,978. **State rank:** 1294. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 35,330 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 7.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,103; median household $45,692; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,364 - $35,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALHOUN COUNTY**
102 County Rd PO Box 187
Hardin, IL 62047

**Ph:** 618-576-2351
**Fax:** 618-576-2895

On west-central border of IL southwest of Springfield; organized Jan 10, 1825 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 283.70 (land 253.83; water 29.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.

**Pop 2010:** 5,089. **State rank:** 2824. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,163 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,109; median household $44,891; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,182 - $32,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 37 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
301 N. Main St PO Box 152
Mount Carroll, IL 61053
www.gocarrollcounty.com

**Ph:** 815-244-0221
**Fax:** 815-244-3709

On the northwest border of IL southwest of Rockford; organized Feb 22, 1839 from Jo Daviess County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 466.37 (land 444.81; water 21.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,387. **State rank:** 2053. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,086 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 46.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,914; median household $44,805; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,576 - $33,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CASS COUNTY**
100 E Springfield St
Virginia, IL 62691
www.cyberdriveillinois.com

**Ph:** 217-452-7217
**Fax:** 217-452-7219

In west-central IL, northwest of Springfield; organized Mar 3, 1837 from Morgan County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, military and civil governor of MI Territory (1913-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 383.65 (land 375.82; water 7.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,642. **State rank:** 2193. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,898 (White 86.3%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 16.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 16.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.7%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,825; median household $41,544; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,386 - $32,450.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**CHAMPAIGN COUNTY**
1776 E Washington St
Urbana, IL 61802
www.co.champaign.il.us
**Ph:** 217-384-3776
**Fax:** 217-384-3896

In east-central IL west of Danville; organized Feb 20, 1833 from Vermilion County. **Name Origin:** For the county in OH, from French *campagne* 'field, plain.'

**Area (sq mi):** 997 (land 996.27; water 0.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 201.8.

**Pop 2010:** 201,081. **State rank:** 315. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 184,905 (White 73.4%; Black or African American 12.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 8.9%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.9%. **Median age:** 28.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,553; median household $45,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,233 - $33,963.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Champaign (81,055); Urbana 🏛 (41,250); Rantoul (12,941).

**CHRISTIAN COUNTY**
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Taylorville, IL 62568
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**Ph:** 217-824-4969
**Fax:** 217-824-5105

In central IL southwest of Decatur; organized as Dane County Feb 15, 1839 from Sangamon County; name changed Feb 1, 1840. **Name Origin:** For the county in KY, named for Col. William Christian (1743-86), army officer, Indian fighter, and legislator; brother-in-law of Patrick Henry (1736-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 716.03 (land 709.38; water 6.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.1.

**Pop 2010:** 34,800. **State rank:** 1314. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 35,176 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,519; median household $41,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,689 - $35,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Taylorville 🏛 (11,246).

**CLARK COUNTY**
501 Archer Ave
Marshall, IL 62441
www.clarkcountyil.org
**Ph:** 217-826-5815
**Fax:** 217-826-5674

On the east-central border of IL south of Danville; organized Mar 22, 1819 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), officer in the Revolutionary War and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 504.80 (land 501.42; water 3.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,335. **State rank:** 1981. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,976 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,173; median household $43,597; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,239 - $33,430.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAY COUNTY**
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Louisville, IL 62858
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**Fax:** 618-665-3607

In east-central IL west of Olney; organized Dec 23, 1824 from Lawrence, Wayne, and Fayette counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 468.91 (land 468.32; water 0.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,815. **State rank:** 2199. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,122 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,802; median household $38,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,097 - $32,427.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLINTON COUNTY**
850 Fairfax St PO Box 308
Carlyle, IL 62231
www.clintonco.illinois.gov
**Ph:** 618-594-2464
**Fax:** 618-594-0195

In south-central IL, east of Saint Louis, MO; organized Dec 27, 1824 from Washington, Bond, and Fayette counties. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-21; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 503.34 (land 474.09; water 29.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.7.

**Pop 2010:** 37,762. **State rank:** 1258. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 36,095 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,392; median household $55,278; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,918 - $37,178.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLES COUNTY**
651 Jackson Ave, Rm 122
Charleston, IL 61920
www.co.coles.il.us
**Ph:** 217-348-0501
**Fax:** 217-348-7337

In east-central IL south of Urbana; organized Dec 25, 1830 from Clark and Edgar counties. **Name Origin:** For Edward Coles (1768-1868), humanitarian and IL governor (1822-26).

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## Coles County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 510.07 (land 508.29; water 1.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.

**Pop 2010:** 53,873. **State rank:** 936. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 51,065 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,601; median household $36,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,344 - $31,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Charleston (21,838); Mattoon (18,555).

**COOK COUNTY**
118 N Clark St
Chicago, IL 60602
www.co.cook.il.us

**Ph:** 312-603-6566
**Fax:** 312-603-4479

On the northeast border of IL bounded on east by the western shore of Lake Michigan; organized Jan 15, 1831 from Putnam County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Pope Cook (1794-1827), first attorney general of IL and U.S. representative (1819-27).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,634.69 (land 945.33; water 689.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 5495.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,194,675. **State rank:** 2. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,303,683 (White 55.4%; Black or African American 24.8%; Hispanic or Latino 24.0%; Asian 6.2%; Others 24.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 21.0%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,335; median household $53,942; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,996 - $45,311.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 79 (see page 37 for cities).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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Robinson, IL 62454
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**Fax:** 618-546-0140

On the east-central border of IL northeast of Olney; organized Dec 31, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Edwards County. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Crawford (1772-1834), U.S. senator from GA (1807-13), U.S. secretary of war (1815-16), and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1816-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 445.83 (land 443.63; water 2.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.7.

**Pop 2010:** 19,817. **State rank:** 1841. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,898 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,545; median household $41,434; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,094 - $35,061.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
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Toledo, IL 62468
www.cumberlandco.org

**Ph:** 217-849-2631
**Fax:** 217-849-2968

In east-central IL south of Urbana; organized Mar 2, 1843 from Coles County. **Name Origin:** For the Cumberland Road.

**Area (sq mi):** 347 (land 346.02; water 0.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,048. **State rank:** 2376. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,973 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,262; median household $42,101; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,614 - $33,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DEWITT COUNTY**
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Clinton, IL 61727
www.dewittcountyill.com

**Ph:** 217-935-7750
**Fax:** 217-935-7759

In central IL north of Decatur; organized Mar 1, 1839 from McLean and Macon counties. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-21; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 405.09 (land 397.51; water 7.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,561. **State rank:** 2035. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,617 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,320; median household $45,347; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,735 - $36,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DEKALB COUNTY**
110 E Sycamore St
Sycamore, IL 60178
www.dekalbcounty.org

**Ph:** 815-895-7149
**Fax:** 815-895-7148

In north-central IL, west of Chicago; organized Mar 4, 1837 from Kane County. **Name Origin:** For Johann (1721-80), Baron de Kalb, German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 632.12 (land 631.31; water 0.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 166.6.

**Pop 2010:** 105,160. **State rank:** 543. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 97,665 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 2.3%; Others 10.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 29.3.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## DeKalb County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,179; median household $54,002; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,023 - $30,725.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** DeKalb (43,862); Sycamore 🏛 (17,519).

### DOUGLAS COUNTY

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Tuscola, IL 61953
douglascountyil.com

**Ph:** 217-253-2411
**Fax:** 217-253-2233

In east-central IL, east of Decatur; organized Feb 8, 1859 from Coles County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.23 (land 416.67; water 0.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.

**Pop 2010:** 19,980. **State rank:** 1852. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,950 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,438; median household $46,941; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,660 - $34,321.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DUPAGE COUNTY

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Wheaton, IL 60187
www.dupageco.org

**Ph:** 630-407-5500
**Fax:** 630-407-5501

In northeast IL, west of Chicago; organized Feb 9, 1839 from Cook County. **Name Origin:** For the DuPage River, from the French name of a local Indian chief.

**Area (sq mi):** 330.45 (land 327.50; water 2.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 2799.8.

**Pop 2010:** 916,924. **State rank:** 46. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 929,113 (White 77.9%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 10.1%; Others 13.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.3%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,849; median household $76,581; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,766 - $52,854.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 23 (see page 37 for cities).

### EDGAR COUNTY

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Paris, IL 61944
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On the east-central border of IL south of Danville; organized Jan 3, 1823 from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For John Edgar; pioneer merchant and politician.

**Area (sq mi):** 624 (land 623.37; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,576. **State rank:** 1888. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,157 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,175; median household $39,904; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,908 - $33,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EDWARDS COUNTY

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Albion, IL 62806

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In southeastern IL, south of Olney; organized Nov 28, 1814 (prior to statehood) from Madison and Gallatin counties. **Name Origin:** For Ninian Edwards (1775-1833), KY legislator and jurist, and territorial (1809-18) and civil (1826-30) governor of IL.

**Area (sq mi):** 222.73 (land 222.42; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,721. **State rank:** 2717. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,784 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,113; median household $40,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,577 - $30,054.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EFFINGHAM COUNTY

101 N 4th St PO Box 628
Effingham, IL 62401
www.co.effingham.il.us

**Ph:** 217-342-6535
**Fax:** 217-342-3577

In central IL southeast of Decatur; organized Feb 15, 1831 from Fayette and Crawford counties. **Name Origin:** For either Thomas Howard (1746-91), 3rd Earl of Effingham, who supported the Americans during the Revolutionary War, or Gen. Edward Effingham, who resigned from the British Army rather than fight the colonists.

**Area (sq mi):** 479.98 (land 478.78; water 1.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.5.

**Pop 2010:** 34,242. **State rank:** 1304. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 34,581 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,843; median household $49,509; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,813 - $36,131.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Effingham 🏛 (12,328).

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**FAYETTE COUNTY**
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Vandalia, IL 62471
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**Fax:** 618-283-5004

In south-central IL, northeast of Saint Louis, MO; organized Feb 14, 1821 from Bond, Jefferson, Wayne, and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 725.35 (land 716.48; water 8.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,140. **State rank:** 1767. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,713 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,663; median household $41,269; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,722 - $26,836.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FORD COUNTY**
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Paxton, IL 60957
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In east-central IL, east of Bloomington; organized Feb 17, 1859 from Vermilion County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Ford (1800-1850), jurist on the IL Supreme Court (1840) and governor (1842-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 486.14 (land 485.62; water 0.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.

**Pop 2010:** 14,081. **State rank:** 2161. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,157 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,401; median household $48,667; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,216 - $41,320.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
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Benton, IL 62812
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**Fax:** 618-435-3405

In south-central IL northeast of Carbondale; organized Jan 2, 1818 (prior to statehood) from White and Gallatin counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 428.21 (land 408.89; water 19.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 96.8.

**Pop 2010:** 39,561. **State rank:** 1180. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 39,723 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,504; median household $34,381; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,207 - $28,987.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FULTON COUNTY**
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Lewistown, IL 61542
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**Fax:** 309-547-3326

In north-central IL, southwest of Peoria; organized Jan 18, 1823 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), builder of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat.

**Area (sq mi):** 882.57 (land 865.60; water 16.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.8.

**Pop 2010:** 37,069. **State rank:** 1251. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 37,708 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,309; median household $41,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,626 - $32,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Canton (14,704).

**GALLATIN COUNTY**
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Shawneetown, IL 62984
**Ph:** 618-269-3025
**Fax:** 618-269-3343

On the southeast border of IL; organized Sep 14, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Alfonse Albert Gallatin (1761-1849), Swiss-born U.S. representative from PA (1795-1801), U.S. secretary of treasury (1801-14), and U.S. minister to France (1815-23) and to Great Britain (1826-27).

**Area (sq mi):** 327.75 (land 323.07; water 4.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,589. **State rank:** 2778. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.2%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,152 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,537; median household $38,003; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,980 - $33,573.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENE COUNTY**
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Carrollton, IL 62016
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**Ph:** 217-942-5443
**Fax:** 217-942-9323

In west-central IL northwest of Alton; organized Jan 20, 1821 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 546.27 (land 543.02; water 3.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Greene County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 13,886. **State rank:** 2190. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,581 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,107; median household $41,450; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,350 - $29,953.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRUNDY COUNTY

111 E Washington St, Rm 12 PO Box 675 **Ph:** 815-941-3222
Morris, IL 60450 **Fax:** 815-942-2222
www.grundyco.org

In northeast IL, southwest of Chicago, established Feb 17, 1841 from La Salle County. **Name Origin:** For Felix Grundy (1777-1840), chief justice of KY Supreme Court, U.S. senator from TN (1829-38;1839-40), and U.S. Attorney General (1838-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 428.56 (land 418.04; water 10.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 119.8.

**Pop 2010:** 50,063. **State rank:** 986. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.2%; 2000-2005 +16.8%. **Pop 2005:** 43,838 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,895; median household $64,297; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,762 - $33,260.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Morris 🏛 (13,636); Minooka (10,924).

### HAMILTON COUNTY

100 S Jackson St **Ph:** 618-643-2721
McLeansboro, IL 62859

In southeastern IL northeast of Carbondale; organized Feb 8, 1821 from White County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 435.34 (land 434.67; water 0.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,457. **State rank:** 2580. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,301 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,602; median household $35,032; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,055 - $31,976.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HANCOCK COUNTY

500 Main St Rm 7 PO Box 39 **Ph:** 217-357-3911
Carthage, IL 62321

On the west-central border of IL north of Quincy; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Pike County and unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence; governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.65 (land 793.73; water 19.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Pop 2010:** 19,104. **State rank:** 1894. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,153 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,885; median household $42,857; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,294 - $32,992.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDIN COUNTY

PO Box 187 **Ph:** 618-287-2251
Elizabethtown, IL 62931 **Fax:** 618-287-2661
www.hardincountyil.org

On the southeastern border of IL; organized Mar 2, 1839 from Pope County. **Name Origin:** For the county in KY, former home of many settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 180.73 (land 177.53; water 3.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,320. **State rank:** 2870. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.4%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,718 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,515; median household $27,578; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,285 - $27,949.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENDERSON COUNTY

PO Box 308 **Ph:** 309-867-2911
Oquawka, IL 61469 **Fax:** 309-867-2033
www.outfitters.com/illinois/henderson

On the northwestern border of IL west of Galesburg; organized Jan 20, 1841 from Warren County. **Name Origin:** For either the county in KY, former home of many settlers, or the Henderson River, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 395.18 (land 378.87; water 16.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,331. **State rank:** 2634. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.0%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,972 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,492; median household $43,450; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,917 - $32,519.

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## Henderson County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HENRY COUNTY**
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Cambridge, IL 61238
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**Fax:** 309-937-2796

In northwestern IL, southeast of Davenport; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Fulton County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 825.37 (land 822.99; water 2.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.3.

**Pop 2010:** 50,486. **State rank:** 970. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 50,591 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,915; median household $49,164; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,467 - $35,419.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kewanee (12,916).

**IROQUOIS COUNTY**
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Watseka, IL 60970
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On the east-central border of IL, south of Kankakee; organized Feb 26, 1833 from Vermilion County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, a French transliteration of the Algonquian name 'real adders.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,118.92 (land 1,117.32; water 1.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.6.

**Pop 2010:** 29,718. **State rank:** 1429. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 30,677 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,400; median household $47,323; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,433 - $35,790.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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www.jacksoncounty-il.gov

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**Fax:** 618-687-7359

On the southwest border of IL southeast of Saint Louis, MO; organized Jan 10, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Randolph and Johnson counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 598.48 (land 584.08; water 14.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.1.

**Pop 2010:** 60,218. **State rank:** 868. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 57,954 (White 77.8%; Black or African American 14.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 3.2%; Others 4.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 29.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,294; median household $32,169; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,997 - $32,186.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Carbondale (25,902).

**JASPER COUNTY**
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Newton, IL 62448
jaspercountyillinois.org

**Ph:** 618-783-3124
**Fax:** 618-783-4137

In east-central IL, south of Urbana; organized Feb 15, 1831 from Crawford and Clay counties. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.13 (land 494.51; water 3.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,698. **State rank:** 2462. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,020 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,467; median household $46,546; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,205 - $33,576.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
100 S 10th St PO Box 1266
Mount Vernon, IL 62864
www.state.il.us

**Ph:** 618-244-8000
**Fax:** 618-244-8111

In south-central IL, northeast of Carbondale; organized Mar 26, 1819 from Edwards and White counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 583.93 (land 571.17; water 12.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.

**Pop 2010:** 38,827. **State rank:** 1172. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 40,434 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,370; median household $41,161; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,402 - $32,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Vernon (15,277).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**JERSEY COUNTY**
209 N State St
Jerseyville, IL 62052
www.jcba.us
**Ph:** 618-639-5222
**Fax:** 618-498-7721

In west-central IL northwest of Alton; organized Feb 28, 1839 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For the state of NJ.

**Area (sq mi):** 377.13 (land 369.27; water 7.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,985. **State rank:** 1698. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 22,456 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,368; median household $53,470; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,533 - $36,056.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JO DAVIESS COUNTY**
330 N Bench St
Galena, IL 61036
www.jodaviess.org
**Ph:** 815-777-0161
**Fax:** 815-777-3688

On the northwestern border of IL; organized Feb 17, 1827 from Mercer, Henry, and Putnam counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Joseph Hamilton Daviess (1774-1811), VA soldier and jurist who unsuccessfully attempted to indict Aaron Burr (1756-1836) for treason (1807). According to Jacob Piatt Dunn, The Colonel's name was Daveiss and he always wrote it that way; however, the name is sometimes spelled 'Daviess' in biographical entries and in places named for him.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.73 (land 601.09; water 17.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 22,678. **State rank:** 1720. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 22,580 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,819; median household $50,279; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,436 - $39,574.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
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Vienna, IL 62995
www.johnsoncountyil.com/gov
**Ph:** 618-658-3611
**Fax:** 618-658-9665

In south-central IL; organized Sep 14, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Richard Mentor Johnson (1781-1850), officer in War of 1812, U.S. senator from KY (1819-29), and U.S. vice president (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 348.17 (land 343.92; water 4.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,582. **State rank:** 2176. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,169 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,402; median household $41,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,138 - $25,000.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KANE COUNTY**
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Geneva, IL 60134
www.co.kane.il.us
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**Fax:** 630-232-9188

In northeastern IL, west of Chicago; organized Jan 16, 1836 from La Salle County. **Name Origin:** For Elias Kent Kane (1796-1835), IL legislator, jurist, and U.S. senator (1825-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 523.70 (land 520.06; water 3.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 990.8.

**Pop 2010:** 515,269. **State rank:** 123. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +19.3%. **Pop 2005:** 482,113 (White 74.6%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 30.7%; Asian 3.5%; Others 30.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.9%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,480; median household $67,767; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,390 - $36,047.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 37 for cities).

**KANKAKEE COUNTY**
189 E Court St
Kankakee, IL 60901
www.co.kankakee.il.us
**Ph:** 815-937-2990
**Fax:** 815-939-8831

On the northeastern border of IL, south of Chicago; organized Feb 11, 1853 from Iroquois and Will counties. **Name Origin:** For the Kankakee Indian tribe, possibly from Mohegan 'wolf' or 'wolfplace'.

**Area (sq mi):** 681.26 (land 676.56; water 4.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 167.7.

**Pop 2010:** 113,449. **State rank:** 524. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 107,972 (White 77.6%; Black or African American 15.1%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 9.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,888; median household $50,484; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,331 - $32,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kankakee 🏛 (27,537); Bourbonnais (18,631); Bradley (15,895).

**KENDALL COUNTY**
111 W Fox St Rm 220
Yorkville, IL 60560
www.co.kendall.il.us
**Ph:** 630-553-4104
**Fax:** 630-553-4119

In northeastern IL, southwest of Chicago; organized Feb 19, 1841 from La Salle and Kane counties. **Name Origin:** For Amos Kendall (1789-1869), U.S. postmaster general (1835-40) and publisher of the Washington *Evening Star*.

🏛 *County Seat*

## Kendall County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 322.43 (land 320.34; water 2.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 358.2.

**Pop 2010:** 114,736. **State rank:** 552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +44.3%; 2000-2005 +45.8%. **Pop 2005:** 79,514 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 15.6%; Asian 3.0%; Others 15.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,565; median household $79,897; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,976 - $34,740.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 69.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oswego (30,355); Yorkville (16,921); Plano (10,856).

**KNOX COUNTY**
200 S Cherry St
Galesburg, IL 61401
www.knoxcountyil.com
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**Fax:** 309-345-0098

In northwestern IL south of Moline; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Fulton County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 719.82 (land 716.40; water 3.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.9.

**Pop 2010:** 52,919. **State rank:** 944. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 53,309 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,908; median household $39,545; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,996 - $33,014.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Galesburg (32,195).

**LAKE COUNTY**
18 N County St
Waukegan, IL 60085
www.co.lake.il.us
**Ph:** 847-377-2000

On the northeastern border of IL; organized Mar 1, 1839 from McHenry County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Michigan, which forms its eastern boundary.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,364.06 (land 443.67; water 920.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 1585.6.

**Pop 2010:** 703,462. **State rank:** 85. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 702,682 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 19.9%; Asian 6.3%; Others 19.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.0%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,120; median household $78,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,781 - $53,905.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 21 (see page 38 for cities).

**LASALLE COUNTY**
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Ottawa, IL 61350-0104
www.lasallecounty.org
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**Fax:** 815-434-8319

In north-central IL southwest of Chicago; organized Jan 15, 1831 from Putnam and Vermilion counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Cavelier (1643-87), Sieur de La Salle, French adventurer and explorer who claimed the land west of the Mississippi River for France.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,148.24 (land 1,135.12; water 13.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.4.

**Pop 2010:** 113,924. **State rank:** 527. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 112,604 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,982; median household $51,705; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,357 - $35,345.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ottawa (18,768); Streator (13,710); Peru (10,295).

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
1100 State St County Courthouse
Lawrenceville, IL 62439-9234
www.lawrencecountyillinois.com
**Ph:** 618-943-2346
**Fax:** 618-943-5205

On the east-central border of IL east of Olney; organized Jan 16, 1821 from Crawford and Edwards counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. naval officer in the war with Barbary pirates near Tripoli and commander of the U.S.S. *Chesapeake* in the War of 1812, who said, Don't give up the ship!

**Area (sq mi):** 374.14 (land 372.18; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,833. **State rank:** 2005. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 15,930 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 9.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,297; median household $38,771; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,655 - $28,250.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
112 E 2nd St P.O. Box 329
Dixon, IL 61021
www.countyoflee.org
**Ph:** 815-288-3309
**Fax:** 815-288-6492

In north-central IL south of Rockford; organized Feb 27, 1839 from Ogle County. **Name Origin:** For Richard Henry Lee (1732-1794), VA statesman, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and U.S. senator from VA (1789-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 728.82 (land 724.90; water 3.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.7.

**Pop 2010:** 36,031. **State rank:** 1291. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 35,669 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lee County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,440; median household $48,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,506 - $32,671.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dixon 🏛 (15,733).

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
112 W Madison St PO Box 618 **Ph:** 815-844-2006
Pontiac, IL 61764 **Fax:** 815-842-1844
www.livingstoncounty-il.org

In east-central IL, northeast of Peoria, organized Feb 27, 1837 from La Salle and McLean counties. **Name Origin:** For Edward Livingston (1764-1836), NY legislator, LA legislator and U.S. senator (1829-31), and U.S. secretary of state (1831-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,045.96 (land 1,044.29; water 1.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.3.

**Pop 2010:** 38,950. **State rank:** 1218. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 39,186 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,259; median household $50,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,764 - $39,402.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pontiac 🏛 (11,931).

**LOGAN COUNTY**
601 Broadway St PO Box 278 **Ph:** 217-732-4148
Lincoln, IL 62656 **Fax:** 217-732-6064
www.co.logan.il.us

In central IL, northeast of Springfield; organized Feb 15, 1839 from Sangamon County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. John Logan, an immigrant from Ireland in 1823, IL legislator, and father of John Alexander Logan (1826-86), U.S. general and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.93 (land 618.06; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.

**Pop 2010:** 30,305. **State rank:** 1425. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 30,603 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,063; median household $48,999; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,174 - $32,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lincoln 🏛 (14,504).

**MACON COUNTY**
141 S Main St Rm 104 **Ph:** 217-424-1305
Decatur, IL 62523 **Fax:** 217-423-0922
www.co.macon.il.us

In central IL, east of Springfield, organized Jan 19, 1829 from Shelby County. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), NC legislator, U.S. representative (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 585.55 (land 580.69; water 4.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 190.8.

**Pop 2010:** 110,768. **State rank:** 540. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 110,167 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 16.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,726; median household $44,337; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,990 - $38,945.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Decatur 🏛 (76,122).

**MACOUPIN COUNTY**
201 E Main PO Box 107 **Ph:** 217-854-3214
Carlinville, IL 62626-6019 **Fax:** 217-854-7347
www.macoupincountyil.gov

In west-central IL, southwest of Springfield, organized Jan 17, 1829 from Madison and Greene counties. **Name Origin:** From an Algonquian Indian word probably meaning white potato.

**Area (sq mi):** 866.95 (land 862.91; water 4.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.4.

**Pop 2010:** 47,765. **State rank:** 1004. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 49,111 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,222; median household $47,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,206 - $34,484.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
157 N Main St Suite 109 **Ph:** 618-692-6290
Edwardsville, IL 62025 **Fax:** 618-692-8903
www.co.madison.il.us

On the west-central border of IL, north of Saint Louis; organized Sep 14, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Saint Clair County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 730.91 (land 715.58; water 15.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 376.3.

**Pop 2010:** 269,282. **State rank:** 238. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 264,309 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 7.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,127; median household $51,941; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,203 - $36,781.

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## Madison County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 38 for cities).

**MARION COUNTY**
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Salem, IL 62881
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**Fax:** 618-548-2226

In south-central IL west of Olney; organized Jan 24, 1823 from Fayette and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, know as 'The Swamp Fox' for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.80 (land 572.36; water 3.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.9.

**Pop 2010:** 39,437. **State rank:** 1191. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 40,144 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,493; median household $38,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,610 - $32,614.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centralia (13,032).

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
122 North Prairie St PO Box 328
Lacon, IL 61540
www.marshallcountyillinois.com
**Ph:** 309-246-6325
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In north-central IL north of Peoria; organized Jan 19, 1839 from Putnam County. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist and fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 399.24 (land 386.79; water 12.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,640. **State rank:** 2253. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,217 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,991; median household $49,116; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,954 - $38,655.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MASON COUNTY**
125 N Plum PO Box 77
Havana, IL 62644-4007
www.masoncountyil.org
**Ph:** 309-543-6619
**Fax:** 309-543-2085

In central IL southwest of Peoria; organized Jan 20, 1841 from Tazewell County. **Name Origin:** For the county in KY, former home of many of the settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 563.67 (land 539.24; water 24.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,666. **State rank:** 2110. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.8%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,741 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,427; median household $42,461; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,351 - $35,690.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MASSAC COUNTY**
PO Box 429
Metropolis, IL 62960
**Ph:** 618-524-5213
**Fax:** 618-524-8514

On the southern border of IL; organized Feb 8, 1843 from Pope and Johnson counties. **Name Origin:** For Fort Massac, originally named Fort Ascension and then renamed to honor Massiac, a French naval minister. The 'i' was dropped to form the current spelling.

**Area (sq mi):** 240.28 (land 237.22; water 3.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.

**Pop 2010:** 15,429. **State rank:** 2098. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 15,348 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,216; median household $41,077; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,320 - $30,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCDONOUGH COUNTY**
1 Courthouse Sq
Macomb, IL 61455
www.outfitters.com/illinois/mcdonough
**Ph:** 309-833-2474
**Fax:** 309-836-3368

In west-central IL southwest of Peoria; organized Jan 25, 1826 from Schuyler County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Thomas McDonough (1783-1825), naval officer in the war against Barbary pirates near Tripoli and in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 590.16 (land 589.41; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.3.

**Pop 2010:** 32,612. **State rank:** 1350. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,966 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 28.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,344; median household $33,702; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,762 - $30,571.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Macomb (19,288).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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Woodstock, IL 60098
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**Ph:** 815-334-4242
**Fax:** 815-334-8727

On the northern border of IL, northwest of Chicago; organized Jan 16, 1836 from Cook county. **Name Origin:** For Maj. William McHenry (1774-1839), officer in the War of 1812 and the Black Hawk War (1832).

**Area (sq mi):** 610.79 (land 603.17; water 7.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 511.9.

**Pop 2010:** 308,760. **State rank:** 197. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +16.9%. **Pop 2005:** 303,990 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 11.4%; Asian 2.5%; Others 11.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.8%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,838; median household $76,482; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,602 - $39,395.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 38 for cities).

**MCLEAN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 309-888-5932

In central IL, southeast of Peoria; organized Dec 25, 1830 from Tazewell County. **Name Origin:** For John McLean (1791-1830), first U.S. representative from IL (1818-19) and U.S. senator (1824-25;1829-30).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,186.14 (land 1,183.38; water 2.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 143.3.

**Pop 2010:** 169,572. **State rank:** 363. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 159,013 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 7.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 4.3%; Others 4.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,167; median household $57,642; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,853 - $40,084.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bloomington 🏛 (76,610); Normal (52,497).

**MENARD COUNTY**
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Petersburg, IL 62675
www.menardcountyil.com
**Ph:** 217-632-2415
**Fax:** 217-632-4301

In central IL, north of Springfield; organized Feb 15, 1839 Sangamon County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Pierre Menard (1766-1844), jurist, first presiding officer of IL Territorial legislature (1812), and first lieutenant governor (1818-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 315.57 (land 314.44; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,705. **State rank:** 2263. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,738 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,281; median household $56,230; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,738 - $39,163.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MERCER COUNTY**
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Aledo, IL 61231
www.mercercountyil.org
**Ph:** 309-582-7021
**Fax:** 309-582-7022

On the western border of IL, south of Davenport, IA; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 569.06 (land 561.20; water 7.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,434. **State rank:** 2011. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,912 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,332; median household $50,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,387 - $37,153.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
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Waterloo, IL 62298
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**Fax:** 618-939-8639

On the southwest border of IL, south of Saint Louis, MO; organized Jan 6, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Randolph and Saint Clair counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 394.43 (land 385.01; water 9.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.6.

**Pop 2010:** 32,957. **State rank:** 1335. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +12.4%. **Pop 2005:** 31,040 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,091; median household $68,253; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,588 - $41,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Hillsboro, IL 62049
www.montgomeryco.com
**Ph:** 217-532-9530
**Fax:** 217-532-9581

In central IL, south of Springfield; organized Feb 12, 1821 from Bond and Madison counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 709.65 (land 703.69; water 5.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.8.

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## Montgomery County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 30,104. **State rank:** 1433. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 30,396 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,700; median household $40,864; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,531 - $31,713.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORGAN COUNTY**
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Jacksonville, IL 62651
www.morgancounty-il.com
**Ph:** 217-243-8581
**Fax:** 217-243-8368

In west-central IL, west of Springfield; organized Jan 31, 1823 from Sangamon County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1732-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 572.30 (land 568.79; water 3.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.5.

**Pop 2010:** 35,547. **State rank:** 1292. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 35,722 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,244; median household $44,645; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,304 - $33,217.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jacksonville (19,446); Markham (12,508).

**MOULTRIE COUNTY**
County Courthouse 10 S Main St, Suite 6
Sullivan, IL 61951
www.moultriecountyil.com
**Ph:** 217-728-4389
**Fax:** 217-728-8178

In central IL southwest of Decatur; organized Feb 16, 1843 from Macon and Shelby counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Moultrie (1731-1805), an officer in the Revolutionary War and governor of SC (1785-87; 1792-94).

**Area (sq mi):** 344.81 (land 335.94; water 8.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,846. **State rank:** 2134. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,510 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,954; median household $46,364; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,336 - $35,321.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OGLE COUNTY**
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Oregon, IL 61061
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**Fax:** 815-732-6273

In north-central IL south of Rockford; organized Jan 16, 1836 from Jo Daviess County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Joseph Ogle, first Methodist layman in IL and captain of the territorial militia.

**Area (sq mi):** 763 (land 758.57; water 4.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.5.

**Pop 2010:** 53,497. **State rank:** 894. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 54,290 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,959; median household $55,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,391 - $33,578.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PEORIA COUNTY**
324 Main St, Rm 101 County Courthouse
Peoria, IL 61602
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**Fax:** 309-672-6063

In central IL, east of Galesburg; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Fulton County.,. **Name Origin:** For the Peoria tribe of the Illinois nation; anglicized from French *peourea*, a transliteration of an Illinois word. Meaning of name is in dispute; possibly carriers' or 'ones who are carrying packs.'

**Area (sq mi):** 630.57 (land 619.21; water 11.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 301.2.

**Pop 2010:** 186,494. **State rank:** 331. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 182,328 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 3.1%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,157; median household $49,747; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,875 - $42,354.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Peoria (115,007).

**PERRY COUNTY**
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Pinckneyville, IL 62274
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In south-central IL north of Carbondale; organized Jan 29, 1827 from Randolph and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 447.61 (land 441.76; water 5.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,350. **State rank:** 1701. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,815 (White 87.9%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,926; median household $40,696; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Perry County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,592 - $25,535.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIATT COUNTY**
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Monticello, IL 61856
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**Fax:** 217-762-7563

In central IL, west of Urbana, organized Jan 27, 1841 from De Wiltt and Macon counties. **Name Origin:** For either James A. Piatt, Sr. (1789-1838), an early settler, or Benjamin Piatt, attorney general of IL Territory (1810-13).

**Area (sq mi):** 439.51 (land 439.20; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,729. **State rank:** 1993. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,680 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,492; median household $55,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,234 - $44,537.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIKE COUNTY**
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Pittsfield, IL 62363
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**Fax:** 217-285-5820

On the west-central border of IL, south of Quincy; organized Jan 31, 1821 from Madison, Bond, and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 849.95 (land 831.38; water 18.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.8.

**Pop 2010:** 16,430. **State rank:** 2012. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,099 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,996; median household $40,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,554 - $31,695.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POPE COUNTY**
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Golconda, IL 62938

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On the southeastern border of IL; organized Jan 10, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Johnson and Gallatin counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Pope (1784-1850), first territorial secretary of IL Territory (1809-16) and U.S. district judge for IL (1819-50).

**Area (sq mi):** 372.54 (land 368.77; water 3.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.1.

**Pop 2010:** 4,470. **State rank:** 2896. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,211 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,134; median household $39,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,429 - $26,128.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PULASKI COUNTY**
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Mound City, IL 62963
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On the southern border of IL; organized Mar 3, 1843 from Johnson County. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 201.74 (land 199.19; water 2.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,161. **State rank:** 2742. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.3%; 2000-2005 -7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,794 (White 64.4%; Black or African American 32.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,444; median household $31,173; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,546 - $30,844.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PUTNAM COUNTY**
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In north-central IL, northeast of Peoria; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Fulton County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 172.61 (land 160.16; water 12.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,006. **State rank:** 2758. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,094 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,004; median household $56,458; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,695 - $37,707.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**RANDOLPH COUNTY**
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Chester, IL 62233
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On the southwestern border of IL; organized Oct 5, 1795 (prior to statehood) from Saint Clair County. **Name Origin:** For Edmund Jennings Randolph (1753-1813), governor of VA (1786-88), first U.S. Attorney General (1789), and U.S. secretary of state (1794-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 594.34 (land 575.50; water 18.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.2.

**Pop 2010:** 33,476. **State rank:** 1353. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 33,122 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,950; median household $45,020; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,195 - $28,008.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICHLAND COUNTY**
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Olney, IL 62450
www.richland.countycriminal.com/court-records-search/IL
**Ph:** 618-392-3111
**Fax:** 618-393-4005

In southeastern IL; organized Feb 24, 1841 from Clay and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For the county in OH.

**Area (sq mi):** 361.86 (land 359.99; water 1.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,233. **State rank:** 2065. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 15,798 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,874; median household $41,917; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,146 - $30,190.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROCK ISLAND COUNTY**
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Rock Island, IL 61201-1862
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**Ph:** 309-558-3569
**Fax:** 309-786-7381

On the northwestern border of IL; organized Feb 9, 1831 from Jo Daviess County. **Name Origin:** For an island in the Mississippi River near the mouth of the Rock River.

**Area (sq mi):** 452.04 (land 427.64; water 24.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 345.

**Pop 2010:** 147,546. **State rank:** 420. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 147,808 (White 81.6%; Black or African American 9.0%; Hispanic or Latino 11.6%; Asian 1.6%; Others 11.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,071; median household $46,226; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,466 - $38,676.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moline (43,483); Rock Island (39,018); East Moline (21,302).

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**Fax:** 618-277-8783

On the west-central border of IL, east of Saint Louis, MO; organized Apr 27, 1790 (prior to statehood) from Northwest Territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Arthur Saint Clair (1736?-1818), an officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War, president of the Continental Congress (1787), and governor of the Northwest Territory (1788-1802).

**Area (sq mi):** 667.91 (land 657.76; water 10.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 410.6.

**Pop 2010:** 270,056. **State rank:** 245. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 260,067 (White 64.6%; Black or African American 30.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,770; median household $48,562; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,196 - $35,646.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 38 for cities).

**SALINE COUNTY**
10 E Poplar St Suite 17
Harrisburg, IL 62946
www.salinecountychamber.org
**Ph:** 618-253-8197
**Fax:** 618-252-3073

In southeastern IL, east of Carbondale; organized Feb 25, 1847 from Gallatin County. **Name Origin:** For the Saline River, which traverses the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 383.49 (land 379.82; water 3.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.6.

**Pop 2010:** 24,913. **State rank:** 1561. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 26,072 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,903; median household $35,644; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,098 - $32,568.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SANGAMON COUNTY**
200 S 9th St
Springfield, IL 62701
www.co.sangamon.il.us
**Ph:** 217-753-6700
**Fax:** 217-535-3233

In central IL, east of Decatur; organized Jan 30, 1821 from Bond and Madison counties. **Name Origin:** For the Sangamon River, which flows through the county; from Ojibway, possibly the outlet or 'the land of plenty to eat

**Area (sq mi):** 877.12 (land 868.30; water 8.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 227.4.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sangamon County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 197,465. **State rank:** 314. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 192,789 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 11.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 1.6%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,394; median household $52,232; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,072 - $42,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield 🏛 (116,250); Arlington Heights (75,101); Chatham (11,500).

### SCHUYLER COUNTY

102 S Congress Street PO Box 200
Rushville, IL 62681
www.schuylercountyillinois.com

**Ph:** 217-322-4734
**Fax:** 217-322-6164

In west-central IL, northeast of Quincy; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Pike and Fulton counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip John Schuyler (1733-1804), an officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the Continental Congress (1775-77; 1778-81), and U.S. senator from NY (1789-91; 1797-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 441.34 (land 437.27; water 4.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,544. **State rank:** 2697. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,073 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,649; median household $43,686; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,993 - $32,347.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCOTT COUNTY

County Courthouse 35 E Market St
Winchester, IL 62694

**Ph:** 217-742-5751
**Fax:** 217-742-5853

In west-central IL, southwest of Springfield; organized Feb 16, 1839 from Morgan County. **Name Origin:** For the county in KY.

**Area (sq mi):** 252.76 (land 250.91; water 1.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,355. **State rank:** 2812. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,412 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,530; median household $49,462; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,012 - $32,852.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHELBY COUNTY

PO Box 230
Shelbyville, IL 62565
www.shelbycounty-il.com

**Ph:** 217-774-4421
**Fax:** 217-774-5291

In central IL, south of Decatur; organized Jan 23, 1827 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 768.06 (land 758.52; water 9.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,363. **State rank:** 1730. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 22,322 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,891; median household $44,627; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,465 - $32,291.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STARK COUNTY

130 W Main St PO Box 97
Toulon, IL 61483
starkco.illinois.gov

**Ph:** 309-286-5911
**Fax:** 309-286-4039

In central IL, north of Peoria; organized Mar 2, 1839 from Knox and Putnam counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Stark (1728-1822), officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 288.36 (land 288.08; water 0.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,994. **State rank:** 2757. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,169 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,311; median household $49,195; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,186 - $34,554.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STEPHENSON COUNTY

15 N Galena Ave
Freeport, IL 61032
www.co.stephenson.il.us

**Ph:** 815-235-8266
**Fax:** 815-235-8378

Located on northern border of IL; organized on Mar 4, 1837 from Winnebago and Jo Daviess counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Stephenson (?-1821), adjutant general of IL Territory (1813), IL legislator, and prominent banker.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.06 (land 564.52; water 0.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.5.

**Pop 2010:** 47,711. **State rank:** 1015. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 47,965 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 9.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,608; median household $43,304; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Stephenson County (cont'd)

$33,542 - $34,955.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Freeport (25,638).

**TAZEWELL COUNTY**
11 S 4th St Suite 203
Pekin, IL 61554
www.tazewell.com
**Ph:** 309-477-2264
**Fax:** 309-477-2244

In central IL, south of Peoria; organized Jan 31, 1827 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For Littleton Waller Tazewell (1774-1860), VA legislator, U.S. senator (1824-32), and governor (1834-36).

**Area (sq mi):** 658 (land 648.97; water 9.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 208.6.

**Pop 2010:** 135,394. **State rank:** 455. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 129,999 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,036; median household $54,232; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,756 - $38,469.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pekin (34,094); East Peoria (23,402); Morton (16,267); Washington (15,134).

**UNION COUNTY**
309 W Market St
Jonesboro, IL 62952
www.unioncountyil.net
**Ph:** 618-833-5711
**Fax:** 618-833-8712

On the southwest border of IL, south of Carbondale; organized Jan 2, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Johnson County. **Name Origin:** For the temporary union of the Baptists and Dunkards.

**Area (sq mi):** 419.43 (land 413.46; water 5.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.1.

**Pop 2010:** 17,808. **State rank:** 1911. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,202 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,512; median household $39,760; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,784 - $31,193.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VERMILION COUNTY**
6 N Vermilion St
Danville, IL 61832
www.co.vermilion.il.us
**Ph:** 217-554-1900
**Fax:** 217-554-1914

On the east-central border of IL, east of Urbana; organized Jan 18, 1826 from Edgar County. **Name Origin:** For the Vermilion River, which runs through the county and is colored by the red soil.

**Area (sq mi):** 901.43 (land 898.37; water 3.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 90.9.

**Pop 2010:** 81,625. **State rank:** 681. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 82,344 (White 82.5%; Black or African American 13.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,218; median household $39,456; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,703 - $31,520.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Danville (33,027).

**WABASH COUNTY**
401 Market St PO Box 277
Mount Carmel, IL 62863
www.wabashcountychamber.com
**Ph:** 618-262-4561

On the southeastern border of IL, southeast of Olney; organized Dec 27, 1824 from Edwards County. **Name Origin:** For the Wabash River, from Miami Indian *wahba* 'white' and *shik-ki* 'color-bright', usually translated as 'white water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 227.54 (land 223.25; water 4.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,947. **State rank:** 2291. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 12,570 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,350; median household $46,026; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,544 - $32,752.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
100 W Broadway
Monmouth, IL 61462
www.warrencountyil.com/index.php
**Ph:** 309-734-8592
**Fax:** 309-734-7406

In northwest IL, west of Galesburg; organized Jan 13, 1825 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.06 (land 542.41; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,707. **State rank:** 1940. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 17,558 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,047; median household $41,636; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,269 - $32,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
101 E Saint Louis St County Courthouse **Ph:** 618-327-3644
Nashville, IL 62263-3110

In south-central IL, southeast of Belleville; organized Jan 2, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Saint Clair County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 564.08 (land 562.57; water 1.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,716. **State rank:** 2123. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 14,922 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,846; median household $51,440; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,269 - $37,006.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
301 E Main St PO Box 187 **Ph:** 618-842-5182
Fairfield, IL 62837 **Fax:** 618-842-6427

In southeastern IL, southwest of Olney; organized Mar 26, 1819 from Edwards County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 715.47 (land 713.81; water 1.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,760. **State rank:** 2010. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,796 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,493; median household $39,207; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,113 - $32,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHITE COUNTY**
301 E Main St PO Box 339 **Ph:** 618-382-7211
Carmi, IL 62821 **Fax:** 618-382-2322
www.whitecounty-il.gov

On the southeastern border of IL; organized Dec 9, 1815 (prior to statehood) from Gallatin County. **Name Origin:** For Leonard White, a delegate to the IL Constitutional Convention (1818) and state legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 501.60 (land 494.77; water 6.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.6.

**Pop 2010:** 14,665. **State rank:** 2116. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,284 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,081; median household $39,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,043 - $35,461.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHITESIDE COUNTY**
200 E Knox St **Ph:** 815-772-5189
Morrison, IL 61270 **Fax:** 815-772-7673
www.whiteside.org

On the northwestern border of IL, northeast of Moline; organized Jan 16, 1836 from Jo Daviess and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Samuel Whiteside, officer in the War of 1812 and the Black Hawk War; IL legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 696.49 (land 684.25; water 12.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.5.

**Pop 2010:** 58,498. **State rank:** 860. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 59,863 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 11.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 11.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,405; median household $45,266; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,138 - $34,898.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sterling (15,370).

**WILL COUNTY**
302 N Chicago St **Ph:** 815-740-4615
Joliet, IL 60432 **Fax:** 815-740-4699
www.willcountyillinois.com

On the northeastern border of IL, south of Chicago; organized Jan 12, 1836 from Cook and Iroquois counties. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Conrad Will (1779-1835), physician and IL legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 849.36 (land 836.91; water 12.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 809.6.

**Pop 2010:** 677,560. **State rank:** 88. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +28.0%. **Pop 2005:** 642,813 (White 76.0%; Black or African American 11.2%; Hispanic or Latino 15.6%; Asian 4.6%; Others 15.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.4%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,811; median household $75,906; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,732 - $40,395.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 38 for cities).

**WILLIAMSON COUNTY**
200 W Jefferson St **Ph:** 618-997-1301
Marion, IL 62959 **Fax:** 618-993-2071
www.williamsoncountycourthouse.com

In south-central IL, east of Carbondale; organized Feb 28, 1839 from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For Williamson County, TN, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 441.11 (land 420.15; water 20.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 157.9.

**Pop 2010:** 66,357. **State rank:** 791. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 63,617 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%.

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## Williamson County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,164; median household $40,579; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,783 - $33,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marion (17,193); Herrin (12,501).

**WINNEBAGO COUNTY**
404 Elm St
Rockford, IL 61101
www.co.winnebago.il.us

**Ph:** 815-319-4250
**Fax:** 815-969-0259

On the northern border of IL; organized Jan 16, 1836 from Jo Daviess County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Siouan linguistic stock; their name is thought to mean 'fish eaters.'

**Area (sq mi):** 518.90 (land 513.36; water 5.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 575.2.

**Pop 2010:** 295,266. **State rank:** 212. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 288,695 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 12.2%; Hispanic or Latino 10.9%; Asian 2.3%; Others 10.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.6%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,008; median household $47,198; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,697 - $33,312.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rockford (152,871); Loves Park (23,996); Machesney Park (23,499); Riverdale (13,549); Roscoe (10,785).

**WOODFORD COUNTY**
115 N Main St, Rm 202
Eureka, IL 61530
www.woodford-county.org

**Ph:** 309-467-2822
**Fax:** 309-467-7391

In central IL; organized Feb 27, 1841 from Tazewell and McLean counties. **Name Origin:** For Woodford County, KY, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 542.59 (land 527.80; water 14.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.3.

**Pop 2010:** 38,664. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 37,448 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,475; median household $65,890; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,593 - $40,316.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# Indiana

Lake Michigan

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# Indiana

**INDIANA STATE INFORMATION**
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Indianapolis, IN 46204-4272
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**Area (sq mi):** 36,417.73 (land 35,866.90; water 550.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 181.

**Pop 2010:** 6,483,802. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,271,973 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 9.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6%; Asian 1.6%; Others 6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,943; median household $47,697; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,645 - $33,981.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.0%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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www.co.adams.in.us

On the east-central border of IN, south of Ft. Wayne; organized Jan 23, 1836 from Warren County. **Name Origin:** For John Quincy Adams (1767-1848), sixth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 339.60 (land 339.03; water 0.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.4.

**Pop 2010:** 34,387. **State rank:** 1312. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 33,849 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,089; median household $43,317; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,945 - $27,915.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLEN COUNTY**
715 S Calhoun St, Rm 200A **Ph:** 260-449-7245
Fort Wayne, IN 46802 **Fax:** 260-449-7929
www.co.allen.in.us

On the northeastern border of IN, northeast of Marion; organized Apr 1, 1824 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Allen (?-1813), KY lawyer and army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 660.16 (land 657.31; water 2.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 540.6.

**Pop 2010:** 355,329. **State rank:** 185. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 344,006 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 11.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 2.7%; Others 6.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,532; median household $48,714; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,494 - $34,088.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Wayne 🏛 (253,691); New Haven (14,794).

**BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY**
234 Washington St PO Box 924 **Ph:** 812-379-1600
Columbus, IN 47201 **Fax:** 812-379-1675
www.bartholomewco.com

In south-central IN, south of Indianapolis; organized 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Bartholomew (?-1840), officer wounded at the Battle of Tippecanoe (1811) and IN state senator (1821-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 409.43 (land 406.91; water 2.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 188.7.

**Pop 2010:** 76,794. **State rank:** 707. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 73,540 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 3.4%; Others 6.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,860; median household $52,742; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,504 - $35,335.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbus 🏛 (44,061).

**BENTON COUNTY**
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Fowler, IN 47944 **Fax:** 765-884-0322
www.bentoncounty.in.gov

On the northwest border of IN, northwest of Lafayette; organized Feb 18, 1840 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 406.51 (land 406.42; water 0.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,854. **State rank:** 2540. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,039 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.9%,

## Benton County (cont'd)

including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,949; median household $46,318; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,696 - $35,541.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLACKFORD COUNTY**
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Hartford City, IN 47348
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**Fax:** 765-348-7222

In east-central IN, north of Muncie; organized Feb 15, 1838 from Jay County. **Name Origin:** For Isaac Newton Blackford (1786-1859), IN legislator and justice of the IN Supreme Court (1817-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 165.39 (land 165.08; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,766. **State rank:** 2226. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,849 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,783; median household $41,989; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,981 - $29,194.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOONE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 765-485-0150

In central IN, northwest of Indianpolis; organized Jan 29, 1830 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 423.33 (land 422.91; water 0.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.9.

**Pop 2010:** 56,640. **State rank:** 886. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 52,061 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,696; median household $68,594; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,042 - $47,624.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon (15,792); Zionsville (14,160).

**BROWN COUNTY**
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Nashville, IN 47448
www.browncounty.org
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**Fax:** 812-988-5562

In central IN, west of Columbus; organized Feb 4, 1836 from Monroe, Jackson, and Bartholomew counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jacob Jennings Brown (1775-1828), an officer in the War of 1812 and commander of the U.S. Army (1821-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 316.34 (land 311.98; water 4.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,242. **State rank:** 2125. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 15,154 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,312; median household $50,139; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,594 - $34,582.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
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Delphi, IN 46923
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In west-central IN, west of Kokoma; organized Jan 7, 1828 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 375.02 (land 372.22; water 2.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,155. **State rank:** 1829. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 20,426 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,163; median household $48,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,186 - $31,146.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CASS COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 574-722-1556

In west-central IN, northwest of Kokomo; established Dec 18, 1828 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 414.22 (land 412.16; water 2.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.5.

**Pop 2010:** 38,966. **State rank:** 1190. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 40,130 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 12.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 12.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,562; median household $42,587; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,452 - $30,357.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Logansport (18,396).

### CLARK COUNTY

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**Fax:** 812-285-6372

On the southeast border of IN, north of Louisville, KY; organized Feb 3, 1801 (prior to statehood) from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), officer in the Revolutionary War and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 374.02 (land 372.86; water 1.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 295.6.

**Pop 2010:** 110,232. **State rank:** 537. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 101,592 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,592; median household $47,368; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,351 - $32,986.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jeffersonville (44,953); Clarksville (21,724).

### CLAY COUNTY

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Brazil, IN 47834
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**Fax:** 812-446-9602

In southwest IN, east of Terre Haute; organized Feb 12, 1825 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 360.32 (land 357.54; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.2.

**Pop 2010:** 26,890. **State rank:** 1528. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 27,142 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,569; median household $44,666; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,330 - $29,372.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLINTON COUNTY

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Frankfort, IN 46041
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In central IN, east of Lafayette; organized Jan 29, 1830 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-21; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 405.25 (land 405.07; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.

**Pop 2010:** 33,224. **State rank:** 1308. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 34,091 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 13.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,131; median household $48,416; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,871 - $30,200.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Frankfort (16,422).

### CRAWFORD COUNTY

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English, IN 47118
www.courtreference.com

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**Fax:** 812-338-2507

On the south-central border of IN; organized Jan 19, 1818 from Harrison County. **Name Origin:** For either Col. William Crawford (1732-82), VA officer in the Revolutionary War, Indian fighter, and surveyor; or William Harris Crawford (1772-1834), senator from GA (1807-13), U.S. secretary of war (1815-16), and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1816-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 308.81 (land 305.64; water 3.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,713. **State rank:** 2391. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,216 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,598; median household $37,988; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,319 - $27,297.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DAVIESS COUNTY

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Washington, IN 47501
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In southwestern IN, east of Vincennes; established Dec 24, 1816 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. Joseph Hamilton Daviess (1774-1811), VA soldier and jurist who unsuccessfully attempted to indict Aaron Burr for treason (1806). According to Jacob Piatt Dunn, the Colonel's name was Daveiss and he always wrote it that way; however, the name is sometimes spelled 'Daviess' in biographical entries and in places named for him.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.69 (land 429.49; water 6.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.7.

**Pop 2010:** 31,648. **State rank:** 1412. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 30,466 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,254; median household $44,592; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,578 - $31,076.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Washington (11,509).

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**DEARBORN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 812-532-2021

On the southeastern border of IN, east of Columbus; organized Mar 7, 1803 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Dearborn (1751-1829), an officer in the Revolutionary War, MA legislator, U.S. secretary of war (1801-09), and Minister to Portugal (1822-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 306.87 (land 305.03; water 1.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 164.1.

**Pop 2010:** 50,047. **State rank:** 957. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 49,082 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,023; median household $56,789; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,500 - $35,138.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DECATUR COUNTY**
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Greensburg, IN 47240
www.decaturcounty.in.gov
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**Fax:** 812-662-6627

In southeast IN, east of Columbus; established Dec 31, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Decatur (1779-1820), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812 and in actions against the Barbary pirates near Tripoli, who said ...may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong!

**Area (sq mi):** 373.38 (land 372.57; water 0.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.1.

**Pop 2010:** 25,740. **State rank:** 1589. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,184 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,719; median household $46,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,930 - $32,518.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greensburg (11,492).

**DEKALB COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 260-925-5126

On the northeastern border of IN, north of Ft. Wayne; established Feb 7, 1835 from Allen Country. **Name Origin:** For Johann (1721-80), Baron de Kalb, German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 363.79 (land 362.82; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 116.4.

**Pop 2010:** 42,223. **State rank:** 1112. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 41,659 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,779; median household $46,722; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,032 - $29,830.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Auburn (12,731).

**DELAWARE COUNTY**
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Muncie, IN 47305
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**Fax:** 765-747-7899

In east-central IN; organized Jan 26, 1827 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Delaware Indians (also called Leni or Leni-Lenape), in turn named for Thomas West (1577-1618), Lord Delaware (or De La Warr).

**Area (sq mi):** 394.75 (land 392.12; water 2.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 300.1.

**Pop 2010:** 117,671. **State rank:** 513. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 116,362 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,405; median household $38,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,208 - $29,565.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Muncie (70,085).

**DUBOIS COUNTY**
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Jasper, IN 47546
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**Fax:** 812-481-7044

In south-central IN, northeast of Evansville; established Dec 20, 1817 from Orange and Perry counties. **Name Origin:** For Toussaint Dubois, a French immigrant who fought with the Americans at the Battle of Tippecanoe (1811).

**Area (sq mi):** 432.41 (land 427.27; water 5.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.

**Pop 2010:** 41,889. **State rank:** 1128. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 40,858 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,801; median household $52,871; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,114 - $38,125.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jasper (15,038).

**ELKHART COUNTY**
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Goshen, IN 46526
www.elkhartcountyindiana.com
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On the north-central border of IN; organized Jan 29, 1830 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Elkhart River, named for the Elkhart Indians. Name is probably a translation of either a Potawatomi or

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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Kickapoo term for 'elk's heart', early English spelling was Elksheart.

**Area (sq mi):** 467.20 (land 463.17; water 4.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 426.5.

**Pop 2010:** 197,559. **State rank:** 304. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 195,362 (White 82.9%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 14.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 14.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,187; median household $47,258; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,750 - $29,846.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elkhart (50,949); Goshen 🏛 (31,719).

### FAYETTE COUNTY

PO Box 607
Connersville, IN 47331
www.co.fayette.in.us

**Ph:** 765-825-1813
**Fax:** 765-827-4902

In east-central IN, southwest of Richmond; established Dec 28, 1818 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 215.17 (land 215.01; water 0.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,277. **State rank:** 1621. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,885 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,928; median household $37,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,697 - $27,862.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Connersville 🏛 (13,481).

### FLOYD COUNTY

311 W 1st St, Rm 235 PO Box 1056
New Albany, IN 47150
www.warrickcounty.gov

**Ph:** 812-948-5415
**Fax:** 812-948-4711

On the southeast border of IN, northwest of Louisville, KY; organized Jan 2, 1819 from Harrison and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** According to most sources, for Gen. John Floyd (1783-1837), VA jurist, U.S. congressman from VA (1817-29), and governor (1830-34). Others claim Col. Davis Floyd, an associate of Aaron Burr and an important member of the IN General Assembly.

**Area (sq mi):** 148.25 (land 147.94; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 504.1.

**Pop 2010:** 74,578. **State rank:** 724. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 71,997 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,971; median household $52,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,431 - $39,788.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Albany 🏛 (36,372).

### FOUNTAIN COUNTY

PO Box 183
Covington, IN 47932
ingenweb.org/infountain

**Ph:** 765-793-2192
**Fax:** 765-793-5002

On the central western border of IN, north of Terre Haute, established Dec 20, 1825 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. James Fountain (originally Fontaine) (?-1790), KY army officer killed near Ft. Wayne in the Battle of Maumee.

**Area (sq mi):** 397.89 (land 395.66; water 2.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,240. **State rank:** 1971. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,462 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,949; median household $42,817; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,182 - $31,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

459 Main St PO Box 183
Brookville, IN 47012
www.franklincounty.in.gov

**Ph:** 765-647-5111
**Fax:** 765-647-3224

On southeastern border of IN, south of Richmond; established Nov 27, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Wayne and Ripley counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 389.76 (land 384.43; water 5.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.1.

**Pop 2010:** 23,087. **State rank:** 1663. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 23,085 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,090; median household $51,649; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,067 - $34,488.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FULTON COUNTY

815 N Main St
Rochester, IN 46975
www.co.fulton.in.us

**Ph:** 574-223-4824
**Fax:** 574-223-8304

In north-central IN, west of Ft. Wayne; established Feb 7, 1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815) builder of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat.

**Area (sq mi):** 371.26 (land 368.39; water 2.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.6.

**Pop 2010:** 20,836. **State rank:** 1803. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 20,665 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%.

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## Fulton County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,119; median household $40,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,828 - $30,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GIBSON COUNTY

PO Box 630 Courthouse Sq
Princeton, IN 47670
www.gibsoncounty-in.gov

**Ph:** 812-386-8401
**Fax:** 812-385-5025

On the southwest border of IN, north of Evansville; organized Mar 9, 1813 (prior to statehood) from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Gibson (1740-1822), an officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War, jurist, and secretary of IN Territory (1801-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 497.76 (land 487.49; water 10.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.7.

**Pop 2010:** 33,503. **State rank:** 1351. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 33,408 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,542; median household $46,872; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,093 - $33,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRANT COUNTY

101 E 4th St
Marion, IN 46952
www.grantcounty.net

**Ph:** 765-668-8121
**Fax:** 765-668-6541

In central IN, northwest of Muncie; organized Feb 10, 1831 from Delaware County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel and Moses Grant, killed in 1790 in Indian battles in southern IL.

**Area (sq mi):** 414.88 (land 414.07; water 0.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 169.2.

**Pop 2010:** 70,061. **State rank:** 764. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 70,557 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,792; median household $38,985; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,052 - $31,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marion (29,948).

### GREENE COUNTY

PO Box 229
Bloomfield, IN 47424
www.gcindiana.info

**Ph:** 812-384-8532
**Fax:** 812-384-8458

In southwest IN, southwest of Bloomington; organized Jan 5, 1821 from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the army in the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 546.68 (land 542.50; water 4.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.1.

**Pop 2010:** 33,165. **State rank:** 1364. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 33,479 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,676; median household $41,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,416 - $30,610.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMILTON COUNTY

1 Hamilton County Sq, Suite 106
Noblesville, IN 46060
www.hamiltoncounty.in.gov

**Ph:** 317-776-8589
**Fax:** 317-776-9664

In central IN, north of Indianapolis; organized Jan 8, 1823 from Hancock and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1755-1804), U.S. statesman and first secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 399.06 (land 394.27; water 4.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 696.4.

**Pop 2010:** 274,569. **State rank:** 229. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.1%; 2000-2005 +31.7%. **Pop 2005:** 240,685 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 4.8%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,500; median household $81,947; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,922 - $48,692.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 38 for cities).

### HANCOCK COUNTY

9 E Main St, Rm 227
Greenfield, IN 46140
www.hancockcoingov.org

**Ph:** 317-477-1109

In central IN, east of Indianapolis; established Jan 26, 1827 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence and governor of MA (1780-85;1787-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 306.63 (land 306.02; water 0.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 228.8.

**Pop 2010:** 70,002. **State rank:** 766. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +14.0%. **Pop 2005:** 63,138 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,017; median household $61,052; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hancock County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,941 - $40,873.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenfield 🏛 (20,602).

### HARRISON COUNTY

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Corydon, IN 47112
www.harrisonchamber.org

**Ph:** 812-738-8241
**Fax:** 812-738-0531

On the southern border of IN; organized Oct 11, 1808 (prior to statehood) from Northwest Territory. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Harrison (1773-1841), first territorial governor of IN (1800-11) and ninth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 486.18 (land 484.52; water 1.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.2.

**Pop 2010:** 39,364. **State rank:** 1226. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 36,827 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,539; median household $51,272; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,045 - $31,118.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENDRICKS COUNTY

51 W Main St, Suite 104 PO Box 599
Danville, IN 46122
www.co.hendricks.in.us

**Ph:** 317-745-9231
**Fax:** 317-745-9306

In central IN, west of Indianapolis; established Dec 20, 1823 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For William Hendricks (1782-1850), IN legislator, governor (1822-25), and U.S. senator (1825-37).

**Area (sq mi):** 407.39 (land 406.91; water 0.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 357.4.

**Pop 2010:** 145,448. **State rank:** 438. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.1%; 2000-2005 +22.5%. **Pop 2005:** 127,483 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 2.1%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,880; median household $67,180; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,213 - $34,510.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Plainfield (27,631); Brownsburg (21,285); Avon (12,446).

### HENRY COUNTY

1215 Race St PO Box B
New Castle, IN 47362
www.henryco.net

**Ph:** 765-529-6401
**Fax:** 765-521-7046

In east-central IN, south of Muncie; established Dec 31, 1821 from Delaware County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.85 (land 391.88; water 1.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.2.

**Pop 2010:** 49,462. **State rank:** 1002. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 47,244 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,879; median household $41,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,375 - $27,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Castle 🏛 (18,114).

### HOWARD COUNTY

PO Box 9004
Kokomo, IN 46904
www.co.howard.in.us

**Ph:** 765-456-2204
**Fax:** 765-456-2267

In central IN, east of Marion; organized as Richardville County Jan 15, 1844 from Indian lands; name changed 1846. **Name Origin:** For Tilghman Ashurst Howard (1797-1844), TN legislator, U.S. representative from IN (1839-40), and charge d affaires to the Republic of TX (1844).

**Area (sq mi):** 293.92 (land 293.06; water 0.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 282.4.

**Pop 2010:** 82,752. **State rank:** 660. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 84,977 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,759; median household $45,003; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,789 - $31,193.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kokomo 🏛 (45,468).

### HUNTINGTON COUNTY

201 N Jefferson St, Rm 103
Huntington, IN 46750
www.huntington.in.us

**Ph:** 260-358-4822
**Fax:** 260-358-4823

In northeastern IN, southwest of Ft. Wayne; established Feb 2, 1832 from Grant County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Huntington (1731-96), a signer of the Declaration of Independence; president of the Continental Congress (1779-81; 1783), chief justice of CT Superior Court (1784), and governor of CT (1786-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 388 (land 382.65; water 5.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.

**Pop 2010:** 37,124. **State rank:** 1218. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 38,236 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,575; median household $45,964; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,463 - $31,116.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

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## Huntington County (cont'd)

36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Huntington (17,391).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
119 W. Walnut St PO Box 334 **Ph:** 812-358-2930
Brownstown, IN 47220 **Fax:** 812-358-9321
www.jacksoncounty.in.gov

In south-central IN, south of Columbus; established Dec 18, 1815 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 513.75 (land 509.31; water 4.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.2.

**Pop 2010:** 42,376. **State rank:** 1102. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 42,237 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,498; median household $43,980; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,931 - $30,752.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Seymour (17,503).

**JASPER COUNTY**
115 W Washington St, Suite 204 **Ph:** 219-866-4926
Rensselaer, IN 47978 **Fax:** 219-866-9450
www.jaspercountyin.com

In northwestern IN, southeast of Gary; established Feb 7,1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 560.99 (land 559.63; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,478. **State rank:** 1348. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 31,876 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,676; median household $55,093; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,275 - $34,066.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JAY COUNTY**
120 N Court St 2nd Fl **Ph:** 260-726-6920
Portland, IN 47371 **Fax:** 260-726-6922
www.co.jay.in.us

On central eastern border of IN, northeast of Muncie; established Feb 7, 1835 from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For John Jay (1745-1829), first Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1789-95), and governor of NY (1795-1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 384.09 (land 383.91; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.4.

**Pop 2010:** 21,253. **State rank:** 1756. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 21,606 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,946; median household $39,886; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,053 - $27,478.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
300 E Main St Courthouse, Rm 203 **Ph:** 812-265-8922
Madison, IN 47250 **Fax:** 812-265-8950
www.madisonindiana.org/govern.html

On southeastern border of IN, southeast of Columbus; established in Nov 23, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 362.21 (land 360.63; water 1.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.9.

**Pop 2010:** 32,428. **State rank:** 1339. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 32,430 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,278; median household $42,707; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,142 - $28,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Madison (11,967).

**JENNINGS COUNTY**
25 N Pike St PO Box 385 **Ph:** 812-352-3070
Vernon, IN 47282 **Fax:** 812-352-3076
www.jenningsco.org

In southeastern IN, southeast of Columbus; established Dec 27, 1816 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Jonathan Jennings (1784-1834), U.S. representative from IN (1809-16; 1822-31) and first governor (1816-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 377.71 (land 376.58; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.7.

**Pop 2010:** 28,525. **State rank:** 1481. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 28,427 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,636; median household $43,755; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,958 - $30,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
5 E Jefferson St PO Box 368 **Ph:** 317-346-4450
Franklin, IN 46131 **Fax:** 317-736-3749
www.co.johnson.in.us

In central IN, south of Indianapolis; established Dec 31, 1822 from

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Johnson County (cont'd)

Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Johnson, a judge of the first IN supreme court.

**Area (sq mi):** 321.79 (land 320.43; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 435.8.

**Pop 2010:** 139,654. **State rank:** 436. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 128,436 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 2.0%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,224; median household $61,629; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,336 - $35,228.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood (49,791); Franklin (23,712).

### KNOX COUNTY

101 N 7th St
Vincennes, IN 47591
www.knoxcountygov.com

**Ph:** 812-885-2508
**Fax:** 812-895-4929

On the southwest border of IN; organized Jun 20, 1790 (prior to statehood) from Northwest Territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-94).

**Area (sq mi):** 524.25 (land 516.03; water 8.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.5.

**Pop 2010:** 38,440. **State rank:** 1212. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 38,366 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,381; median household $39,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,506 - $34,731.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vincennes (18,423).

### KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

100 W Center St
Warsaw, IN 46580
www.kcgov.com

**Ph:** 574-267-4444
**Fax:** 574-372-2338

In north-central IN, south of Elkhart; established Feb 7, 1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thaddeus Kosciusko (1746-1817), Polish soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 548.22 (land 531.38; water 16.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 145.6.

**Pop 2010:** 77,358. **State rank:** 704. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 76,072 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 7.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,019; median household $50,217; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,589 - $34,868.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Warsaw (13,559).

### LA PORTE COUNTY

813 Lincolnway
La Porte, IN 46350
www.alco.org

**Ph:** 216-326-6808
**Fax:** 216-326-5615

On the northwestern border of IN, west of South Bend; organized Jan 9, 1832 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** French 'the port' or 'the door,' referring to a natural opening through the forest that served as a gateway to the north.

**Area (sq mi):** 613.10 (land 598.30; water 14.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 186.3.

**Pop 2010:** 111,467. **State rank:** 530. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 110,512 (White 84.1%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,599; median household $46,014; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,687 - $30,440.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Michigan City (31,479); Plainfield (27,631).

### LAGRANGE COUNTY

105 N Detroit St
LaGrange, IN 46761
www.lagrangecounty.com

**Ph:** 260-499-6368
**Fax:** 260-463-2187

On the northeastern border of IN, east of Elkhart; organized Feb 2, 1832 from unorganized territory in Elkhart County. **Name Origin:** For the country home near Paris of the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834) who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War, from French 'the barn.'

**Area (sq mi):** 386.77 (land 379.62; water 7.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.8.

**Pop 2010:** 37,128. **State rank:** 1230. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 36,875 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 30.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,388; median household $47,792; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,387 - $19,938.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood (49,791).

### LAKE COUNTY

2293 N Main St
Crown Point, IN 46307
www.lakecountyin.org

**Ph:** 219-755-3440
**Fax:** 219-755-3447

In the northwest corner of IN; established Jan 28, 1836 from Porter and Newton counties. **Name Origin:** For its location on the southern shore of Lake Michigan.

**Area (sq mi):** 628.32 (land 498.96; water 129.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 994.1.

**Pop 2010:** 496,005. **State rank:** 131. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%;

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## Lake County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 493,297 (White 64.4%; Black or African American 25.9%; Hispanic or Latino 16.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 16.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,142; median household $48,723; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,091 - $33,562.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 38 for cities).

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

916 15th St, Rm 31
Bedford, IN 47421
www.bedfordonline.com/government/lawrence

**Ph:** 812-275-7543
**Fax:** 812-277-2024

In south-central IN, south of Bloomington; organized Jan 7, 1818 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. naval officer in the war with Barbary pirates near Trilpoli and commander of the U.S.S. *Chesapeake* in the War of 1812, who said, Don't give up the ship!

**Area (sq mi):** 452.41 (land 449.17; water 3.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.7.

**Pop 2010:** 46,134. **State rank:** 1031. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 46,403 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,352; median household $40,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,957 - $29,862.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bedford (13,413).

### MADISON COUNTY

16 E 9th St
Anderson, IN 46016
www.madisoncty.com

**Ph:** 765-641-9480
**Fax:** 765-648-1375

In central IN, west of Muncie; organized Jan 4, 1823 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 452.70 (land 451.92; water 0.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 291.3.

**Pop 2010:** 131,636. **State rank:** 459. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 130,412 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,722; median household $43,256; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,899 - $28,809.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Anderson (56,129).

### MARION COUNTY

200 E Washington St
Indianapolis, IN 46204
www.indygov.org/county

**Ph:** 317-327-4740
**Fax:** 317-327-3893

In central IN, southwest of Muncie; established Dec 31, 1821 from Ohio County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 403.09 (land 396.30; water 6.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 2279.6.

**Pop 2010:** 903,393. **State rank:** 56. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 863,133 (White 62.7%; Black or African American 26.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.3%; Asian 2.0%; Others 9.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,498; median household $43,541; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,518 - $37,232.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Indianapolis (820,445); Lawrence (46,001); Beech Grove (14,192); Speedway (11,812).

### MARSHALL COUNTY

112 W Jefferson St
Plymouth, IN 46563
www.co.marshall.in.us

**Ph:** 574-935-8510
**Fax:** 574-936-4863

In north-central IN, south of South Bend, established Feb 7, 1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 449.28 (land 443.63; water 5.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.1.

**Pop 2010:** 47,051. **State rank:** 1008. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 46,945 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,493; median household $50,141; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,039 - $28,598.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Plymouth (10,033).

### MARTIN COUNTY

PO Box 120
Shoals, IN 47581
www.in.gov/mylocal/martin_county.html

**Ph:** 812-247-3651
**Fax:** 812-247-2791

In southwestern IN, southwest of Bloomington; organized Jan 17, 1820 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Maj. John Preston Martin (1811-62), U.S. representative from KY (1845-47).

**Area (sq mi):** 340.13 (land 335.74; water 4.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,334. **State rank:** 2433. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 10,386 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,750; median household $43,406; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Martin County (cont'd)

$29,329 - $31,643.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MIAMI COUNTY

25 N Broadway Rm 208
Peru, IN 46970
www.miamicountyin.gov

**Ph:** 765-472-3901
**Fax:** 765-472-1778

In north-central IN, north of Kokomo; established Feb 2, 1832 from Cass County. **Name Origin:** For the Miami Indians, an Algonquin tribe. Origin of the name is uncertain; probably from Ojibway *oumaumeg* 'people of the peninsula' or Delaware *we-mi-a-mik* 'all friends.'

**Area (sq mi):** 375.58 (land 373.84; water 1.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.7.

**Pop 2010:** 36,903. **State rank:** 1267. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 35,620 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,854; median household $39,485; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,995 - $25,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Peru 🏛 (11,417).

### MONROE COUNTY

301 N College Ave
Bloomington, IN 47404
www.co.monroe.in.us

**Ph:** 812-349-2534
**Fax:** 812-349-2828

In central IN, west of Columbus; organized Jan 14, 1818 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.48 (land 394.51; water 16.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 349.7.

**Pop 2010:** 137,974. **State rank:** 461. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.6%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 121,407 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 5.2%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 27.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,882; median household $38,137; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,785 - $30,042.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bloomington 🏛 (80,405).

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

100 E Main St, Rm 203 PO Box 768
Crawfordsville, IN 47933
www.montgomeryco.net

**Ph:** 765-364-6430
**Fax:** 765-364-6355

In west-central IN, south of Lafayette; organized Mar 1, 1823 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1738-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.44 (land 504.61; water 0.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.6.

**Pop 2010:** 38,124. **State rank:** 1214. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 38,239 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,788; median household $47,694; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,239 - $32,003.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Crawfordsville 🏛 (15,915).

### MORGAN COUNTY

10 E Washington St PO Box 1556
Martinsville, IN 46151
www.morgancounty.in.gov

**Ph:** 765-342-1025
**Fax:** 765-342-1111

In central IN, southwest of Indianapolis; organized Feb 15, 1823 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 406.89 (land 403.97; water 2.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 170.5.

**Pop 2010:** 68,894. **State rank:** 747. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 69,778 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,972; median household $55,427; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,214 - $36,413.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beech Grove (14,192); Martinsville 🏛 (11,828).

### NEWTON COUNTY

1 Courthouse Sq PO Box 49
Kentland, IN 47951
www.newtoncountyin.com

**Ph:** 219-474-6081
**Fax:** 219-474-5749

In northwestern IN, south of Gary; organized Feb 7, 1857 from Jasper County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. John Newton (1752-80), a soldier under Gen. Francis Marion (1732?-95) in the Revolutionary War, who saved several colonial patriots from execution by surprising and capturing the British soldiers guarding them.

**Area (sq mi):** 403.44 (land 401.76; water 1.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.5.

**Pop 2010:** 14,244. **State rank:** 2175. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,456 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,055; median household $50,721; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,840 - $29,377.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**NOBLE COUNTY**
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Albion, IN 46701
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**Ph:** 260-636-2736
**Fax:** 260-636-4000

In northeastern IN, southeast of Elkhart; established Feb 7, 1835 from Elkhart County. **Name Origin:** For either James Noble (1785-1831), U.S. senator from IN (1816-31), or for Moah Noble, governor of IN (1831-37) when the county was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.34 (land 410.84; water 6.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 115.7.

**Pop 2010:** 47,536. **State rank:** 996. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 47,448 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 9.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,783; median household $45,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,726 - $26,835.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OHIO COUNTY**
413 Main St PO Box 185
Rising Sun, IN 47040
**Ph:** 812-438-2610
**Fax:** 812-438-4590

On the southestern border of IN, southwest of Cincinnati, OH; organized Jan 4, 1844 from Dearborn County. **Name Origin:** For the Ohio River, which forms the eastern border of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 86.89 (land 86.14; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,128. **State rank:** 2764. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,874 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,703; median household $50,966; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,341 - $34,364.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ORANGE COUNTY**
1st E Court St
Paoli, IN 47454
www.co.orange.in.us
**Ph:** 812-723-2649
**Fax:** 812-723-0239

In south-central IN, south of Bloomington; established Dec 26, 1815 (prior to statehood) from Crawford and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For Orange County, NC, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 407.07 (land 398.39; water 8.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.8.

**Pop 2010:** 19,840. **State rank:** 1839. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,770 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,119; median household $37,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,952 - $29,228.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OWEN COUNTY**
60 S Main St
Spencer, IN 47460
www.owencounty.org
**Ph:** 812-829-5000
**Fax:** 812-829-5004

In west-central IN, northwest of Bloomington; established Dec 21, 1818 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. Abraham Owen (?-1811), killed in the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 387.94 (land 385.29; water 2.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.

**Pop 2010:** 21,575. **State rank:** 1703. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 22,823 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,581; median household $44,285; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,820 - $28,994.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PARKE COUNTY**
116 W High St, Rm 204
Rockville, IN 47872
www.parkecounty.com
**Ph:** 765-569-5132
**Fax:** 765-569-4222

In west-central IN, north of Terre Haute; organized Jan 9, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Parke (1777-1835), attorney general of IN Territory (1804-08), IN legislator, and judge of the U.S. District Court of IN (1817-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 449.98 (land 444.66; water 5.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.

**Pop 2010:** 17,339. **State rank:** 1968. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,362 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,494; median household $40,512; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,163 - $27,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PERRY COUNTY**
2219 Payne St
Tell City, IN 47586
www.perrycountyin.org
**Ph:** 812-547-3741
**Fax:** 812-547-9782

On the south-central border of IN; organized Sept 7, 1814 (prior to statehood) from Harrison and Warrick counties. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 386.68 (land 381.73; water 4.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.7.

**Pop 2010:** 19,338. **State rank:** 1870. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,032 (White 96.0%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Perry County (cont'd)

American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,806; median household $45,108; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,685 - $29,466.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PIKE COUNTY

801 Main St
Petersburg, IN 47567
www.pikecountyin.org

**Ph:** 812-354-6025
**Fax:** 812-354-6369

In southwestern IN, northeast of Evansville; established Dec 21, 1816 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 339.15 (land 334.24; water 4.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,845. **State rank:** 2275. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 12,766 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,005; median household $41,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,107 - $30,116.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PORTER COUNTY

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Valparaiso, IN 46383
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**Fax:** 219-465-3592

On the northwestern border of IN, east of Gary, bordered on north by Lake Michigan; established 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Commodore David Porter (1780-1843), naval hero in the War of 1812 and U.S. minister to Turkey (1839).

**Area (sq mi):** 521.65 (land 418.15; water 103.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 393.

**Pop 2010:** 164,343. **State rank:** 371. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 157,772 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 8.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,922; median household $60,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,491 - $40,544.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portage (36,828); Valparaiso 🏛 (31,730); Chesterton (13,068).

### POSEY COUNTY

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Mount Vernon, IN 47620

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In the southwestern corner of IN, west of Evansville; organized Sept 7, 1814 (prior to statehood) from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Posey (1750-1818), officer in the American Revolution, LA legislator (1805-06), U.S. senator from LA (1812-13), and IN territorial governor (1813-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 420.52 (land 409.57; water 10.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,910. **State rank:** 1550. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 26,852 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,727; median household $57,530; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,977 - $38,398.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PULASKI COUNTY

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Winamac, IN 46996

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**Fax:** 574-946-4953

In northwestern IN, southwest of South Bend; established Feb 7, 1835 from Cass County. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.54 (land 433.65; water 0.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,402. **State rank:** 2186. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,783 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,491; median household $44,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,264 - $33,295.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PUTNAM COUNTY

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Greencastle, IN 46135
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**Fax:** 765-653-5992

In west-central IN, west of Indianapolis; established Dec 31, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 482.80 (land 480.53; water 2.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.

**Pop 2010:** 37,963. **State rank:** 1242. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 36,957 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,441; median household $48,992; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Putnam County (cont'd)

$28,489 - $28,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greencastle (10,326).

### RANDOLPH COUNTY

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On the east-central border of IN, east of Muncie; organized Jan 10, 1818 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** For either Thomas Randolph (?-1811), attorney-general of IN Territory killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe, or for Randolph County, NC, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 452.77 (land 452.38; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.9.

**Pop 2010:** 26,171. **State rank:** 1567. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 26,684 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,552; median household $40,990; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,151 - $30,927.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RIPLEY COUNTY

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In southeastern IN, east of Columbus; established Dec 27, 1816 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Eleazar Wheelock Ripley (1782-1839), officer in the War of 1812, MA legislator, and U.S. representative from LA (1835-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 447.98 (land 446.43; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 64.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,818. **State rank:** 1506. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 27,710 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,025; median household $48,093; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,727 - $29,370.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RUSH COUNTY

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Rushville, IN 46173
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In east-central IN, southeast of Indianapolis; established Dec 31, 1821 from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Rush (1745-1813), surgeon general in the Continental Army and a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 408.46 (land 408.12; water 0.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,392. **State rank:** 1953. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 17,823 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,215; median household $46,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,545 - $35,196.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT JOSEPH COUNTY

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On the central northern border of IN; organized Jan 29, 1830 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Saint Joseph River, which runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 461.48 (land 457.85; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 583.

**Pop 2010:** 266,931. **State rank:** 239. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 266,160 (White 78.7%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 1.9%; Others 7.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,082; median household $44,644; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,893 - $33,322.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** South Bend (101,168); Mishawaka (48,252); Granger (30,465); Westfield (30,068).

### SCOTT COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of IN, north of Louisville, KY; organized Jan 12, 1820 from Clark and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Charles Scott (1739-1813), an officer in the Revolutionary War; governor of KY (1808-12).

**Area (sq mi):** 192.74 (land 190.40; water 2.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 127.

**Pop 2010:** 24,181. **State rank:** 1641. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 23,820 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,414; median household $39,588; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,611 - $26,819.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Goshen (31,719).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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In central IN, southeast of Indianapolis; established Dec 31, 1821 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and first governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 411.62 (land 411.15; water 0.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.1.

**Pop 2010:** 44,436. **State rank:** 1063. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 43,766 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,398; median household $52,292; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,132 - $33,712.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marion (29,948); Shelbyville 🏛 (19,191).

**SPENCER COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of IN, east of Evansville; organized Jan 10, 1818 from Warrick County. **Name Origin:** For Captain Spier (Spear?) Spencer (?-1811), a KY officer killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 399.29 (land 396.74; water 2.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.8.

**Pop 2010:** 20,952. **State rank:** 1814. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,528 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,609; median household $52,105; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,257 - $32,801.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STARKE COUNTY**
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Knox, IN 46534
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In northwestern IN, southwest of South Bend; established Feb 7, 1835 from Marshall County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Stark (1728-1822), an officer in the French and Indian Wars and the American Revolution; no reason known why spelling was altered.

**Area (sq mi):** 312.13 (land 309.13; water 3). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,363. **State rank:** 1644. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 22,933 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,991; median household $37,480; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,461 - $25,311.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STEUBEN COUNTY**
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In the northeastern corner of IN; established Feb 7, 1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Friedrich Wilhelm, Baron von Steuben (1730-94), Prussian soldier named inspector general of the U.S. Continental Army (1778).

**Area (sq mi):** 322.70 (land 308.94; water 13.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 110.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,185. **State rank:** 1325. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 33,773 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,950; median household $47,479; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,856 - $29,246.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Fax:** 812-268-7027

On the west-central border of IN, south of Terre Haute; established Dec 30, 1816 from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Sullivan (?-1779), killed during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 453.99 (land 447.14; water 6.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.

**Pop 2010:** 21,475. **State rank:** 1753. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 21,763 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,093; median household $44,184; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,073 - $28,502.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SWITZERLAND COUNTY**
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Vevay, IN 47043
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In the southeastern corner of IN, southeast of Columbus; organized Sept 7, 1814 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the European country, named by Swiss settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 222.97 (land 220.63; water 2.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,613. **State rank:** 2451. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%;

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## Switzerland County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,718 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,214; median household $44,503; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,220 - $27,330.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TIPPECANOE COUNTY**
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In west-central IN, west of Kokomo; organized Jan 20, 1826 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For the Tippecanoe River, itself named from Potawatomi *quit-te-pe-con-nac* 'buffalo fish,' which were plentiful in the river.

**Area (sq mi):** 503.09 (land 499.81; water 3.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 345.7.

**Pop 2010:** 172,780. **State rank:** 362. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.3%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 153,875 (White 84.0%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 6.2%; Others 7.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.1%. **Median age:** 27.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,203; median household $42,632; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,861 - $29,981.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lafayette 🏛 (67,140); West Lafayette (29,596).

**TIPTON COUNTY**
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In central IN, south of Kokoma; organized Jan 15, 1844 from Hamilton County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Tipton (1786-1839), IN legislator (1819-23), and U.S. senator (1832-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 260.56 (land 260.54; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,936. **State rank:** 2045. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,385 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,499; median household $51,485; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,865 - $35,659.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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Liberty, IN 47353
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**Fax:** 765-458-5263

On the southeastern border of IN, south of Richmond; organized Jan 15, 1821 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** As an expression of belief in the federal union of the states.

**Area (sq mi):** 164.92 (land 161.22; water 3.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,516. **State rank:** 2665. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,208 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,243; median household $43,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,050 - $32,495.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VANDERBURGH COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 812-435-5963

On the southwestern border of IN; organized Jan 7, 1818 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Henry Vanderburgh, officer in the Revolutionary War and judge of the first court in the IN Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 234.64 (land 233.48; water 1.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 769.7.

**Pop 2010:** 179,703. **State rank:** 348. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 173,187 (White 86.2%; Black or African American 9.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,945; median household $42,396; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,615 - $36,794.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Evansville 🏛 (117,429); Highland (23,727).

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On the central western border of IN, north of Terre Haute; organized Jan 2, 1824 from Parke County. **Name Origin:** For the Big Vermilllion River, which runs across the northern part of the county. Shortened French literal transliteration *Vermillion Jaune* 'yellow red' of the Indian name *Osanamon*, suggesting vermilion paint, probably from the soil that colored the river.

**Area (sq mi):** 259.93 (land 256.88; water 3.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,212. **State rank:** 2022. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,562 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Vermillion County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,178; median household $41,904; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,475 - $33,175.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Highland (23,727).

### VIGO COUNTY

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On the central western border of IN, northwest of Bloomington; organized Jan 21, 1818 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Giuseppe Maria Francesco Vigo (1747-1836), also known as Col. Francis Vigo, a Mondovian-born fur trader who furnished funds and assistance to Revolutionary soldier George Rogers Clark (1752-1818).

**Area (sq mi):** 410.48 (land 403.31; water 7.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 267.4.

**Pop 2010:** 107,848. **State rank:** 549. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 102,592 (White 88.3%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,398; median household $38,508; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,759 - $30,612.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Terre Haute 🏛 (60,785).

### WABASH COUNTY

69 W Hill St
Wabash, IN 46992
www.wabashcounty.in.gov

**Ph:** 260-563-0661
**Fax:** 260-569-1352

In north-central IN, southwest of Ft. Wayne; established Feb 2, 1832 from Huntington County. **Name Origin:** For the Wabash River, which runs across the center of the county itself named from a Miami Indian word probably meaning 'pure white,' referring to a limestone bed in the river.

**Area (sq mi):** 420.33 (land 412.43; water 7.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.7.

**Pop 2010:** 32,888. **State rank:** 1357. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 33,843 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,475; median household $43,157; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,227 - $32,108.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wabash 🏛 (10,666).

### WARREN COUNTY

125 N Monroe St, Suite 11
Williamsport, IN 47993
www.warrenco.net

**Ph:** 765-762-3510
**Fax:** 765-762-7251

On the west-central border of IN, southwest of Lafayette; organized Jan 19, 1827 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War general and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 366.40 (land 364.68; water 1.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,508. **State rank:** 2549. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,785 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,670; median household $49,238; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,822 - $32,069.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 69.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WARRICK COUNTY

107 W Locust St Suite 301
Boonville, IN 47601
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**Ph:** 812-897-6120
**Fax:** 812-897-6189

On the southwestern border of IN, east of Evansville; organized Mar 9, 1813 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Jacob Warrick (1773-1811), distinguished early settler and officer who died at the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 391.61 (land 384.82; water 6.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 155.1.

**Pop 2010:** 59,689. **State rank:** 864. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 56,362 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,737; median household $62,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,467 - $40,016.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

99 Public Sq Suite 102
Salem, IN 47167
www.washingtoncounty.in.gov

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**Fax:** 812-883-8108

In south-central IN, northwest of Louisville, KY; established Dec 21, 1813 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 515.85 (land 513.73; water 2.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.

**Pop 2010:** 28,262. **State rank:** 1497. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 27,885 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,278; median household $39,722; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Washington County (cont'd)

$27,158 - $27,718.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Highland (23,727).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
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Richmond, IN 47374
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**Fax:** 765-973-9321

On the central-eastern border of IN, southeast of Muncie; established Nov 27, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War, but honored here mostly for his defeat of Miami Indian chief Little Turtle (c. 1752-1812) in the Battle of Fallen Timbers (1794).

**Area (sq mi):** 402.52 (land 401.74; water 0.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 171.5.

**Pop 2010:** 68,917. **State rank:** 773. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 69,192 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,789; median household $41,123; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,510 - $28,916.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Richmond (36,812); Franklin (23,712).

**WELLS COUNTY**
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Bluffton, IN 46714
www.wellscounty.org
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**Fax:** 260-824-6475

In northeastern IN, south of Ft. Wayne; established Feb 7, 1835 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. William Wells (1770?-1812), a white man adopted by Miami Indian Chief Little Turtle (c.1752-1812), who served with the Indians; he returned to the white men and served as Indian agent, then fought the Indians at the Battle of Tippecanoe (1811).

**Area (sq mi):** 368.54 (land 368.09; water 0.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.1.

**Pop 2010:** 27,636. **State rank:** 1502. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,085 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,169; median household $47,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,684 - $31,020.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood (49,791).

**WHITE COUNTY**
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Monticello, IN 47960
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**Ph:** 574-583-7032
**Fax:** 574-583-1532

In northwestern IN, north of Lafayette; organized Feb 1, 1834 from Carroll County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Isaac White (?-1811), killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 508.69 (land 505.13; water 3.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.8.

**Pop 2010:** 24,643. **State rank:** 1651. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 24,463 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,323; median household $45,891; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,052 - $32,346.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHITLEY COUNTY**
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Columbia City, IN 46725
www.whitleygov.com
**Ph:** 260-248-3102
**Fax:** 260-248-3137

In northeastern IN, west of Ft. Wayne, established Feb 7, 1835 from Huntington County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Whitley (1749-1813), soldier in the War of 1812 who enlisted at the age of 63.

**Area (sq mi):** 337.95 (land 335.57; water 2.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.2.

**Pop 2010:** 33,292. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 32,323 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,644; median household $52,129; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,576 - $31,750.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Area (sq mi):** 56,271.56 (land 55,869.36; water 402.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,046,355. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,966,334 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5%; Asian 1.7%; Others 5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,281; median household $48,872; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,843 - $38,039.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

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**ADAIR COUNTY**
400 Public Sq, Suite 5 **Ph:** 641-743-2546
Greenfield, IA 50849 **Fax:** 641-743-2565
www.adaircountyiowa.org

In south-central IA, east of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Cass County. **Name Origin:** For John Adair (1757-1840), governor of KY (1820-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 570.27 (land 569.27; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,682. **State rank:** 2636. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,859 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,497; median household $45,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,295 - $34,617.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ADAMS COUNTY**
PO Box 484 **Ph:** 641-322-4711
Corning, IA 50841 **Fax:** 641-322-4523
www.co.adams.ia.us

In southwestern IA, southeast of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Taylor County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 425.31 (land 423.44; water 1.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,029. **State rank:** 2903. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,264 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 0.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,549; median household $40,368; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,629 - $38,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLAMAKEE COUNTY**
110 Allamakee St **Ph:** 563-568-3318
Waukon, IA 52172 **Fax:** 563-568-6353
www.co.allamakee.ia.us

On the northeastern border of IA; county established Feb 20, 1847 from Clayton County. **Name Origin:** Combined form of an Indian trader's name, Allan Makee.

**Area (sq mi):** 658.22 (land 639.08; water 19.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.4.

**Pop 2010:** 14,330. **State rank:** 2132. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,709 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,349; median household $46,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,238 - $31,729.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**APPANOOSE COUNTY**
PO Box 400 **Ph:** 641-856-6101
Centerville, IA 52544 **Fax:** 641-856-2282
www.appanoosecounty.net

On the central-southern border of IA; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Davis County. **Name Origin:** For a respected chief of the Sac and Fox tribes, prominent in IA and KS in the 1830s and 1840s. His name means chief when a child; prince.

**Area (sq mi):** 517.39 (land 497.29; water 20.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,887. **State rank:** 2254. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,666 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.2.

## Appanoose County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,084; median household $34,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,876 - $28,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AUDUBON COUNTY**
318 Leroy St, Suite 6 **Ph:** 712-563-4275
Audubon, IA 50025 **Fax:** 712-563-4276
www.auduboncounty.com

In west-central IA, east of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Cass and Black Hawk counties. **Name Origin:** For John James Audubon (1785-1851), ornithologist and artist.

**Area (sq mi):** 443.40 (land 442.96; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,119. **State rank:** 2756. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 -5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,457 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,207; median household $42,717; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,063 - $42,428.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENTON COUNTY**
111 E 4th St PO Box 719 **Ph:** 319-472-2766
Vinton, IA 52349
www.cobentoniaus.com

In east-central IA, west of Grand Rapids; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood), from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.33 (land 716.27; water 2.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.4.

**Pop 2010:** 26,076. **State rank:** 1524. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 27,000 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,111; median household $54,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,757 - $39,066.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLACK HAWK COUNTY**
316 E 5th St **Ph:** 319-833-3012
Waterloo, IA 50703 **Fax:** 319-833-3170
www.co.black-hawk.ia.us

In east-central IA, northwest of Cedar Rapids; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Delaware County. **Name Origin:** For Black Hawk (1767-1838), famous Indian warrior and chief of the Sac and Fox tribes.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.57 (land 565.77; water 4.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 231.7.

**Pop 2010:** 131,090. **State rank:** 472. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 125,891 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 8.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,357; median household $44,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,632 - $35,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waterloo (68,406); Cedar Falls (39,260).

**BOONE COUNTY**
201 State St **Ph:** 515-433-0500
Boone, IA 50036 **Fax:** 515-432-8102
www.co.boone.ia.us

In central IA, northwest of Des Moines; established Jan 13, 1846 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Nathan Boone (1782-1863), son of Daniel; officer in the U.S. Dragoons and early explorer of IA.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.62 (land 571.57; water 2.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.

**Pop 2010:** 26,306. **State rank:** 1547. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,602 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,998; median household $49,578; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,369 - $38,313.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Boone (12,661).

**BREMER COUNTY**
415 E Bremer Ave **Ph:** 319-352-0130
Waverly, IA 50677 **Fax:** 319-352-0602
www.co.bremer.ia.us

In east-central IA, north of Waterloo; established Apr 29, 1851 from Winnebago Indian Reserve. **Name Origin:** For Frederika Bremer (1801-65), Swedish novelist, traveler, and early feminist.

**Area (sq mi):** 437.18 (land 435.48; water 1.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.7.

**Pop 2010:** 24,276. **State rank:** 1650. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 23,677 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,522; median household $55,676; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,940 - $38,490.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**BUCHANAN COUNTY**
PO Box 317
Independence, IA 50644
www.co.buchanan.ia.us
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**Fax:** 319-334-4234

In east-central IA, north of Cedar Rapids; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood), from Delaware County. **Name Origin:** For James Buchanan (1791-1868), fifteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.11 (land 571.02; water 2.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,958. **State rank:** 1771. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,019 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,437; median household $51,961; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,803 - $34,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUENA VISTA COUNTY**
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Storm Lake, IA 50588
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**Fax:** 712-749-2700

In west-central IA, northest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Sac and Clay counties. **Name Origin:** For the Mexican town in Coahuila, site of Gen. Zachary Taylor's (1784-1850; twelfth U.S. president) final victory in the Mexican War (1847); Spanish for 'good view.'

**Area (sq mi):** 580.20 (land 574.92; water 5.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,260. **State rank:** 1837. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 20,151 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 22.7%; Asian 5.6%; Others 22.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.3%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,256; median household $43,182; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,205 - $36,439.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Storm Lake (10,600).

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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Allison, IA 50602
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**Fax:** 319-267-2758

In north-central IA, norhwest of Waterloo; established Jan 15, 1851 from Buchanan and Black Hawk counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. William Orlando Butler (1791-1880), officer in the War of 1812 and Mexican-American War; U.S. representative from KY (1839-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 581.31 (land 580.13; water 1.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.6.

**Pop 2010:** 14,867. **State rank:** 2138. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 15,072 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,030; median household $47,702; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,237 - $38,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALHOUN COUNTY**
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Rockwell City, IA 50579-9142
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**Ph:** 712-297-8122
**Fax:** 712-297-5082

In central IA, west of Fort Dodge; established as Fox County Jan 15, 1851 from Greene County, name changed Jan 12, 1853. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and proponent of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.11 (land 569.97; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 9,670. **State rank:** 2452. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.4%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,443 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,049; median household $41,611; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,051 - $40,165.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
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Carroll, IA 51401
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**Ph:** 712-792-4923
**Fax:** 712-792-9423

In west-central IA, west of Ames; established Jan 15, 1851 from Guthrie County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence and U.S. senator from MD (1789-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 570.36 (land 569.44; water 0.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 20,816. **State rank:** 1780. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 21,034 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,094; median household $47,507; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,920 - $39,712.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Carroll (10,103).

**CASS COUNTY**
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Atlantic, IA 50022
www.casscountyiowa.org
**Ph:** 712-243-4570
**Fax:** 712-243-6660

In southwestern IA, east of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Pottawattamie County. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 564.95 (land 564.27; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

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## Cass County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 13,956. **State rank:** 2173. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,219 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,787; median household $40,820; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,411 - $38,621.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CEDAR COUNTY

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Tipton, IA 52772
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**Fax:** 563-886-3594

In central-eastern IA, east of Iowa City; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For the Red Cedar River that runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 581.88 (land 579.44; water 2.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,499. **State rank:** 1909. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 18,254 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,742; median household $54,321; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,714 - $38,330.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CERRO GORDO COUNTY

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In north-central IA, northeast of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Floyd County. **Name Origin:** For the city in Mexico, site of a Mexican War battle on Apr 18, 1847. Spanish 'fat hill' or 'big hill.'

**Area (sq mi):** 575.11 (land 568.31; water 6.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.7.

**Pop 2010:** 44,151. **State rank:** 1079. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 44,645 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,463; median household $44,741; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,507 - $38,555.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mason City (28,079).

### CHEROKEE COUNTY

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Cherokee, IA 51012
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In northwestern IA, northeast of Sioux City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 577.09 (land 576.91; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,072. **State rank:** 2325. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,237 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,507; median household $44,635; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,497 - $40,990.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHICKASAW COUNTY

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New Hampton, IA 50659
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In northeastern IA, north of Waterloo; esablished Jan 15, 1851 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, closely connected with the Choctaw, and of Muskhogean linguistic stock; meaning of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.22 (land 504.38; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,439. **State rank:** 2289. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,563 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,447; median household $41,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,900 - $38,409.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLARKE COUNTY

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In south-central IA, south of Des Moines, established Jan 13, 1846 from Lucas County. **Name Origin:** For James Clarke (1811-50), publisher of Burlington, IA, *Gazette* (1837), and last governor of IA Territory (1845-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 431.77 (land 431.17; water 0.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,286. **State rank:** 2504. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,161 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 10.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,271; median household $45,596; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Clarke County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,551 - $29,889.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAY COUNTY**
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Spencer, IA 51301
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In north-central IA, northwest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Henry Clay, Jr. (1807-47), son of the statesman (1777-1852); killed at the Battle of Buena Vista during the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.87 (land 567.24; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,667. **State rank:** 1987. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,897 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,398; median household $43,542; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,674 - $40,140.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spencer 🏛 (11,233).

**CLAYTON COUNTY**
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On northeastern border of IA, north of Dubuque; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Dubuque County. **Name Origin:** For John Middleton Clayton (1796-1856), U.S. senator from DE and U.S. secretary of state (1849-50).

**Area (sq mi):** 792.54 (land 778.54; water 14). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,129. **State rank:** 1939. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 18,337 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,303; median household $45,873; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,705 - $33,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLINTON COUNTY**
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Clinton, IA 52733
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On central eastern border, north of Davenport; established Dec 21,1837 (prior to statehood) from Dubuque County. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-23; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 710.13 (land 694.92; water 15.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.7.

**Pop 2010:** 49,116. **State rank:** 979. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 49,717 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,573; median household $46,170; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,590 - $36,357.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clinton 🏛 (26,885).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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In west-central IA, northeast of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Shelby County. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Crawford (1771-1834), U.S. senator from GA (1807-13), U.S. secretary of war (1815-16), and U.S. secretary of treasury (1816-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 714.82 (land 714.19; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 17,096. **State rank:** 2003. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,889 (White 82.9%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 24.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 24.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,181; median household $44,377; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,319 - $36,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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Adel, IA 50003
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In central IA, west of Des Moines; organized 1846 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For George Mifflin Dallas (1792-1864), U.S. Minister to Great Britain (1856-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 593.71 (land 588.45; water 5.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.4.

**Pop 2010:** 66,135. **State rank:** 827. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +27.8%; 2000-2005 +27.0%. **Pop 2005:** 51,762 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 2.5%; Others 6.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,051; median household $67,037; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,991 - $44,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waukee (13,790).

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On southern border of IA, west of Burlington; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Van Buren County. **Name Origin:** For Garrett Davis (1801-72), KY legislator and U.S. senator (1861-72).

**Area (sq mi):** 503.84 (land 502.19; water 1.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,753. **State rank:** 2545. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,659 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,970; median household $46,597; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,036 - $24,938.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DECATUR COUNTY**
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On central southern border of IA, south of Des Moines; organized 1846 from Appanoose County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Decatur (1779-1820), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812 and in actions against the Barbary pirates near Tripoli, who said '...may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong!'

**Area (sq mi):** 533.40 (land 531.88; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,457. **State rank:** 2569. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,605 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,195; median household $37,138; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,219 - $24,287.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DELAWARE COUNTY**
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In eastern IA, west of Dubuque; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Dubuque County. **Name Origin:** For the state, in appreciation of the services of John Middleton Clayton (1796-1856), U.S. senator from DE (1829-36; 1845-49; 1853-56) and U.S. secretary of state (1849-50).

**Area (sq mi):** 578.95 (land 577.76; water 1.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,764. **State rank:** 1952. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 18,025 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,578; median household $47,078; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,668 - $35,240.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DES MOINES COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of IA; established Sep 6, 1834 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For the Des Moines River, which runs through the southeastern part of the state. From French *des* 'of the' and *moines*, a form of the Indian tribal name *Moingona* 'river of the mounds.' French name became *Riviere des Moines* 'river of the monks,' because the area was explored by Catholic missionaries. Also spelled De Moin, De Moyen, and Demoine.

**Area (sq mi):** 429.77 (land 416.12; water 13.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 96.9.

**Pop 2010:** 40,325. **State rank:** 1139. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 40,810 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,555; median household $41,937; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,589 - $36,965.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burlington (25,663).

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On the northern border of IA; established Jan 15, 1851 from Kossuth County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Stevens Dickinson (1800-66), U.S. senator from NY (1844-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 403.24 (land 380.61; water 22.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.8.

**Pop 2010:** 16,667. **State rank:** 1985. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 16,687 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,459; median household $50,174; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,102 - $42,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DUBUQUE COUNTY**
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On the eastern border of IA, northeast of Cedar Rapids; established

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Dubuque County (cont'd)

Sep 6, 1834 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. The present boundaries were established in 1837. **Name Origin:** For Julien Dubuque (1762-1810), a French-Canadian and the first permanent white settler in Iowa (1785); he negotiated an agreement in 1788 with the Fox Indians so he could work lead mines in the IA region.

**Area (sq mi):** 616.72 (land 608.31; water 8.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 154.

**Pop 2010:** 93,653. **State rank:** 609. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 91,631 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,045; median household $48,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,714 - $36,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dubuque 🏛 (57,637).

### EMMET COUNTY

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On central northern border of IA, northwest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Kossuth and Dickinson counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert W. Emmet (1778-1803), Irish patriot executed by the English for revolutionary acts. Places were named for him during a time when leaders of rebellions were honored by Americans.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.51 (land 395.88; water 6.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.

**Pop 2010:** 10,302. **State rank:** 2411. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,534 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,371; median household $42,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,866 - $34,447.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FAYETTE COUNTY

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West Union, IA 52175
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**Fax:** 563-422-3137

In northeastern IA, northeast of Waterloo; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Clayton County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 731.33 (land 730.81; water 0.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.6.

**Pop 2010:** 20,880. **State rank:** 1808. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,298 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,566; median household $41,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,779 - $32,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FLOYD COUNTY

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Charles City, IA 50616-6279
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**Ph:** 641-228-7777
**Fax:** 641-228-7772

In north-central IA, northwest of Waterloo; established Jan 15, 1851 from Chickasaw County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. Charles Floyd (1782-1804), a member of the Lewis and Clark expedition (1803-6). He is buried on the banks of the Missouri River; his is the first recorded death and burial of a white man in IA. Some claim for William Floyd (1734-1821), a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 501.37 (land 500.63; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,303. **State rank:** 2043. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,443 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,416; median household $39,467; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,542 - $34,402.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

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**Ph:** 641-456-5626
**Fax:** 641-456-5628

In central IA, northwest of Waterloo; established Jan 15, 1851 from Chickasaw County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 582.54 (land 581.97; water 0.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.4.

**Pop 2010:** 10,680. **State rank:** 2391. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 10,732 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 11.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 11.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,507; median household $44,863; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,518 - $40,188.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FREMONT COUNTY

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Sidney, IA 51652
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**Ph:** 712-374-2232
**Fax:** 712-374-3330

On southwestern border of IA, south of Council Bluffs; established Feb 24, 1847 from Pottawattamie County. **Name Origin:** For John Charles Fremont (1813-90), soldier and explorer who led five expeditions to the West, U.S. senator from CA (1850-51), and governor of the AZ

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## Fremont County (cont'd)

Territory (1878-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 516.83 (land 511.15; water 5.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,441. **State rank:** 2638. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,759 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,612; median household $47,225; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,658 - $40,101.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

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Jefferson, IA 50129
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In central IA, west of Ames; established Jan 15, 1851 from Dallas County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 572.29 (land 569.57; water 2.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,336. **State rank:** 2489. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,963 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,947; median household $43,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,545 - $38,546.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRUNDY COUNTY

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**Fax:** 319-824-3447

In central IA, west of Waterloo; established Jan 15, 1851 from Black Hawk County. **Name Origin:** For Felix Grundy (1777-1840) of KY, U.S. senator from TN (1829-38; 1839-40) and U.S. attorney general (1838-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 501.89 (land 501.86; water 0.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.8.

**Pop 2010:** 12,453. **State rank:** 2280. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 12,329 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,916; median household $56,184; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,582 - $44,104.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GUTHRIE COUNTY

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In west-central IA, west of Des Moines, established Jan 15, 1851 from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Edwin Guthrie (?-1847), army officer from IA killed during the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 593.08 (land 590.62; water 2.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,954. **State rank:** 2365. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,547 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,590; median household $50,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,810 - $37,167.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMILTON COUNTY

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Webster City, IA 50595
www.hamiltoncounty.org

**Ph:** 515-832-9540
**Fax:** 515-832-9544

In central IA, north of Ames; established Dec 22, 1856 from Webster County. **Name Origin:** For William H. Hamilton, president of the IA senate (1856-57) at the time the county was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 577.51 (land 576.75; water 0.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,673. **State rank:** 2081. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,209 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,765; median household $46,188; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,968 - $38,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HANCOCK COUNTY

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Garner, IA 50438
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In north-central IA, west of Mason City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Wright County. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.04 (land 571.01; water 2.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,341. **State rank:** 2347. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,786 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,713; median household $47,318; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hancock County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,336 - $38,591.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDIN COUNTY

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Eldora, IA 50627
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In central IA, east of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Black Hawk County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John J. Hardin (1810-47), officer in the Black Hawk War and U.S. representative from IL (1843-45). He was killed at the Battle of Buena Vista in the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 569.99 (land 569.31; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,534. **State rank:** 1955. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 18,003 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,154; median household $44,694; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,564 - $39,643.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARRISON COUNTY

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Logan, IA 51546
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On central western border of IA, north of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Pottawattamie County. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Harrison (1773-1841), ninth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 701.05 (land 696.85; water 4.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 14,928. **State rank:** 2077. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 15,884 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,221; median household $51,303; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,769 - $37,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENRY COUNTY

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In southeastern IA, west of Burlington; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For Col. Henry Dodge (1782-1867), officer in the Black Hawk War; governor of WI Territory (1836-41; 1845-48), and U.S. senator from WI (1848-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 436.57 (land 434.33; water 2.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,145. **State rank:** 1823. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 20,246 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 2.3%; Others 3.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,056; median household $41,983; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,166 - $31,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOWARD COUNTY

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Cresco, IA 52136
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On northern border of IA, north of Waterloo; established Jan 15, 1851 from Chickasaw and Floyd counties. **Name Origin:** For Tilghman Ashurst Howard (1797-1844), TN legislator, U.S. representative from IN (1839-40), and TX patriot.

**Area (sq mi):** 473.61 (land 473.25; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 9,566. **State rank:** 2468. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,700 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,417; median household $46,068; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,172 - $35,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HUMBOLDT COUNTY

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In north-central IA, north of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Webster County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander von Humboldt (1769-1859), German explorer and naturalist.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.66 (land 434.35; water 1.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,815. **State rank:** 2466. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,973 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,568; median household $45,282; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,566 - $37,123.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In western IA, east of Sioux City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For Mt. Ida of Greek myth; either the one in Crete or the one near ancient Troy (in present-day Turkey). The name was suggested by Eliphalet Price to connect the old classic civilization of Europe with the new civilization of the plains. Other sources say the county is named for the first white child born in the community (July 19, 1856), Ida Smith, daughter of Edwin Smith, a trapper.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.03 (land 431.51; water 0.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,089. **State rank:** 2694. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,379 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,841; median household $44,521; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,489 - $45,029.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**IOWA COUNTY**
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In east-central IA, west of Iowa City; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the Iowa River.

**Area (sq mi):** 587.36 (land 586.46; water 0.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,355. **State rank:** 2049. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,055 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,721; median household $56,053; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,007 - $37,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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On central eastern border of IA, south of Dubuque; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 649.70 (land 636.04; water 13.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,848. **State rank:** 1832. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,335 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,008; median household $42,489; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,936 - $33,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JASPER COUNTY**
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In central IA, east of Des Moines; established Jan 13, 1846 from Mahaska County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. Willliam Jasper (1750-79), Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 733.36 (land 730.42; water 2.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,842. **State rank:** 1262. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 37,674 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,160; median household $46,396; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,353 - $31,772.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newton (15,254).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Fairfield, IA 52556
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In southeastern IA, east of Ottumwa; established Jan 21, 1839 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot, statesman, and third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 436.89 (land 435.51; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,843. **State rank:** 2068. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 15,972 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 8.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.4%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,853; median household $44,167; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,346 - $30,406.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
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In east-central IA, south of Cedar Rapids, established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Des Moines County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Richard Mentor Johnson (1780-1850), officer in the War of 1812, U.S. senator from KY (1819-29), and U.S. vice president (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 622.91 (land 614.04; water 8.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 213.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Johnson County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 130,882. **State rank:** 460. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 117,067 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 5.2%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 29.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,008; median household $51,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,623 - $39,607.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Iowa City 🏛 (67,862); Coralville (18,907); North Liberty (13,374).

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In eastern IA, east of Cedar Rapids, established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For George Wallace Jones (1804-96), surveyor of public lands for WI and IA territories and U.S. senator from IA (1848-59).

**Area (sq mi):** 577.01 (land 575.62; water 1.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,638. **State rank:** 1800. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 20,509 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,873; median household $47,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,567 - $30,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KEOKUK COUNTY

101 S Main St
Sigourney, IA 52591
www.keokukcountyia.com

**Ph:** 641-622-2210
**Fax:** 641-622-2171

In south-central IA, north of Ottumwa; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Keokuk (c. 1780-1848), the chief of the Sac and Fox Indians at the time the first settlers arrived. His name was originally *Kiyokaga* 'he who moves around alert.'

**Area (sq mi):** 579.93 (land 579.18; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,511. **State rank:** 2388. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.8%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,157 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,088; median household $42,698; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,388 - $32,770.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KOSSUTH COUNTY

114 W State St
Algona, IA 50511
www.co.kossuth.ia.us

**Ph:** 515-295-2718
**Fax:** 515-295-3071

On central northern border of IA, north of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Webster County. **Name Origin:** For Lajos Kossuth (1802-94), Hungarian resistance leader against Austrian domination who was enthusiastically acclaimed on a visit to the U.S. Named at a time when revolutionaries were celebrated in the U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 974.10 (land 972.72; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.

**Pop 2010:** 15,543. **State rank:** 2084. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,142 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,415; median household $48,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,602 - $46,163.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEE COUNTY

933 Ave H PO Box 488
Fort Madison, IA 52627
www.leecounty.org

**Ph:** 319-372-6557
**Fax:** 319-372-8200

On southeasternmost border of IA; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Des Moines County. **Name Origin:** Probably for Albert Miller Lea (1807-90), a surveyor of the Des Moines River who mapped the Iowa District, or for Charles Lee, an official of the New York Land Company, which had extensive landholdings in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 538.89 (land 517.52; water 21.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.3.

**Pop 2010:** 35,862. **State rank:** 1278. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 36,705 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,324; median household $42,444; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,667 - $31,367.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Madison 🏛 (11,051); Keokuk (10,780).

### LINN COUNTY

930 1st St SW
Cedar Rapids, IA 52404
www.linncounty.org

**Ph:** 319-892-5005
**Fax:** 319-892-5009

In east-central IA, north of Iowa City; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Fields Linn (1795-1843), U.S. senator from MO (1833-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 723.98 (land 716.88; water 7.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 294.6.

**Pop 2010:** 211,226. **State rank:** 294. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 198,903 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 36.5.

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## Linn County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,239; median household $53,674; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,948 - $41,062.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cedar Rapids (126,326); Marion (34,768).

**LOUISA COUNTY**
117 S Main St PO Box 268 **Ph:** 319-523-4541
Wapello, IA 52653-3026 **Fax:** 319-523-4542
www.louisacountyiowa.org

On southeastern border of IA, north of Burlington; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Des Moines County. **Name Origin:** For Louisa Massey, pioneer heroine who shot and wounded her brother's murderer. Some sources claim Louisa, queen of Denmark (1724-51), youngest daughter of George II of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.50 (land 401.77; water 15.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,387. **State rank:** 2334. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,842 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 15.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 15.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,367; median household $50,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,174 - $32,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LUCAS COUNTY**
916 Braden Ave **Ph:** 641-774-4421
Chariton, IA 50049 **Fax:** 641-774-8669
www.iowa.gov

In south-central IA, southeast of Des Moines; established Jan 13, 1846 from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert Lucas (1781-1853), governor of OH (1832-36) and first territorial governor of IA (1838-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 434.22 (land 430.59; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,898. **State rank:** 2495. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.0%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,672 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,967; median household $43,005; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,377 - $27,635.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LYON COUNTY**
206 S 2nd Ave **Ph:** 712-472-2623
Rock Rapids, IA 51246 **Fax:** 712-472-2422
www.lyoncountyiowa.com

On northwestern border of IA; established as Buncombe County Jan 15, 1851 from Woodbury County; name changed Sep 11, 1862. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathaniel Lyon (1818-61), Union commander in the Civil War who helped preserve MO for the Union when it seemed likely to join the Confederacy. He was killed leading the First Iowa Infantry at the Battle of Wilson Creek, MO.

**Area (sq mi):** 587.78 (land 587.65; water 0.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,581. **State rank:** 2341. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,750 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,613; median household $49,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,019 - $37,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
112 N John Wayne Dr **Ph:** 515-462-4451
Winterset, IA 50273 **Fax:** 515-462-9825
www.madisoncounty.com

In south-central IA, southwest of Des Moines; established Feb 14, 1844 (prior to statehood) from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 562.17 (land 561.01; water 1.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,679. **State rank:** 2072. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 15,158 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,711; median household $53,183; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,274 - $35,611.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MAHASKA COUNTY**
Mahaska Courthouse, 106 S 1st St, 2nd Fl **Ph:** 641-673-7786
Oskaloosa, IA 52577 **Fax:** 641-672-1256
www.mahaskacounty.org

In south-central IA, northwest of Ottumwa; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Mahaska (1784-1834), a chief of the Iowa tribe, whose name means 'white cloud.' the county seat was named for one of his wives.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.39 (land 570.86; water 2.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,381. **State rank:** 1719. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 22,364 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Income 2007:** per capita $21,568; median household $45,025; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,257 - $33,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oskaloosa 🏛 (11,463).

**MARION COUNTY**
214 E Main St PO Box 497
Knoxville, IA 50138
www.redrockarea.com

**Ph:** 641-828-2207
**Fax:** 641-828-7580

In south-central IA, southeast of Des Moines; established Jun 10, 1845 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as 'The Swamp Fox' for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.85 (land 554.53; water 16.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.1.

**Pop 2010:** 33,309. **State rank:** 1354. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 32,984 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,613; median household $53,370; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,932 - $32,851.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pella (10,352).

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
1 E Main St 3rd Fl
Marshalltown, IA 50158
www.co.marshall.ia.us

**Ph:** 641-754-1604
**Fax:** 641-754-6349

In central IA, east of Ames; established Jan 13, 1846 from Jasper County. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 573.20 (land 572.50; water 0.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.

**Pop 2010:** 40,648. **State rank:** 1183. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 39,418 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 17.3%; Asian 1.3%; Others 17.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,407; median household $45,232; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,414 - $34,645.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marshalltown 🏛 (27,552).

**MILLS COUNTY**
418 Sharp St County Courthouse
Glenwood, IA 51534
www.millscoia.us

**Ph:** 712-527-4880
**Fax:** 712-527-4936

On southwestern border of IA, south of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Pottawattamie County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Frederick D. Mills (?-1847), IA officer killed at San Antonio Garita during the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 440.57 (land 437.44; water 3.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,059. **State rank:** 2096. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 15,284 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,400; median household $59,481; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,596 - $42,832.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MITCHELL COUNTY**
508 State St
Osage, IA 50461
www.mitchellcoia.us

**Ph:** 641-832-3946
**Fax:** 641-732-5218

On the central northern border of IA, northeast of Mason City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Chickasaw County. **Name Origin:** Named by Irish settlers for John Mitchel (1815-75), Irish journalist and nationalist who was imprisoned for helping to lead revolt against Britain and escaped to the U.S. in 1853.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.60 (land 469.13; water 0.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.

**Pop 2010:** 10,776. **State rank:** 2371. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,919 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,820; median household $48,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,850 - $38,334.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONONA COUNTY**
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Onawa, IA 51040
www.mononacountypublichealth.org

**Ph:** 712-423-2491
**Fax:** 712-423-2744

On central western border of IA, south of Sioux City; established in Jan 15, 1851 from Harrison County. **Name Origin:** Possibly the name of a legendary Indian girl who leaped into the Mississippi River when she believed that her lover had been killed; or the name of an Indian divinity; or Ottawa for 'beautiful land.'

**Area (sq mi):** 699.80 (land 694.07; water 5.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,243. **State rank:** 2523. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,520 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,774; median household $41,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,186 - $37,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

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## Monona County (cont'd)

30.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
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Albia, IA 52531
www.monroecoia.us

**Ph:** 641-932-2427
**Fax:** 641-932-3245

In south-central IA, west of Ottumwa; established as Kishkekosh County Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Wapello County. Name changed Jan 19, 1846. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.42 (land 433.72; water 0.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,970. **State rank:** 2619. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,835 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,228; median household $43,245; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,929 - $34,411.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
105 E Coolbaugh St PO Box 469
Red Oak, IA 51566
www.montgomerycountyiowa.com

**Ph:** 712-623-5127
**Fax:** 712-623-2346

In southwestern IA, southeast of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 425.03 (land 424.10; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,740. **State rank:** 2368. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,313 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,301; median household $38,624; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,796 - $34,768.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MUSCATINE COUNTY**
401 E 3rd St
Muscatine, IA 52761
www.co.muscatine.ia.us

**Ph:** 563-263-6511
**Fax:** 563-264-3622

On eastern border of IA, west of Davenport; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Des Moines County. **Name Origin:** Variant name for the Mascouten tribe of the Potawatomie Indians. Meaning of the name is uncertain, but locally believed to be 'burning island.'

**Area (sq mi):** 447.87 (land 437.47; water 10.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.7.

**Pop 2010:** 42,745. **State rank:** 1095. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,756 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 15.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 15.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,138; median household $51,025; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,920 - $36,100.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Muscatine (22,886).

**O'BRIEN COUNTY**
PO Box 340
Primghar, IA 51245
www.obriencounty.com

**Ph:** 712-957-3045
**Fax:** 712-957-3046

In northwestern IA; established Jan 15, 1851 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For William Smith O'Brien (1803-64), leader of the Irish rebellion of 1848.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.21 (land 573.04; water 0.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,398. **State rank:** 2159. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,414 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,771; median household $44,018; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,456 - $39,414.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OSCEOLA COUNTY**
300 7th St
Sibley, IA 51249
www.osceolacountyia.com

**Ph:** 712-754-2241
**Fax:** 712-754-3743

On the northwestern border of IA; established Jan 15, 1851 from Woodbury County. **Name Origin:** For Osceola (c. 1804-38), Seminole leader during the early years of the Second Seminole War (1835-37). Name, also spelled *Ashi Vaholo Yahola*, means 'black drink hallower.'

**Area (sq mi):** 399.39 (land 398.68; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,462. **State rank:** 2725. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,694 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,063; median household $43,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,461 - $39,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**PAGE COUNTY**
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Clarinda, IA 51632
www.co.page.ia.us
**Ph:** 712-542-3214
**Fax:** 712-542-5460

On southwestern border of IA; established Feb 14, 1847 from Pottawattamie County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. John Page (?-1846), killed at the Battle of Palo Alto during the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 535.46 (land 534.94; water 0.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,932. **State rank:** 2080. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,253 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,204; median household $40,778; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,280 - $31,973.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PALO ALTO COUNTY**
1010 Bdwy St PO Box 387
Emmetsburg, IA 50536
www.paloaltoiowa.com
**Ph:** 712-852-3603
**Fax:** 712-852-2274

In north-central IA, northwest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Kossuth County. **Name Origin:** From Spanish *palo* 'stick,' and *alto* 'tall' or 'high.' For a small town in Texas, the scene of the first battle (1846) of the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 569.41 (land 563.84; water 5.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,421. **State rank:** 2483. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,697 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,071; median household $42,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,943 - $38,038.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PLYMOUTH COUNTY**
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Le Mars, IA 51031
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On northwestern border of IA, north of Sioux City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Woodbury County. **Name Origin:** For Plymouth, Devonshire, England, from which the Mayflower sailed for America in 1620, or to honor Plymouth, MA, the landing site of the pilgrims.

**Area (sq mi):** 863.28 (land 862.89; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.

**Pop 2010:** 24,986. **State rank:** 1618. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,958 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,060; median household $56,379; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,198 - $41,237.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POCAHONTAS COUNTY**
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Pocahontas, IA 50574
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**Fax:** 712-335-4482

In north-central IA, northwest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Humboldt and Greene counties. **Name Origin:** For Pocahontas (Matoaka c. 1595-1617), daughter of chief Powhatan, who prevented the execution of Capt. John Smith (c. 1580-1631).

**Area (sq mi):** 578.66 (land 577.24; water 1.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,310. **State rank:** 2637. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 -8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 7,930 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,385; median household $42,105; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,660 - $39,776.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POLK COUNTY**
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Des Moines, IA 50309
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**Ph:** 515-286-3000
**Fax:** 515-323-5250

In south-central IA, south of Ames; established Jan 17, 1846 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 596.35 (land 573.80; water 22.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 750.5.

**Pop 2010:** 430,640. **State rank:** 154. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 401,006 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 3.5%; Others 7.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,246; median household $56,094; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,190 - $42,712.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 38 for cities).

**POTTAWATTAMIE COUNTY**
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Council Bluffs, IA 51502
www.pottcounty.com
**Ph:** 712-328-5604

On southwestern border of IA; established Jan 15, 1848 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Potawatomie Indian tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock; name means 'people of the place of fire.'

**Area (sq mi):** 955.96 (land 950.28; water 5.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.

**Pop 2010:** 93,158. **State rank:** 623. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%;

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2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 89,738 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,782; median household $48,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,454 - $35,864.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Council Bluffs (62,230).

**POWESHIEK COUNTY**
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In central IA, east of Iowa City; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Keokuk, Iowa, Johnson, and Mahaska counties. **Name Origin:** For a Sac and Fox chief, properly *Pawishika* 'he who shakes (something off himself).' He was chief during the Black Hawk War (1832); on behalf of his tribe he signed the Treaty of Fort Armstrong at Rock Island, IL.

**Area (sq mi):** 586.07 (land 584.93; water 1.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,914. **State rank:** 1890. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,925 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,218; median household $50,998; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,486 - $37,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RINGGOLD COUNTY**
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Mount Ayr, IA 50854-4164
www.ringgoldcounty.us
**Ph:** 641-464-3234
**Fax:** 641-464-2478

On central-southern border of IA, southwest of Des Moines; established Feb 24, 1847 from Taylor County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Samuel Ringgold (1800-1846), officer in the Seminole War and the Mexican-American War, he died at the Battle of Palo Alto.

**Area (sq mi):** 536.76 (land 535.50; water 1.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,131. **State rank:** 2833. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,273 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,858; median household $42,336; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,951 - $28,808.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAC COUNTY**
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Sac City, IA 50583
www.saccounty.org
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**Fax:** 712-662-7978

In west-central IA, southwest of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** An Indian tribal name meaning 'outlet.' Also spelled *Sauk*.

**Area (sq mi):** 577.57 (land 575.01; water 2.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.

**Pop 2010:** 10,350. **State rank:** 2428. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,621 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,837; median household $42,986; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,079 - $41,484.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTT COUNTY**
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Davenport, IA 52801
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**Fax:** 563-326-8298

On central eastern border of IA; established Dec 21, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Winfield Scott (1786-1866), officer in the War of 1812 and the Mexican-American War; general in chief of the U.S. Army (1841-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 468.33 (land 458.09; water 10.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 360.7.

**Pop 2010:** 165,224. **State rank:** 366. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 160,998 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,408; median household $49,964; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,436 - $43,874.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Davenport (99,685); Bettendorf (33,217).

**SHELBY COUNTY**
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Harlan, IA 51537
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**Fax:** 712-755-2667

In western IA, northeast of Council Bluffs; established Jan 15, 1851 from Cass County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 591.32 (land 590.78; water 0.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,167. **State rank:** 2295. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,634 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,389; median household $44,085; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,537 - $41,290.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SIOUX COUNTY

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Orange City, IA 51041
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**Fax:** 712-737-8908

On the northwestern border of IA, north of Sioux City, established Jan 13, 1851 from Plymouth County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, sometimes known as the Dakotas. Name is French form of Ojibway *nadouessioux* 'snakes' or 'enemies.'

**Area (sq mi):** 769.03 (land 768.33; water 0.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.9.

**Pop 2010:** 33,704. **State rank:** 1367. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 32,277 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 8.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,333; median household $51,557; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,909 - $37,520.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STORY COUNTY

1315 South B Ave
Nevada, IA 50201
www.storycounty.com

**Ph:** 515-382-7410

In central IA, north of Des Moines; established Jan 13, 1846 from Jasper, Polk, and Boone counties. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Story (1779-1845), MA legislator and associate justice of the Supreme Court (1811-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 573.66 (land 572.82; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 156.3.

**Pop 2010:** 89,542. **State rank:** 644. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 79,952 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 6.0%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.1%. **Median age:** 26.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,450; median household $48,248; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,876 - $35,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ames (58,965).

### TAMA COUNTY

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**Fax:** 641-484-5127

In central IA, west of Cedar Rapids; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Boone and Benton counties. **Name Origin:** For either a Fox Indian chief or for the wife of Chief Poweshiek. Meaning is uncertain; has been interpreted as 'beautiful,' 'lovely' or 'pleasant' when referring to a woman, or 'a bear with a voice that makes the rocks tremble' when applied to a man. A nearby Mesquaki Indian suggested that the name derives from *tewaime*, associated with the sound of thunder.

**Area (sq mi):** 722.08 (land 721.01; water 1.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,767. **State rank:** 1943. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,919 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.4%, including 7.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,041; median household $46,288; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,963 - $35,046.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TAYLOR COUNTY

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Bedford, IA 50833

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**Fax:** 712-523-2936

On southern border of IA; established Feb 24, 1847 from Page County. **Name Origin:** For Zachary Taylor (1784-1850), twelfth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 532.77 (land 531.90; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,317. **State rank:** 2725. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,614 (White 96.1%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,335; median household $40,300; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,029 - $36,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### UNION COUNTY

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Creston, IA 50801
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In south-central IA, southwest of Des Moines; established Jan 15, 1851 from Clarke County. **Name Origin:** Probably for the union of the states.

**Area (sq mi):** 425.22 (land 423.65; water 1.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,534. **State rank:** 2277. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,972 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,435; median household $40,879; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,464 - $32,578.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the southeastern border of IA, west of Burlington; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Des Moines County. **Name Origin:** For Martin Van Buren (1782-1862), eighth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 490.52 (land 484.79; water 5.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,570. **State rank:** 2611. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,786 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,209; median household $40,073; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,351 - $27,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAPELLO COUNTY**
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Ottumwa, IA 52501
www.wapellocounty.org
**Ph:** 641-683-0060
**Fax:** 641-683-0064

In south-central IA; established Feb 17, 1843 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Wapello (1787-1842), a Fox Indian chief who figured prominently in the signing of several treaties. Variously translated as 'light,' 'dawn,' and 'he of the morning.' It may be just a birth-time designation, for which the last translation would be correct.

**Area (sq mi):** 436 (land 431.83; water 4.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.5.

**Pop 2010:** 35,625. **State rank:** 1283. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 35,965 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 9.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,376; median household $40,093; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,728 - $30,591.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ottumwa (25,023).

**WARREN COUNTY**
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In south-central IA, south of Des Moines; established Jan 13, 1846 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who sent Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.39 (land 569.83; water 1.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.1.

**Pop 2010:** 46,225. **State rank:** 1047. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 42,981 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,798; median household $62,034; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,090 - $38,315.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Indianola (14,782).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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In southeastern IA, south of Iowa City; established Jan 16, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Wisconsin Territory. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-1799), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.90 (land 568.84; water 2.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,704. **State rank:** 1749. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 21,457 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,979; median household $50,710; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,759 - $37,480.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 641-872-2431

On the central southern border of IA; established Jan 16, 1846 from Appanoose County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 526.92 (land 525.44; water 1.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,403. **State rank:** 2735. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,601 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,795; median household $35,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,185 - $27,395.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEBSTER COUNTY**
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Fort Dodge, IA 50501
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**Fax:** 515-574-3714

In central IA, northwest of Ames; established Jan 12, 1853 from Yell and Risley counties, both of which were organized in 1851 and abolished in 1853. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Webster County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 718.44 (land 715.62; water 2.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 38,013. **State rank:** 1205. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 39,003 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,653; median household $40,806; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,900 - $34,663.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Dodge 🏛 (25,206).

**WINNEBAGO COUNTY**
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Forest City, IA 50436
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On the central northern border of IA, northwest of Mason City; established Feb 20, 1847 from Kossuth County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Siouan linguistic stock; their name is thought to mean 'fish eaters.'

**Area (sq mi):** 401.59 (land 400.49; water 1.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,866. **State rank:** 2385. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,351 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,684; median household $41,871; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,721 - $33,672.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINNESHIEK COUNTY**
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Decorah, IA 52101
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On the central northern border of IA, northwest of Mason City; established Feb 20, 1847 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the younger (1812-72?) of two chiefs of the Winnebago tribe with the same name; he took part in the Black Hawk War. Name probably formed from *Winne* for Winnebago and *shiek* leader.

**Area (sq mi):** 690.14 (land 689.87; water 0.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,056. **State rank:** 1785. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,234 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,608; median household $50,693; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,409 - $36,759.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOODBURY COUNTY**
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On the western border of IA; established Jan 15, 1851 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Levi Woodbury (1789-1851), governor of NH (1823-24), U.S. senator (1825-31; 1841-45), U.S. secretary of the navy (1831-34), U.S. secretary of the treasury (1834-41), and U.S. Supreme Court Justice (1845-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 877.62 (land 872.83; water 4.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 117.1.

**Pop 2010:** 102,172. **State rank:** 561. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 102,605 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.7%; Asian 2.4%; Others 13.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,069; median household $44,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,428 - $34,081.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sioux City 🏛 (82,684).

**WORTH COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of IA, north of Mason City; established Jan 15, 1851 from Mitchell County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Jenkins Worth (1794-1849), officer in the War of 1812, Seminole War, and Mexican-American War; cited by Congress for bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 401.83 (land 400.12; water 1.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.

**Pop 2010:** 7,598. **State rank:** 2621. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,768 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,240; median household $49,673; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,934 - $35,204.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WRIGHT COUNTY**
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In north-central IA, northeast of Fort Dodge; established Jan 15, 1851 from Webster County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Albert Wright (1810-67), IN legislator, governor (1849-57) and U.S. senator (1862-63). Also for Silas Wright (1795-1847), U.S. senator from NY (1833-44) and governor (1844-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 582.24 (land 580.42; water 1.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,229. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,647 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 9.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%.

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## Wright County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,068; median household $44,035; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,333 - $41,032.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

*Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.

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**Area (sq mi):** 82,276.84 (land 81,814.88; water 461.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,853,118. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,744,687 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 10.5%; Asian 2.4%; Others 10.5%, including 1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,737; median household $49,424; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.40%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,663 - $38,977.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.6%.

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**ALLEN COUNTY**
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In southeastern KS, southeast of Emporia; original county; organized Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For William Allen (1803-79), U.S. senator from OH (1837-49) and governor (1874-76).

**Area (sq mi):** 502.48 (land 500.30; water 2.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.7.

**Pop 2010:** 13,371. **State rank:** 2220. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,787 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.9%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,195; median household $41,546; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,566 - $32,958.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In eastern KS, southeast of Emporia; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Joseph C. Anderson, a member of the first KS territorial legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 581.03 (land 579.65; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.

**Pop 2010:** 8,102. **State rank:** 2602. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,182 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,558; median household $40,428; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,250 - $30,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ATCHISON COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of KS, northwest of Kansas City; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the town of Atchison, which was named for David Rice Atchison (1807-86), MO statesman and U.S. senator (1843-55).

**Area (sq mi):** 433.87 (land 431.17; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,924. **State rank:** 2004. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,804 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,995; median household $44,175; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,237 - $28,893.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Atchison (11,021).

**BARBER COUNTY**
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On the central-southern border of KS, southwest of Wichita; organized as Barbour County Feb 26, 1867 from Harper County; spelling changed Mar 1, 1883. **Name Origin:** As a memorial to Thomas W. Barber (?-1855), a Free State martyr, murdered near Lawrence, KS.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,136.17 (land 1,134.07; water 2.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,861. **State rank:** 2854. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,958 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%.

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## Barber County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,542; median household $38,875; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,847 - $34,327.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In central KS, southwest of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Ellsworth County. **Name Origin:** For Clara Barton (1821-1912), Civil War nurse and first president (1881) of the American Red Cross. The only KS county named for a woman.

**Area (sq mi):** 901.86 (land 895.40; water 6.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 27,674. **State rank:** 1505. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,105 (White 88.8%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 13.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,688; median household $43,763; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,639 - $35,823.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Great Bend (15,995).

**BOURBON COUNTY**
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On the southeastern border of KS; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Bourbon County, KY, former home of Samuel A. Willliams, a member of the first KS legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.20 (land 635.47; water 1.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,173. **State rank:** 2102. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 14,997 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.0%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,596; median household $38,045; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,443 - $30,135.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROWN COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of KS, west of Saint Joseph; original county; organized Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For either Orville H. Browne, a member of the 1855 KS territorial legislature, or for Albert Gallatin Browne (1813-80), governor of MS (1844-48). The *e* was dropped in 1857 when the county was named.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.39 (land 570.87; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,984. **State rank:** 2436. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,239 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 9.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,555; median household $37,525; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,938 - $35,709.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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In east-central KS, east of Wichita; original county, organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Andrew Pickens Butler (1796-1857), SC legislator; jurist, and U.S. senator (1846-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,448.43 (land 1,429.86; water 18.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.1.

**Pop 2010:** 65,880. **State rank:** 802. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 62,354 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.9%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,436; median household $56,290; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,430 - $36,026.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Prairie Village (21,447); El Dorado (13,021); Andover (11,791).

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In east-central KS, west of Emporia; organized Feb 11, 1859 (prior to statehood) from Butler County. **Name Origin:** For Salmon Portland Chase (1808-73), U.S. senator from OH (1849-53), governor of OH (1855-59), and chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1864-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 775.18 (land 773.06; water 2.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,790. **State rank:** 2984. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,081 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Chase County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,890; median household $40,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,843 - $49,841.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

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On the southern border of KS, west of Joplin, MO; organized Mar 3, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Howard County, which was organized in 1855 (named Godfrey and changed to Seward in 1867) and abolished at the time of its division into Chautauqua and Elk counties. **Name Origin:** For Chautauqua County, NY, former home of many settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 642.02 (land 638.88; water 3.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,669. **State rank:** 2915. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.7%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,109 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,613; median household $35,848; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,518 - $35,301.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHEROKEE COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of KS, west of Joplin, MO; organized as McGee County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.' Originally for A.M. McGee, a noted proslavery leader.

**Area (sq mi):** 591.42 (land 587.57; water 3.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 21,603. **State rank:** 1758. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 21,555 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 4.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,075; median household $38,154; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,584 - $33,138.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHEYENNE COUNTY

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On northwestern border of KS; organized Mar 20, 1873 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** For the Cheyenne Indians, a Dakota tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock; name means 'red talkers.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,020.84 (land 1,019.89; water 0.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 2,726. **State rank:** 2991. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.5%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,946 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 50.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,460; median household $31,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,941 - $34,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLARK COUNTY

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On the central southern border of KS, south of Dodge City; first established Feb 16, 1867; abolished in 1883; recreated in 1885. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Charles F. Clarke (?-1862), Union officer in the Civil War. The *e* was dropped in naming the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 977.15 (land 974.63; water 2.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,215. **State rank:** 3038. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,283 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 7.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,605; median household $37,931; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,829 - $32,779.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In north-central KS, west of Manhattan; original county, organized Feb 27, 1857 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the 'Great Pacificator' for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 656.90 (land 645.30; water 11.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,535. **State rank:** 2536. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,629 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,858; median household $42,490; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Clay County (cont'd)

$37,964 - $43,072.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLOUD COUNTY**
811 Washington St
Concordia, KS 66901
www.cloudcountyks.org
**Ph:** 785-243-8110
**Fax:** 785-243-8123

In north-central KS, north of Salina; organized as Shirley County Feb 27, 1860 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory; name changed Feb 26, 1867. **Name Origin:** Named by John B. Rupe, a county representative, for William F. Cloud, an officer in the Kansas Volunteers. Originally named as a joke for Jane Shirley, 'a notorious Leavenworth prostitute' known 'to all the boys.'

**Area (sq mi):** 718.18 (land 715.34; water 2.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,533. **State rank:** 2485. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,759 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,690; median household $35,838; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,443 - $32,443.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COFFEY COUNTY**
110 S 6th St
Burlington, KS 66839
www.coffeycountyks.org
**Ph:** 620-364-2191
**Fax:** 620-364-8975

In eastern KS, east of Emporia; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Kiowa County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Asbury M. Coffey, a Confederate officer and settler from MO; first known white man in KS; served as a member of the Bogus Legislature in 1855.

**Area (sq mi):** 651.77 (land 626.95; water 24.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,601. **State rank:** 2552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,683 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,744; median household $47,171; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,365 - $43,279.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COMANCHE COUNTY**
201 S New York PO Box 268
Coldwater, KS 67029
www.comanchecounty.com
**Ph:** 620-582-2993
**Fax:** 620-582-2426

On the central southern border of KS, southeast of Dodge City; organized Feb 26, 1875 from Kiowa County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Shoshoean linguistic stock; the meaning of the name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 789.69 (land 788.30; water 1.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,891. **State rank:** 3054. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,935 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,974; median household $34,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,254 - $33,025.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 10 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COWLEY COUNTY**
311 E 9th Ave Suite 216
Winfield, KS 67156
www.cowleycounty.org
**Ph:** 620-221-5400
**Fax:** 620-221-5498

On the southern border of KS, southeast of Wichita; organized Feb 13, 1867. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Matthew Cowley (?-1864), a Union officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,132.12 (land 1,125.75; water 6.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.3.

**Pop 2010:** 36,311. **State rank:** 1322. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 35,298 (White 86.2%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 9.1%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,720; median household $40,749; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,471 - $30,359.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Arkansas City (12,415); Winfield (12,301).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
PO Box 249
Girard, KS 66743
www.crawfordcountykansas.org
**Ph:** 620-724-6115
**Fax:** 620-724-6007

On the southeastern border of KS; organized Feb 13, 1867 from Bourbon and Cherokee counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Samuel J. Crawford (1835-1913), Union army officer and governor of KS (1865-68); he resigned to command a force to fight Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 591.90 (land 589.76; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.4.

**Pop 2010:** 39,134. **State rank:** 1193. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 38,222 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 32.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,753; median household $35,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,681 - $29,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pittsburg (20,233).

**DECATUR COUNTY**
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Oberlin, KS 67749
www.oberlinkansas.org
**Ph:** 785-475-8102
**Fax:** 785-475-8130

On the northwestern border of KS; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Norton County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen F. Decatur (1779-1820), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812 and in actions against the Barbary pirates near Tripoli, who said . . . may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.15 (land 893.52; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,961. **State rank:** 2979. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.2%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,191 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 51.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,966; median household $35,383; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,589 - $42,091.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DICKINSON COUNTY**
109 E 1st St PO Box 248
Abilene, KS 67410
www.dkcoks.org
**Ph:** 785-263-3120
**Fax:** 785-263-2081

In central KS, east of Salina; original county; organized Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Daniel Stevens Dickinson (1800-66), U.S. senator from NY (1844-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 851.27 (land 847.07; water 4.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.3.

**Pop 2010:** 19,754. **State rank:** 1858. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,209 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,009; median household $46,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,578 - $35,087.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DONIPHAN COUNTY**
120 E Chestnut PO Box 278
Troy, KS 66087
www.dpcountyks.com
**Ph:** 785-985-3513
**Fax:** 785-985-3723

On the northeastern border of KS, west of Saint Joseph, MO; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alexander Willliam Doniphan (1808-87), MO legislator and officer in the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 398.30 (land 393.41; water 4.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,945. **State rank:** 2613. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,816 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.1%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,704; median household $43,410; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,911 - $30,490.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
111 E 11 St
Lawrence, KS 66044
www.douglas-county.com
**Ph:** 785-832-5132
**Fax:** 785-832-5174

In eastern KS, east of Topeka; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 473.47 (land 455.87; water 17.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 243.1.

**Pop 2010:** 110,826. **State rank:** 508. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 102,914 (White 84.5%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 3.7%; Others 5.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 28.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,851; median household $45,831; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,612 - $34,305.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lawrence (87,643).

**EDWARDS COUNTY**
312 S Massachusetts Ave
Kinsley, KS 67547
www.edwardscounty.org
**Ph:** 620-659-3000
**Fax:** 620-659-2583

In south-central KS, northeast of Dodge City; organized Mar 7, 1874 from Kiowa County. **Name Origin:** For W.C. and R.E. Edwards, prominent early KS settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 621.97 (land 621.89; water 0.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,037. **State rank:** 2961. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.7%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,292 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 17.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 17.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,899; median household $39,226; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,203 - $44,561.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ELK COUNTY**
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Howard, KS 67349
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In southeastern KS, southeast of Wichita; organized Mar 3, 1875 from

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## Elk County (cont'd)

Howard County, which was organized in 1855 (named Godfrey and changed to Seward in 1867) and abolished at the time of its division into Chautauqua and Elk counties. **Name Origin:** For the large North American deer, the elk or wapiti.

**Area (sq mi):** 647.34 (land 644.27; water 3.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,882. **State rank:** 2969. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,075 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 48.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,958; median household $33,455; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,895 - $31,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ELLIS COUNTY**
PO Box 720
Hays, KS 67601
www.ellisco.org

**Ph:** 785-628-9410
**Fax:** 785-628-9413

In central KS, west of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For George Ellis (1808-1854) KS infantryman killed during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.41 (land 899.91; water 0.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,452. **State rank:** 1496. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 26,767 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 32.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,093; median household $44,543; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,759 - $39,154.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hays (20,510).

**ELLSWORTH COUNTY**
210 N Kansas Ave
Ellsworth, KS 67439
www.ellsworthcounty.org

**Ph:** 785-472-4161
**Fax:** 785-472-3818

In central KS, west of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Saline County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Allen Ellsworth, an officer in the Iowa Cavalry, who commanded the fort later named for him.

**Area (sq mi):** 723.39 (land 715.85; water 7.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,497. **State rank:** 2746. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,343 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,704; median household $42,200; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,268 - $32,072.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FINNEY COUNTY**
311 N 9th St
Garden City, KS 67846
www.finneycounty.org

**Ph:** 620-272-3500
**Fax:** 620-272-3599

In southwestern KS, northwest of Dodge City; organized as Sequoyah County Mar 6, 1873 from Arapahoe and Foote counties; name changed Feb 21, 1883; Garfield County was annexed to Finney County in 1893. **Name Origin:** For David W. Finney, lieutenant governor of KS (1861-65) and KS legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,302.81 (land 1,301.97; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.2.

**Pop 2010:** 36,776. **State rank:** 1110. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 38,988 (White 77.0%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 46.7%; Asian 3.4%; Others 46.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.4%. **Median age:** 30.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,976; median household $50,454; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,548 - $30,849.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Garden City (26,658).

**FORD COUNTY**
100 Gunsmoke St
Dodge City, KS 67801
www.fordcounty.net

**Ph:** 620-227-4670
**Fax:** 620-227-4699

In southwestern KS, southeast of Garden City; organized Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For James Hobart Ford (?-1867), an officer in the Second Colorado cavalry during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,099.06 (land 1,098.27; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,848. **State rank:** 1320. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 33,751 (White 75.3%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 51.2%; Asian 1.4%; Others 51.2%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 24.6%. **Median age:** 30.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,348; median household $46,621; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,470 - $31,347.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dodge City (27,340).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
315 S Main St
Ottawa, KS 66067
www.franklincoks.org

**Ph:** 785-229-3410
**Fax:** 785-229-3419

In eastern KS, southwest of Olathe; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.56 (land 571.76; water 2.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.5.

**Pop 2010:** 25,992. **State rank:** 1533. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 26,247 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.6%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,294; median household $49,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,903 - $34,295.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ottawa 🏛 (12,649).

### GEARY COUNTY

200 E 8th PO Box 927
Junction City, KS 66441
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**Fax:** 785-238-5419

In east-central KS, south of Manhattan; organized as Davis County Aug 30, 1855 from Riley county; name changed Mar 7, 1889. **Name Origin:** For John White Geary (1819-73), territorial governor of KS (1856-57) and governor of PA (1867-73). Originally named by the pro-Southern legislature for Jefferson Davis, U.S. secretary of war (1853-57) and later president of the Confederacy.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.32 (land 384.62; water 19.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.3.

**Pop 2010:** 34,362. **State rank:** 1380. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +39.8%; 2000-2005 -12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,585 (White 66.2%; Black or African American 18.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 3.2%; Others 12.4%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 27.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,709; median household $45,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,241 - $41,626.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Junction City 🏛 (23,353).

### GOVE COUNTY

520 Washington St
Gove, KS 67736

**Ph:** 785-938-2300
**Fax:** 785-938-4486

In west-central KS, west of Hays; organized Mar 3, 1868 from Rooks County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Grenville L. Gove (?-1864), Union army officer from KS.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,071.76 (land 1,071.67; water 0.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,695. **State rank:** 3002. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,763 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,775; median household $41,295; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,830 - $41,767.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAHAM COUNTY

410 N Pomeroy St
Hill City, KS 67642
www.grahamcountyks.com

**Ph:** 785-421-3453
**Fax:** 785-421-6374

In north-central KS, northwest of Hays; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Rooks County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. John L. Graham (?-1863), a KS infantry officer killed at Chickamauga.

**Area (sq mi):** 898.90 (land 898.52; water 0.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,597. **State rank:** 3005. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,721 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 49.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,026; median household $43,980; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,359 - $48,473.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRANT COUNTY

108 S Glenn St
Ulysses, KS 67880
www.grantcoks.org

**Ph:** 620-356-1335
**Fax:** 620-356-3081

In southwestern KS; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Finney and Kearny counties. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.98 (land 574.80; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,829. **State rank:** 2635. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,530 (White 81.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 43.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 43.9%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.5%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,188; median household $55,514; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,988 - $36,905.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAY COUNTY

300 S Main St PO Box 487
Cimarron, KS 67835
www.grayco.org

**Ph:** 620-855-3618
**Fax:** 620-855-3107

In southwestern KS, west of Dodge City; organized Mar 5, 1887 from Finney and Ford counties. **Name Origin:** For Alfred Gray, teacher, lawyer, and secretary of the KS Board of Agriculture (1873-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 869.31 (land 868.87; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,006. **State rank:** 2759. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,861 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 14.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 14.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.8%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,606; median household $52,824; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,025 - $42,755.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel**

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## Gray County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREELEY COUNTY**
208 Harper St PO Box 277
Tribune, KS 67879
www.greeleycounty.org
**Ph:** 620-376-4256
**Fax:** 620-376-2294

On the central western border of KS; established Mar 6, 1873. **Name Origin:** For Horace Greeley (1811-72), editor of the *New York Tribune* and champion of westward expansion.

**Area (sq mi):** 778.45 (land 778.45; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,247. **State rank:** 3097. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,349 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 13.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 13.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,698; median household $55,972; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,045 - $51,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 8.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENWOOD COUNTY**
311 N Main St Suite 3
Eureka, KS 67045
www.greenwoodcounty.org
**Ph:** 620-583-8121
**Fax:** 620-583-8124

In southeastern KS, east of Wichita; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alfred Burton Greenwood (1811-89), U.S. representative from AR (1853-59).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,156.22 (land 1,143.30; water 12.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,689. **State rank:** 2699. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.8%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,338 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.3%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,325; median household $37,180; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,170 - $32,615.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAMILTON COUNTY**
219 N Main Syracuse PO Box 1167
Syracuse, KS 67878
www.hamiltoncountyks.com
**Ph:** 620-384-5629
**Fax:** 620-384-5853

On the western border of KS, west of Garden City; organized Mar 20, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 997.64 (land 996.51; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 2,690. **State rank:** 2995. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,604 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 30.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 30.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.2%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,190; median household $36,297; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,207 - $38,429.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARPER COUNTY**
201 N Jennings Ave
Anthony, KS 67003
www.harpercountyks.gov
**Ph:** 620-842-5555
**Fax:** 620-842-3455

On the central southern border of KS, southwest of Wichita; established Feb 26, 1867 from Kingman County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. Marion Harper (?-1863), soldier in the Kansas cavalry killed in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 802.78 (land 801.27; water 1.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,034. **State rank:** 2781. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,081 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,467; median household $38,168; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,862 - $41,621.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARVEY COUNTY**
800 N Main PO Box 687
Newton, KS 67114
www.harveycounty.com
**Ph:** 316-284-6840
**Fax:** 316-284-6856

In central KS, east of Hutchinson; organized Feb 29, 1872 from McPherson, Butler, and Sedgwick counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Madison Harvey (1833-94), governor of KS (1869-73) and U.S. senator (1874-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 540.92 (land 539.75; water 1.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 64.3.

**Pop 2010:** 34,684. **State rank:** 1315. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 33,843 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 10.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,890; median household $46,604; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,578 - $36,300.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newton (19,132).

**HASKELL COUNTY**
300 South Inman St PO Box 518
Sublette, KS 67877
www.haskellcounty.org
**Ph:** 620-675-2263
**Fax:** 620-675-2681

In southwestern KS; organized Mar 23, 1887 from Finney County.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Haskell County (cont'd)

**Name Origin:** For Dudley Chase Haskell (1842-83), KS legislator and U.S. representative (1877-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 577.88 (land 577.52; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,256. **State rank:** 2893. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,232 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 27.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 27.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.8%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,966; median household $45,859; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,649 - $50,279.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HODGEMAN COUNTY**
PO Box 247
Jetmore, KS 67854
www.hodgemancountyks.com
**Ph:** 620-357-6421
**Fax:** 620-357-6313

In southwest-central KS, north of Dodge City; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Amos Hodgman (?-1863), Civil War officer. The *e* was mistakenly inserted when the county was named.

**Area (sq mi):** 860.31 (land 859.99; water 0.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,916. **State rank:** 3052. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,110 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,859; median household $41,127; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,497 - $38,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
400 New York Ave 2nd Fl
Holton, KS 66436
www.jackson.kansasgov.com
**Ph:** 785-364-5200
**Fax:** 785-364-4204

In northeastern KS, north of Topeka; organized as Calhoun County Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood); name changed Feb 11, 1859. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president. Originally for John C. Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. senator from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 658.49 (land 656.22; water 2.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,462. **State rank:** 2205. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,535 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.3%, including 8.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,306; median household $51,759; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,750 - $33,705.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
300 Jefferson St PO Box 321
Oskaloosa, KS 66066
www.jfcountyks.com
**Ph:** 785-863-2272
**Fax:** 785-863-3135

In northeastern KS, east of Topeka; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 553.40 (land 532.57; water 20.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,126. **State rank:** 1899. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,106 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,580; median household $56,886; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,738 - $32,158.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEWELL COUNTY**
307 N Commercial St
Mankato, KS 66956
**Ph:** 785-378-4020
**Fax:** 785-378-4075

On central northern border of KS; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Mitchell County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Lewis R. Jewell (?-1862), officer in the Kansas cavalry killed during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 915.07 (land 909.78; water 5.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,077. **State rank:** 2963. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.2%; 2000-2005 -11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,352 (White 97.3%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 52.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,443; median household $37,759; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,233 - $37,623.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
111 S Cherry St, Suite 1200
Olathe, KS 66061
www.jocoks.com
**Ph:** 913-715-0775
**Fax:** 913-715-0800

On eastern border of KS, south of Kansas City; original county, organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Rev. Thomas Johnson (1802-65), assassinated missionary to the Shawnee Indians (1829-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 476.75 (land 473.38; water 3.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 1149.6.

**Pop 2010:** 544,179. **State rank:** 113. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 506,562 (White 86.0%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 4.2%; Others 7.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,882; median household $73,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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$54,372 - $54,015.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 38 for cities).

### KEARNY COUNTY

PO Box 86
Lakin, KS 67860
www.kearnycountykansas.com

**Ph:** 620-355-6422
**Fax:** 620-355-7382

In southwestern KS, west of Garden City; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Finney County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Kearny (1814-62), hero of the Mexican-American War and Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 870.98 (land 870.54; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,977. **State rank:** 2883. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.9%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,516 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 28.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 28.5%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.3%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,888; median household $46,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,807 - $33,979.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KINGMAN COUNTY

130 N Spruce St
Kingman, KS 67068
www.kingmancoks.com

**Ph:** 620-532-2521
**Fax:** 620-532-2037

In south-central KS, west of Wichita; established Feb 29, 1872 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Austin Kingman (1822-?), KY legislator and Chief Justice of the KS Supreme Court (1866-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 866.71 (land 863.36; water 3.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,858. **State rank:** 2615. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,165 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,861; median household $44,510; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,729 - $38,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KIOWA COUNTY

211 E Florida Ave
Greensburg, KS 67054
www.kiowacountyks.org

**Ph:** 620-723-3366
**Fax:** 620-723-3234

In south-central KS, southeast of Dodge City; established Feb 26, 1867 from Comanche and Edwards counties, abolished in 1875, and recreated in 1866 from Comanche and Edwards counties. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Tanoan linguistic stock; name means 'principal people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 722.87 (land 722.64; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,553. **State rank:** 3017. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -14.4%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,984 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,430; median household $37,292; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,646 - $42,286.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** -0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LABETTE COUNTY

501 Merchant St PO Box 387
Oswego, KS 67356
www.labettecounty.com

**Ph:** 620-795-2138
**Fax:** 620-795-2928

On the southeastern border of KS, west of Joplin, MO; organized Mar 10, 1867 from Neosho County. **Name Origin:** For the creek, which runs through the county, named La Bette, possibly for a Pierre Labette who lived near the mouth of the stream. An 1836 map names it *La Bete*, French for 'the beast.'

**Area (sq mi):** 649.78 (land 645.30; water 4.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,607. **State rank:** 1733. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 22,169 (White 88.0%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.0%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,021; median household $39,049; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,716 - $33,929.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Parsons (10,500).

### LANE COUNTY

144 S Ln PO Box 788
Dighton, KS 67839

**Ph:** 620-397-5356
**Fax:** 620-397-5419

In west-central KS, northeast of Garden City; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Finney County. **Name Origin:** For Col. James Henry Lane (1814-66), officer in the Mexican-American War, U.S. representative from IN (1853-55), and first U.S. senator from KS (1861-66).

**Area (sq mi):** 717.67 (land 717.46; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,750. **State rank:** 3066. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,894 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,261; median household $42,311; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,791 - $40,468.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** -0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**LEAVENWORTH COUNTY**
300 Walnut St, Suite 106
Leavenworth, KS 66048
www.leavenworthcounty.org
**Ph:** 913-684-0421
**Fax:** 913-684-0406

On the northeastern border of KS, north of Kansas City; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Fort Leavenworth, the state's first fort, named for Gen. Henry Leavenworth (1783-1834), officer in the War of 1812 who later fought the Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 467.89 (land 462.83; water 5.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 164.7.

**Pop 2010:** 76,227. **State rank:** 714. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 73,113 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,925; median household $61,107; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,546 - $34,170.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Leavenworth 🏛 (35,251); Lansing (11,265).

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
216 E Lincoln Ave
Lincoln, KS 67455
www.lincolncoks.com
**Ph:** 785-524-4757
**Fax:** 785-524-5008

In north-central KS, northwest of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Ellsworth County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 720.47 (land 719.40; water 1.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,241. **State rank:** 2956. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,411 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,084; median household $41,071; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,692 - $35,119.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LINN COUNTY**
318 Chestnut Mound City PO Box 350
Mound City, KS 66056
www.linncountyks.com
**Ph:** 913-795-2660
**Fax:** 913-795-2004

On the eastern border of KS, south of Kansas City; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lewis Fields Linn (1795-1843), U.S. senator from MO (1833-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 601.68 (land 594.06; water 7.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,656. **State rank:** 2474. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,914 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,472; median household $44,379; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,914 - $30,479.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOGAN COUNTY**
710 W 2nd St
Oakley, KS 67748
**Ph:** 785-671-3216
**Fax:** 785-671-0065

In western KS, northwest of Garden City; organized as Saint John County Mar 4, 1881 from Wallace County; name changed Feb 24, 1887. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Alexander Logan (1826-86), officer in the Mexican-American War and Civil War, U.S. senator from IL (1871-77; 1879-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,073.10 (land 1,072.99; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,756. **State rank:** 3000. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 2,794 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,856; median household $39,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,044 - $43,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LYON COUNTY**
430 Commercial St
Emporia, KS 66801
lyoncounty.org/index
**Ph:** 620-341-3243
**Fax:** 620-341-3415

In east-central KS, northeast of Wichita; established as Breckinridge County Feb 17, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Madison County (which was abolished at the time it was divided between Lyon and Greenwood counties); name changed Feb 5, 1862. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathaniel Lyon (1818-61), Union commander in the Civil War who helped preserve MO for the Union when it seemed likely to join the Confederacy.

**Area (sq mi):** 851.74 (land 847.47; water 4.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,690. **State rank:** 1323. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,609 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 20.1%; Asian 2.3%; Others 20.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.7%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,245; median household $36,921; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,364 - $28,601.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Emporia 🏛 (24,916).

**MARION COUNTY**
200 S 3rd St, Suite 104 Courthouse Sq
Marion, KS 66861
www.marioncoks.net
**Ph:** 620-382-2185
**Fax:** 620-382-3420

In central KS, north of Wichita; established Aug 25, 1855 (prior

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## Marion County (cont'd)

to statehood) from Chase County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 954.72 (land 944.29; water 10.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,660. **State rank:** 2294. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,952 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,166; median household $45,713; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,190 - $33,625.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
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Marysville, KS 66508
www.marshall.kansasgov.com
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**Fax:** 785-562-5262

On the northern border of KS, north of Manhattan; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Francis J. Marshall, local businessman and member of the first KS territorial legislature. County seat was named for his wife.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.01 (land 900.18; water 1.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,117. **State rank:** 2418. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 10,405 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,295; median household $43,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,167 - $37,868.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCPHERSON COUNTY**
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McPherson, KS 67460
www.mcphersoncountyks.us
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**Fax:** 620-241-1168

In central KS, north of Hutchinson; organized Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Birdseye McPherson (1828-64), commander of the Union Army of the Tennessee during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 899.79 (land 898.27; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.5.

**Pop 2010:** 29,180. **State rank:** 1459. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 29,523 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,467; median household $53,026; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,045 - $38,382.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** McPherson (13,155).

**MEADE COUNTY**
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Meade, KS 67864
www.meadeco.org
**Ph:** 620-873-8700
**Fax:** 620-873-8713

On the southern border of KS, southwest of Dodge City; organized Jan 8, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Gordon Meade (1815-72), officer in the Mexican-American War and Civil War; commander of the Union army that defeated Gen. Robert E. Lee (1807-70) at Gettysburg.

**Area (sq mi):** 979.33 (land 978.09; water 1.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 4,575. **State rank:** 2867. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,625 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 14.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 14.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,909; median household $46,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,726 - $40,963.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MIAMI COUNTY**
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Paola, KS 66071
www.miamicountyks.org
**Ph:** 913-294-9553
**Fax:** 913-294-9544

On the eastern border of KS, south of Olathe; organized as Lykins County Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood); name changed Jun 3, 1861. **Name Origin:** For the Miami Indians, an Algonquin tribe. Origin of name uncertain; probably from Ojibway *oumaumeg* 'people of the peninsula' or from Delaware *we-mi-a-mik* 'all friends.'

**Area (sq mi):** 589.09 (land 575.66; water 13.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.

**Pop 2010:** 32,787. **State rank:** 1402. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 30,496 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,218; median household $60,539; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,516 - $40,638.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MITCHELL COUNTY**
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Beloit, KS 67420
www.mcks.org
**Ph:** 785-738-3652
**Fax:** 785-738-5524

In north-central KS, northwest of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** For Capt. William D. Mitchell (?-1865), Union officer killed at Battle of Monroe's Cross Roads, NC.

**Area (sq mi):** 720.59 (land 701.79; water 18.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,373. **State rank:** 2725. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,420 (White 98.0%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,350; median household $44,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,558 - $38,020.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Independence, KS 67301
www.mgcountyks.org

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**Fax:** 620-330-1202

On the southeastern border of KS, west of Joplin, MO; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Labette County. **Name Origin:** For either James M. Montgomery (1814-71), abolitionist and preacher, a nephew or more distant relative of Gen. Richard Montgomery (1738-75), officer in the American Revolution, or for Gen. Richard Montgomery himself.

**Area (sq mi):** 649.72 (land 643.53; water 6.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,471. **State rank:** 1313. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,570 (White 83.3%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.2%, including 3.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,037; median household $40,603; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,077 - $32,071.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Coffeyville (10,295).

### MORRIS COUNTY

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Council Grove, KS 66846
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In east-central KS, northwest of Emporia; organized as Wise County Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Madison County; name changed Feb 11, 1859. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Morris (1766-1844), opponent of slavery and U.S. senator from OH (1833-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 700.74 (land 695.28; water 5.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,923. **State rank:** 2760. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,049 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,967; median household $42,083; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,267 - $33,791.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MORTON COUNTY

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Elkhart, KS 67950
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**Ph:** 620-697-2157
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In the southwestern corner of KS; organized Feb 18, 1886 from Stanton County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry Throck Morton (1823-77), jurist, IN governor (1861-67), and U.S. senator (1867-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 729.75 (land 729.73; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,233. **State rank:** 2966. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,196 (White 87.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 19.3%; Asian 1.9%; Others 19.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,862; median household $42,273; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,958 - $46,742.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEMAHA COUNTY

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Seneca, KS 66538
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**Fax:** 785-336-3373

On northern border of KS, west of Saint Joseph, MO; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Nemaha River, itself named from the Oto Indian *nimaha* 'muddy water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 718.84 (land 717.43; water 1.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,178. **State rank:** 2432. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,443 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,484; median household $46,134; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,114 - $38,931.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEOSHO COUNTY

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In southeastern KS, west of Pittsburgh; organized as Dorn County Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Labette County. **Name Origin:** Osage Indian 'cold, clear water' or 'main river,' unclear which river is referred to.

**Area (sq mi):** 577.74 (land 571.47; water 6.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,512. **State rank:** 2033. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,529 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.2%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,683; median household $36,702; **Pop**

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## Neosho County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,438 - $30,849.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NESS COUNTY

202 W Sycamore St
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In west-central KS, north of Dodge City; established Feb 26, 1867. **Name Origin:** For Noah V. Ness (?-1864), a corporal in the Kansas cavalry killed in the Civil War, and the only corporal to be so honored in KS.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,075.01 (land 1,074.75; water 0.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,107. **State rank:** 2981. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 3,009 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 7.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,622; median household $47,639; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,192 - $45,858.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTON COUNTY

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On the central northern border of KS; established as Oro County 1859 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory; name changed to Norton Feb 26, 1867; changed to Billings Mar 6, 1873; changed back to Norton Feb 19, 1874. **Name Origin:** For Orloff Norton (?-1864), Kansas army officer killed during a skirmish at Cane Hill, AR. Previously for N. H. Billings, a member of the KS legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 881.68 (land 878.13; water 3.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,671. **State rank:** 2800. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,664 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,080; median household $32,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,802 - $35,378.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 9.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OSAGE COUNTY

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Lyndon, KS 66451
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**Fax:** 785-828-4749

In eastern KS, south of Topeka; original county, organized as Weller County Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood); name changed Feb 11, 1859. **Name Origin:** For the Osage Indians, a tribe of Siouan linguistic stock. Name is a corruption of their name in their own language, *Wazhazhe*, meaning unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.24 (land 705.52; water 15.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,295. **State rank:** 2026. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,150 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,697; median household $48,594; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,167 - $30,664.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OSBORNE COUNTY

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Osborne, KS 67473-3016
www.osbornecounty.org

**Ph:** 785-346-2431
**Fax:** 785-346-5252

In north-central KS, northeast of Hays; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Mitchell County. **Name Origin:** For Vincent B. Osborne (?-1865), Kansas soldier and lawyer. The geodetic center of the U.S. is in this county.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.39 (land 892.50; water 1.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,858. **State rank:** 2910. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.7%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,050 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,536; median household $34,797; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,222 - $37,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OTTAWA COUNTY

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In north-central KS, north of Salina; established Feb 27, 1860 (prior to statehood) from Saline County. **Name Origin:** For the Ottawa Indians of Algonquian linguistic stock. Tribal name derived from *Kadawe* 'to trade,' for their ability as intertribal traders and barterers.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.52 (land 720.73; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,091. **State rank:** 2761. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,123 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Ottawa County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,665; median household $50,814; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,152 - $30,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PAWNEE COUNTY

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Larned, KS 67550
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**Ph:** 620-285-3721
**Fax:** 620-285-3802

In central KS, west of Great Bend; established 1872 from Rush and Stafford counties. **Name Origin:** For an Indian tribe of Caddoan linguistic stock. Name may mean 'horn' for the shape of their hair lock; Osages called them *Pa-in* 'long-haired,' they called themselves 'civilized people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 754.64 (land 754.26; water 0.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,973. **State rank:** 2743. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 -6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,739 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,927; median household $40,048; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,645 - $32,815.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PHILLIPS COUNTY

301 State St
Phillipsburg, KS 67661
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On the central northern border of KS; established Feb 26, 1867 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** Either for William A. Phillips (?-1856), a free-state man murdered at Leavenworth by a proslaver, or for a gallant private soldier of the Union army.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.46 (land 885.88; water 8.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,642. **State rank:** 2803. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,504 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,870; median household $44,381; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,366 - $37,706.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY

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Westmoreland, KS 66549
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In northeastern KS, east of Manhattan; organized Feb 20, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Potawatomie Indian tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. Name means 'people of the place of the fire.'

**Area (sq mi):** 858.85 (land 841.02; water 17.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.7.

**Pop 2010:** 21,604. **State rank:** 1817. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,129 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,157; median household $53,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,447 - $35,795.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PRATT COUNTY

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Pratt, KS 67124
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**Ph:** 620-672-4110
**Fax:** 620-672-9541

In south-central KS, west of Wichita; established Feb 26, 1867. The county was fradulently organized with no bona fide settlers at the time. Official recognition was given in 1879. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Caleb Pratt (?-1861), Union officer killed at battle of Wilson's Creek, MO.

**Area (sq mi):** 735.81 (land 735.05; water 0.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,656. **State rank:** 2478. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,496 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,585; median household $43,583; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,860 - $38,100.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RAWLINS COUNTY

607 Main St
Atwood, KS 67730
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**Fax:** 785-626-9019

On the northwestern border of KS; organized Mar 20, 1873 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Aaron Rawlins (1831-69), officer in the Civil War and U.S. secretary of war under Grant (1869).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,069.53 (land 1,069.42; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,519. **State rank:** 3008. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,672 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 51.3.

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## Rawlins County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,895; median household $39,797; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,486 - $50,978.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RENO COUNTY**
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In south-central KS, northwest of Wichita; established Feb 26, 1867 from Sedgwick County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jesse Lee Reno (1823-62), officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,272.19 (land 1,255.35; water 16.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.4.

**Pop 2010:** 64,511. **State rank:** 811. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 63,558 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,149; median household $41,431; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,486 - $32,136.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hutchinson (42,080).

**REPUBLIC COUNTY**
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Belleville, KS 66935-5224
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On the central northern border of KS, north of Salina; established Feb 27, 1860 (prior to statehood) from Washington and Cloud counties. **Name Origin:** For the Republican River, which first enters KS in this county; named for the valley that was home of the Pawnee Republic, a division of the Pawnee Tribe. Also, possibly for the Pawnee Republic.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.30 (land 717.37; water 3.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,980. **State rank:** 2840. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,164 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 50.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,731; median household $38,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,401 - $33,024.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICE COUNTY**
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Lyons, KS 67554
www.ricecounty.us
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**Fax:** 620-257-3039

In central KS, north of Hutchinson; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Reno County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Samuel Allen Rice (1828-64), attorney and Union officer in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 727.96 (land 726.24; water 1.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,083. **State rank:** 2424. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,452 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,316; median household $43,164; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,377 - $28,807.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RILEY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 785-537-6394

In east-central KS, northwest of Topeka; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Wabaunsee County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Riley, named for Gen. Bennett Riley (1787-1853), professional soldier and territorial governor of CA (1848).

**Area (sq mi):** 622.32 (land 609.77; water 12.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 116.6.

**Pop 2010:** 71,115. **State rank:** 746. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.2%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 62,826 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 4.2%; Others 6.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 24.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,999; median household $39,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,896 - $43,932.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Manhattan (52,281).

**ROOKS COUNTY**
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Stockton, KS 67669
www.rookscounty.net
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**Fax:** 785-425-6015

In north-central KS, north of Hays; established Feb 26, 1867 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** For John Calvin Rooks (?-1862), soldier who died of wounds received at the Battle of Prairie Grove, AR.

**Area (sq mi):** 897.55 (land 890.53; water 7.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,181. **State rank:** 2829. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,351 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,435; median household $37,861; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,512 - $30,534.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Rooks County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RUSH COUNTY**
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La Crosse, KS 67548
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**Fax:** 785-222-3559

In central KS, south of Hays; established Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Alexander Rush (?-1864), killed in action at Jenkins Ferry, AR.

**Area (sq mi):** 717.97 (land 717.76; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,307. **State rank:** 2953. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,406 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 48.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,608; median household $39,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,174 - $34,601.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RUSSELL COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 785-483-5725

In central KS, west of Salina; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Ellsworth County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Avra P. Russell (?-1862), Union army officer who died of wounds received at Prairie Grove, AR.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.56 (land 886.26; water 14.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,970. **State rank:** 2703. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,845 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 46.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,243; median household $36,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,264 - $33,547.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SALINE COUNTY**
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In central KS, southwest of Manhattan; original county; organized Feb 15, 1860 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Saline River, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.90 (land 720.23; water 1.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.2.

**Pop 2010:** 55,606. **State rank:** 909. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 53,919 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 2.1%; Others 9.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,669; median household $45,162; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,781 - $39,384.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salina 🏛 (47,707).

**SCOTT COUNTY**
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In western KS, north of Garden City; organized Mar 20, 1873 from Finney County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Winfield Scott (1786-1866), officer in the War of 1812 and the Mexican-American War, general in chief of the U.S. Army (1841-61) and commander of the Union armies at the beginning of the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 717.66 (land 717.54; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,936. **State rank:** 2857. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,600 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 15.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 15.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.4%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,872; median household $58,341; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,254 - $33,933.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEDGWICK COUNTY**
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In south-central KS, southeast of Hutchinson; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Butler County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Sedgwick (1813-64), Indian fighter and Union officer in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,007.54 (land 997.51; water 10.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 499.6.

**Pop 2010:** 498,365. **State rank:** 135. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 466,061 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 13.0%; Asian 4.1%; Others 13.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.6%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,297; median household $47,848; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,780 - $37,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wichita 🏛 (382,368); Derby (22,158); Haysville (10,826).

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**SEWARD COUNTY**
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On the southern border of KS, southwest of Dodge City; organized as Godfrey County Mar 26, 1873 from Indian lands; name changed to Seward Jun 3, 1861; changed to Howard 1867. In 1873 the name Seward was given to a new county in the present location. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Seward (1801-72), U.S. secretary of state (1861-69), renowned for negotiating the purchase of Alaska (1867).

**Area (sq mi):** 640.49 (land 639.50; water 0.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,952. **State rank:** 1672. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,274 (White 70.5%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 56.6%; Asian 2.7%; Others 56.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.1%. **Median age:** 28.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,083; median household $41,373; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,806 - $29,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Liberal (20,525).

**SHAWNEE COUNTY**
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Topeka, KS 66603
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In northeastern KS, west of Lawrence; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. Name means 'southerner.'

**Area (sq mi):** 550.52 (land 544.02; water 6.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 327.1.

**Pop 2010:** 177,934. **State rank:** 347. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 172,365 (White 81.2%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 1.2%; Others 10.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,705; median household $47,464; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,173 - $38,341.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Topeka (127,473).

**SHERIDAN COUNTY**
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Hoxie, KS 67740
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In northwestern KS, southwest of Norton; organized Mar 20, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-88), Union officer during the Civil War and commander in chief of the U.S. army (1883-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 896.21 (land 895.96; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,556. **State rank:** 3005. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,591 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,933; median household $46,739; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,635 - $48,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 11 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHERMAN COUNTY**
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Goodland, KS 67735
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**Fax:** 785-899-4844

On the northwestern border of KS; organized Mar 20, 1873 from Kirwin Land District. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman (1820-91), officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War, leader of the march to the sea through the Southern states; remembered for the statement War is hell.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,056.28 (land 1,056.07; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,010. **State rank:** 2767. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,153 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 10.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,651; median household $41,570; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,303 - $41,780.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 9.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SMITH COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of KS; established Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Maj. J. Nelson Smith (?-1864), Union officer killed at the battle of Little Blue, MO.

**Area (sq mi):** 896.57 (land 895.47; water 1.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,853. **State rank:** 2914. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 -9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,121 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 49.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,644; median household $39,836; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,973 - $37,440.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STAFFORD COUNTY**
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In south-central KS, west of Hutchinson; established Feb 26, 1867 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Lewis Stafford (?-1863), Union army officer killed at Young's Point, LA.

**Area (sq mi):** 794.72 (land 792.05; water 2.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Stafford County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 4,437. **State rank:** 2871. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,488 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 11.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 11.9%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,171; median household $39,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,428 - $36,076.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STANTON COUNTY

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On the southwestern border of KS, southwest of Garden City; created Mar 6, 1873, later abolished and made part of Hamilton County; in 1887 Stanton County was reorganized from Hamilton County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin McMasters Stanton (1814-69), U.S. Attorney General (1860-61) and U.S. Secretary of War under Abraham Lincoln and Andrew Johnson (1862-68).

**Area (sq mi):** 680.41 (land 680.35; water 0.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,235. **State rank:** 3036. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,245 (White 83.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 37.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 37.0%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 23.9%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,196; median household $49,612; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,761 - $42,891.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STEVENS COUNTY

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On the southwestern border of KS; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Thaddeus Stevens (1792-1868), U.S. representative from PA (1849-53; 1859-68) who strongly opposed slavery.

**Area (sq mi):** 727.47 (land 727.29; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 5,724. **State rank:** 2819. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,412 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 32.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 32.6%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.6%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,633; median household $50,517; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,422 - $36,523.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SUMNER COUNTY

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On the central southern border of KS, south of Wichita; organized Feb 26, 1867 from Cowley County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Sumner (1811-74), a founder (1848) of the Free-Soil Party and U.S. senator from MA (1851-74); he was physically beaten on the floor of the Senate for his anti-slavery stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,184.92 (land 1,181.94; water 2.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 24,132. **State rank:** 1648. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,797 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.5%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,114; median household $49,582; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,043 - $37,206.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### THOMAS COUNTY

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Colby, KS 67701
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In northwestern KS; organized October 8, 1885 from Kirwin Land District; reorganized Oct 8, 1895 with territory annexed from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Henry Thomas (1816-70), Union commander of the Army of the Cumberland.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,074.80 (land 1,074.69; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,900. **State rank:** 2639. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,639 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,883; median household $47,033; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,597 - $38,092.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TREGO COUNTY

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In west-central KS, west of Hays; established Feb 26, 1867. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Edgar P. Trego (19,1863), Union army officer killed at Chickamauga, TN.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.21 (land 889.48; water 10.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,001. **State rank:** 2973. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,050 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 49.3.

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## Trego County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,095; median household $39,655; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,502 - $36,757.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On northeastern border of KS, east of Topeka; original county; organized Jan 29, 1859 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Wyandotte Indians, a tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name is thought to mean 'islanders' or 'those who live on a peninsula' from their original home on islands in the Saint Lawrence River and on a peninsula.

**Area (sq mi):** 155.90 (land 151.60; water 4.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 1039.

**Pop 2010:** 157,505. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 155,750 (White 54.6%; Black or African American 25.2%; Hispanic or Latino 26.4%; Asian 2.5%; Others 26.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 14.2%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,827; median household $38,503; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,380 - $27,378.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kansas City (145,786).

**WABAUNSEE COUNTY**
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In east-central KS, west of Topeka; organized as Richardson County Aug 30, 1855 (prior to statehood); name changed Feb 11, 1859. **Name Origin:** For Wabaunsee (1760-1845), a Potawatomi chief. Meaning of the name is uncertain: possibly 'dawn of day'; others not sufficiently documented or satisfactory are 'he lives through the winter,' 'daylight,' and 'boggy day.'

**Area (sq mi):** 796.71 (land 794.30; water 2.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,053. **State rank:** 2682. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,919 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,072; median household $52,133; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,423 - $32,910.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALLACE COUNTY**
510 6th St
Sharon Springs, KS 67758
www.wallacecounty.net
**Ph:** 785-852-4282
**Fax:** 785-852-4783

On central western border of KS; organized Mar 2, 1868 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Harvey Lamb Wallace (?-1862), Union officer in the Civil War who died of wounds received at Shiloh, TN.

**Area (sq mi):** 913.70 (land 913.65; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,485. **State rank:** 3085. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -10.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,573 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 7.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,269; median household $43,953; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,882 - $55,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
214 C St
Washington, KS 66968
www.washingtoncountyks.net
**Ph:** 785-325-2974
**Fax:** 785-325-2303

On the northern border of KS; northwest of Manhattan; original county; established Feb 20, 1857 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 895.14 (land 894.76; water 0.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,799. **State rank:** 2779. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,009 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,577; median household $39,698; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,845 - $31,733.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WICHITA COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 620-375-4350

In western KS, northwest of Garden City; organized Mar 6, 1873 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Wichita Indians, one of the more important tribes of Caddoan linguistic stock. Name is translated man, or from Choctaw *owa chito* big hunt.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.59 (land 718.57; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,234. **State rank:** 3035. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 -8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,309 (White 88.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 24.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 24.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,375; median household $44,318; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wichita County (cont'd)

$34,800 - $39,085.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILSON COUNTY**
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Fredonia, KS 66736
www.wilson.kansasgov.com

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**Fax:** 620-378-3841

In southeastern KS, south of Iola; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Hiero T. Wilson (1806-?), army officer, settler, and merchant.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.59 (land 570.42; water 1.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,409. **State rank:** 2465. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,834 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,708; median household $39,301; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,431 - $32,054.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOODSON COUNTY**
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Yates Center, KS 66783
www.woodsoncounty.net

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**Fax:** 620-625-8670

In southeastern KS, east of Wichita; original county; organized Aug 25, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Daniel Woodson, secretary of KS Territory (1854-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 502.67 (land 497.82; water 4.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,309. **State rank:** 2948. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.4%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,572 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.1%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,986; median household $30,385; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,379 - $28,732.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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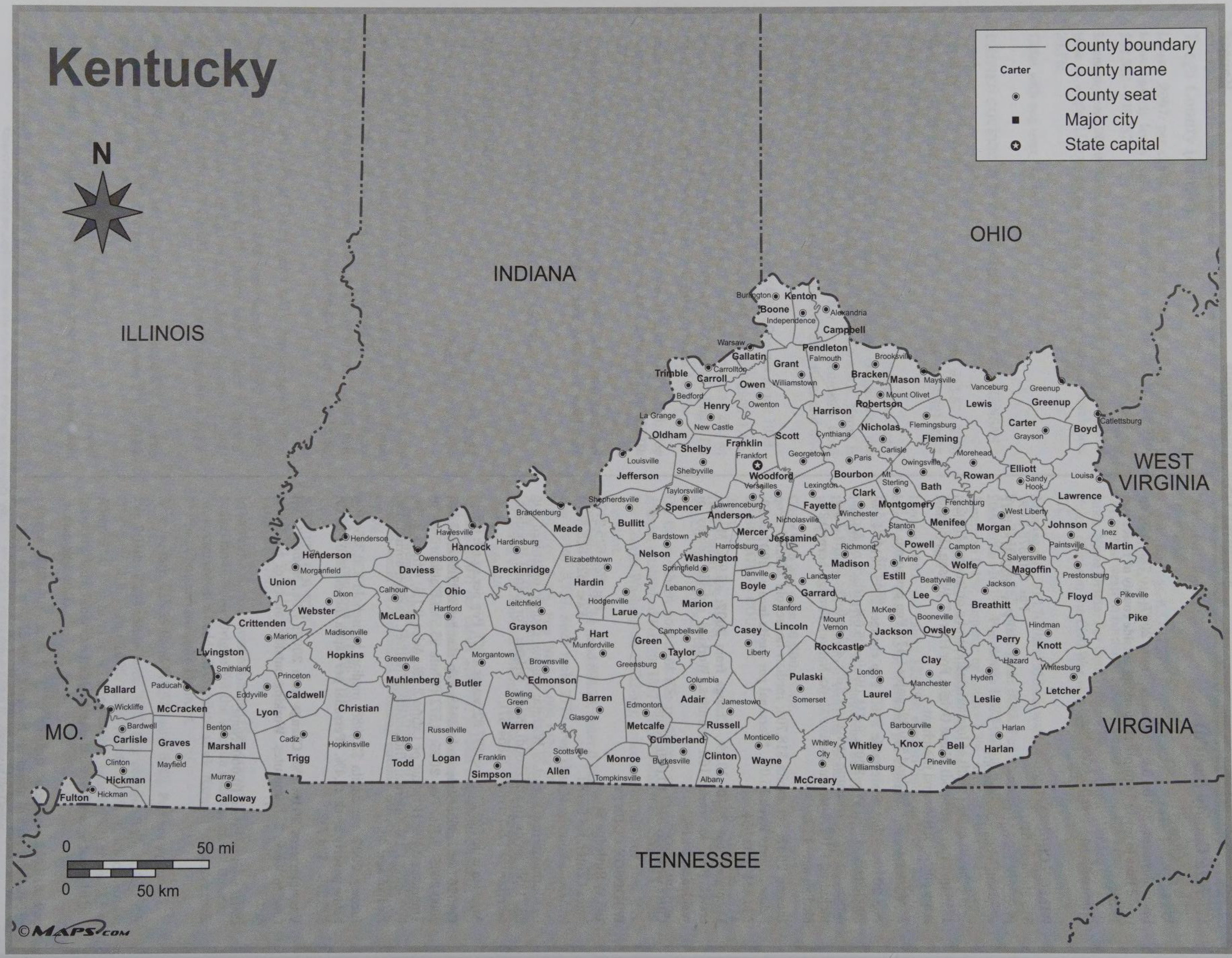
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# Kentucky

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**Area (sq mi):** 40,409.03 (land 39,728.18; water 680.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,339,367. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,173,405 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 7.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,348; median household $41,576; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.70%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,175 - $32,316.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.3%.

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**ADAIR COUNTY**
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On central southern border of KY, southeast of Bowling Green; established 1801 from Green County. **Name Origin:** For John Adair (1757-1840), governor of KY (1820-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 410.67 (land 405.28; water 5.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.

**Pop 2010:** 18,656. **State rank:** 1906. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 17,573 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,790; median household $29,834; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,495 - $24,567.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLEN COUNTY**
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Scottsville, KY 42164 **Fax:** 270-237-5074
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On central southern border of KY, southeast of Bowling Green; organized Jan 11, 1815 from Warren and Barren counties. **Name Origin:** For John Allen, army officer killed in IN territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 350.26 (land 344.34; water 5.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.

**Pop 2010:** 19,956. **State rank:** 1861. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 18,706 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,897; median household $35,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,735 - $26,248.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ANDERSON COUNTY**
151 S Main St **Ph:** 502-839-3401
Lawrenceburg, KY 40342 **Fax:** 502-839-3043

In north-central KY, west of Lexington; organized Jan 16, 1827 from Franklin, Mercer, and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For Richard Clough Anderson, Jr. (1788-1826), KY legislator, U.S. representative (1817-21), and U.S. Minister to Colombia (1823).

**Area (sq mi):** 203.44 (land 201.83; water 1.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.1.

**Pop 2010:** 21,421. **State rank:** 1731. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,394 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,516; median household $55,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,914 - $29,918.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lawrenceburg (10,505).

**BALLARD COUNTY**
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Wickliffe, KY 42087 **Fax:** 270-335-3081
www.ballardcounty.ky.gov

On western border, west of Paducah; organized Feb 15, 1842 from McCracken and Hickman counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Bland W. Ballard (1759-1853), professional Indian fighter and scout, army officer, and KY legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 269.10 (land 246.66; water 22.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,249. **State rank:** 2575. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,277 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,001; median household $41,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Ballard County (cont'd)

$31,004 - $34,836.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BARREN COUNTY**
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Glasgow, KY 42141
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**Fax:** 270-651-1083

In south-central KY, east of Bowling Green; established Feb 20, 1798 from Warren and Green counties. **Name Origin:** Descriptive of the treeless prairie. It is believed the Indians burned off the growth to facilitate buffalo hunting.

**Area (sq mi):** 496.50 (land 487.54; water 8.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.5.

**Pop 2010:** 42,173. **State rank:** 1121. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 40,073 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,067; median household $38,374; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,128 - $27,884.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Glasgow (14,028).

**BATH COUNTY**
17 W Main St
Owingsville, KY 40360
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**Fax:** 606-674-9526

In north-central KY, east of Lexington; organized Jan 15, 1811 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For the hot springs in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 283.27 (land 278.79; water 4.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,591. **State rank:** 2311. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,626 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian Z%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,487; median household $30,458; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,135 - $24,379.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BELL COUNTY**
101 Park Ave PO Box 157
Pineville, KY 40977
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**Fax:** 606-337-5415

On southeastern border of KY, west of Harlan; organized as Josh Bell County Feb 28, 1867 from Knox and Harlan counties; name shortened 1872. **Name Origin:** For Joshua Fry Bell (1811-70), KY legislator and U.S. representative (1845-47).

**Area (sq mi):** 359.58 (land 359; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.9.

**Pop 2010:** 28,691. **State rank:** 1454. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 29,665 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,627; median household $24,724; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,240 - $25,531.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOONE COUNTY**
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Burlington, KY 41005
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**Ph:** 859-334-2242
**Fax:** 859-334-3105

In northwestern KY, southwest of Cincinnati, OH; established Dec 13, 1798 from Campbell County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 257.06 (land 246.36; water 10.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 482.3.

**Pop 2010:** 118,811. **State rank:** 500. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +23.6%. **Pop 2005:** 106,272 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 2.1%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,520; median household $66,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,651 - $34,043.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Florence (29,951); Burlington (15,926).

**BOURBON COUNTY**
525 High St
Paris, KY 40361
www.parisky.com
**Ph:** 859-987-2110
**Fax:** 859-987-4640

In north-central KY, northeast of Lexington; organized May 1, 1786 (prior to statehood) from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For the French royal family that ruled in France, Spain, and Naples from the latter 1500s until the 1900s.

**Area (sq mi):** 289.95 (land 289.72; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.

**Pop 2010:** 19,985. **State rank:** 1831. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,833 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,355; median household $40,849; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,629 - $30,903.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**BOYD COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 606-739-6357

On eastern border of KY; organized Feb 15, 1860 from Carter, Lawrence, and Greenup counties. **Name Origin:** For Linn Boyd (1800-59), KY legislator, U.S. representative (1835-37; 1839-55), and Speaker of the House (1851-55).

**Area (sq mi):** 161.51 (land 159.86; water 1.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 309.9.

**Pop 2010:** 49,542. **State rank:** 984. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 49,594 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,064; median household $38,802; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,781 - $32,229.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ashland (21,684).

**BOYLE COUNTY**
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Danville, KY 40422
www.boyleky.com
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**Fax:** 859-238-1108

In central KY, southwest of Lexington; organized Feb 15, 1842 from Lincoln and Mercer counties (having the same county seat as the now-abolished Kentucky County, which was organized in 1776 from Fincastle County, VA). **Name Origin:** For John Boyle (1774-1835), KY legislator, U.S. representative (1803-09), and U.S. judge for District of KY (1826-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 181.26 (land 180.17; water 1.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 157.8.

**Pop 2010:** 28,432. **State rank:** 1440. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,363 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,534; median household $40,720; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,741 - $30,013.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Danville 🏛 (16,218).

**BRACKEN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 606-735-2867

On northeastern border of KY, southeast of Cincinnati, OH; established Dec 14, 1796 from Campbell and Mason counties. **Name Origin:** For two creeks in the county, Big and Little Bracken, named for William Bracken, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 211.28 (land 205.61; water 5.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,488. **State rank:** 2538. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,670 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,671; median household $38,481; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,976 - $29,100.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BREATHITT COUNTY**
1137 Main St
Jackson, KY 41339
www.breathittcounty.org/government/breathitt
**Ph:** 606-666-3800
**Fax:** 606-666-3807

In southeastern KY; organized Feb 8, 1839 from Estill, Clay, and Perry counties. **Name Origin:** For John Breathitt (1786-1834), KY governor (1832-34).

**Area (sq mi):** 492.50 (land 492.41; water 0.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,878. **State rank:** 2064. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.0%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,957 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,442; median household $19,906; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,213 - $27,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRECKINRIDGE COUNTY**
PO Box 538
Hardinsburg, KY 40143
www.breckinridgecountyky.com/index.php?page=government
**Ph:** 270-756-2246
**Fax:** 270-756-1569

On western border of KY, southwest of Louisville; established Dec 9, 1799 from Hardin County. **Name Origin:** For John Breckinridge (1760-1806), U.S. senator from KY (1801-05) and U.S. attorney general (1805-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 580.29 (land 567.17; water 13.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,059. **State rank:** 1856. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,293 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,757; median household $37,395; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,485 - $26,364.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BULLITT COUNTY**
300 S Buckman St PO Box 768
Shepherdsville, KY 40165
www.bullittcounty.ky.gov
**Ph:** 502-543-2262
**Fax:** 502-543-1577

On western border of KY, south of Louisville; established Dec 13, 1796 from Jefferson and Nelson counties. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Scott Bullitt (1761-1816), first president of the KY senate (1792-99) and first lieutenant-governor (1800-08).

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## Bullitt County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 298.14 (land 297.02; water 1.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 250.2.

**Pop 2010:** 74,319. **State rank:** 712. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +11.8%. **Pop 2005:** 68,474 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,791; median household $51,526; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,758 - $29,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shepherdsville (11,222).

### BUTLER COUNTY

110 N Main St PO Box 449
Morgantown, KY 42261
www.butlercounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-526-5676
**Fax:** 270-526-2658

In western KY, north of Bowling Green; organized Jan 18, 1810 from Logan and Ohio counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Gen. Richard Butler (1743-91), officer and Indian commissioner after the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 429.53 (land 426.09; water 3.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 12,690. **State rank:** 2213. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,414 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,236; median household $33,703; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,989 - $25,019.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CALDWELL COUNTY

100 E Market St, Rm 27
Princeton, KY 42445
www.caldwellcounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-365-6660
**Fax:** 270-365-6637

In western KY, northwest of Hopkinsville; organized Jan 31, 1809 from Livingston County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Caldwell (?-1804), soldier, member of the KY conventions (1787-89), and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 345.99 (land 344.79; water 1.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,984. **State rank:** 2241. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 12,973 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,498; median household $35,289; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,681 - $29,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CALLOWAY COUNTY

101 S 5th St
Murray, KY 42071
www.callowaycounty-ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-753-3923
**Fax:** 270-759-9611

On southwestern border of KY, southeast of Paducah; established Dec 19, 1821 from Hickman County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Richard Calloway (?-1780), one of the founders, with Daniel Boone (1734?-1820) of Boonesborough.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.55 (land 385.02; water 24.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 96.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,191. **State rank:** 1259. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 35,122 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,951; median household $39,194; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,768 - $28,422.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Murray (17,741).

### CAMPBELL COUNTY

340 York St Rm 8
Newport, KY 41071
www.campbellcountyky.org

**Ph:** 859-292-6314
**Fax:** 859-292-0615

On northeastern tip of KY, southeast of Cincinnati, OH; established Dec 17, 1794 from Scott, Harrison, and Mason counties. **Name Origin:** Probably for George Washington Campbell (1769-1848), U.S. senator from TN (1811-14; 1815-18).

**Area (sq mi):** 159.18 (land 151.31; water 7.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 597.

**Pop 2010:** 90,336. **State rank:** 635. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 87,251 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,096; median household $51,482; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,441 - $36,178.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fort Thomas (16,325); Newport (15,273).

### CARLISLE COUNTY

PO Box 176
Bardwell, KY 42023
www.carlislecounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-628-3233
**Fax:** 270-628-0191

On western border of KY, southwest of Paducah; organized Apr 3, 1886 from Ballard County. **Name Origin:** For John Griffin Carlisle (1835-1910), KY legislator, U.S. senator (1890-93), and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1893-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 195.97 (land 189.43; water 6.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.9.

**Pop 2010:** 5,104. **State rank:** 2810. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,329 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Carlisle County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,260; median household $33,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,972 - $29,118.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARROLL COUNTY

440 Main St Courthouse
Carrollton, KY 41008
www.carrollcountygov.us

**Ph:** 502-732-7005
**Fax:** 502-732-7007

On northwestern border of KY, northeast of Louisville; organized Feb 9, 1838 from Gallatin County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 135.75 (land 128.57; water 7.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,811. **State rank:** 2377. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,454 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,845; median household $43,440; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,752 - $33,335.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARTER COUNTY

300 W Main St, Rm 227
Grayson, KY 41143
www.cartercounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 606-474-5366
**Fax:** 606-474-6991

In northeastern KY, southwest of Ashland; organized Feb 9, 1838 from Greenup and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Grayson Carter, a KY state senator.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.05 (land 409.50; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.7.

**Pop 2010:** 27,720. **State rank:** 1523. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 27,306 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,147; median household $32,424; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,697 - $24,759.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CASEY COUNTY

625 Courthouse Sq PO Box 306
Liberty, KY 42539
www.caseycounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 606-787-8311
**Fax:** 606-787-6154

In south-central KY, southwest of Lexington; established Nov 14, 1809 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Casey, a pioneer settler from VA.

**Area (sq mi):** 444.35 (land 444.23; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,955. **State rank:** 1996. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,290 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,252; median household $26,592; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,544 - $24,479.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHRISTIAN COUNTY

515 Weber St
Hopkinsville, KY 42240
www.christiancountyky.gov/QCMS

**Ph:** 270-887-4100
**Fax:** 270-885-7501

On southwestern border of KY, west of Bowling Green; established Dec 13, 1796 from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For William Christian (1743-86), attorney and legislator, brother-in-law of Patrick Henry (1736-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 720.19 (land 717.50; water 2.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.1.

**Pop 2010:** 73,955. **State rank:** 676. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 70,145 (White 71.5%; Black or African American 21.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.1%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 28.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,476; median household $37,061; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,436 - $29,042.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hopkinsville 🏛 (31,577).

### CLARK COUNTY

34 S Main St Rm 103
Winchester, KY 40391
www.clarkcoky.com

**Ph:** 859-745-0200
**Fax:** 859-737-5678

In central KY, east of Lexington; established Dec 6, 1792 from Bourbon and Fayette counties. **Name Origin:** For George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), general in the American Revolution and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 253.31 (land 252.46; water 0.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,613. **State rank:** 1264. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 34,887 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,966; median household $46,575; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,082 - $32,697.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Winchester 🏛 (18,368).

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### CLAY COUNTY

79 Hwy 80 Ste 2
Manchester, KY 40962
www.claycounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 606-598-3663
**Fax:** 606-598-4047

In southeastern KY; established Dec 2, 1806 from Madison, Knox, and Floyd counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Green Clay (1757-1826), pioneer surveyor, officer in War of 1812, and KY legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.32 (land 469.25; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,730. **State rank:** 1640. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.0%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,146 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,300; median household $20,175; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,976 - $23,368.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLINTON COUNTY

100 S Cross St
Albany, KY 42602

**Ph:** 606-387-5234
**Fax:** 606-387-7651

On central southern border of KY; organized Feb 20, 1836 from Wayne and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For De Witt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY, and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 205.34 (land 197.25; water 8.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,272. **State rank:** 2469. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,559 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,802; median household $23,788; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,182 - $25,433.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CRITTENDEN COUNTY

107 S Main St
Marion, KY 42064

**Ph:** 270-965-4200
**Fax:** 270-965-4572

On southwestern border of KY, northeast of Paducah; organized Jan 26, 1842 from Livingston County. **Name Origin:** For John Jordan Crittenden (1787-1863), U.S. senator from KY (1817-19; 1835-41; 1842-48; 1855-61), governor (1848-50), and U.S. Attorney General (1841; 1850-53).

**Area (sq mi):** 368.76 (land 359.95; water 8.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,315. **State rank:** 2500. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,984 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,463; median household $34,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,878 - $26,528.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CUMBERLAND COUNTY

PO Box 826
Burkesville, KY 42717
www.cumberlandcounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-864-3444
**Fax:** 270-864-1757

On central southern border of KY; established Dec 14, 1798 from Green County. **Name Origin:** For the Cumberland River that flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 310.20 (land 305.18; water 5.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,856. **State rank:** 2698. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,147 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian Z%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,025; median household $28,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,186 - $25,689.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DAVIESS COUNTY

PO Box 609
Owensboro, KY 42302
www.daviessky.org

**Ph:** 270-685-8434
**Fax:** 270-686-7111

On northwestern border of KY, east of Henderson; organized Jan 14, 1815 from Ohio County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Hamilton Davies (1774-1811), VA soldier and jurist, unsuccessful in his attempt to indict Aaron Burr (1756-1836) for treason.

**Area (sq mi):** 472.23 (land 458.35; water 13.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 210.9.

**Pop 2010:** 96,656. **State rank:** 599. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 93,060 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,064; median household $42,821; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,505 - $33,813.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Owensboro (57,265).

### EDMONSON COUNTY

PO Box 353
Brownsville, KY 42210
www.edmonsoncounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-597-2819
**Fax:** 270-597-2494

In central KY, northeast of Bowling Green; organized 1825 from Hart, Warren, and Grayson counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. John Edmonson (1764-1813), an American officer in the War of 1812, killed at the Frenchtown Battle on the River Raisin, MI.

**Area (sq mi):** 308.27 (land 302.88; water 5.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.2.

**Pop 2010:** 12,161. **State rank:** 2297. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 12,030 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Edmonson County (cont'd)

including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,959; median household $35,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,143 - $24,928.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ELLIOTT COUNTY

100 Court and Main St PO Box 788 **Ph:** 606-738-5238
Sandy Hook, KY 41171 **Fax:** 606-738-6962

In eastern KY, southwest of Ashland; organized Jan 26, 1869 from Lawrence, Morgan, and Carter counties. **Name Origin:** For John Milton Elliott (1820-79), KY legislator, U.S. representative (1853-59), and justice of the KY Court of Appeals (1876-79). Some claim his father, John Lisle Elliott, a KY legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 235.56 (land 234.32; water 1.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,852. **State rank:** 2505. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.8%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,902 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,072; median household $22,097; **Pop below poverty level:** 36.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,455 - $18,753.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ESTILL COUNTY

130 Main St, Suite 109 PO Box 59 **Ph:** 606-723-5156
Irvine, KY 40336 **Fax:** 606-723-5108
www.estill.net

In east-central KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Jan 27, 1808 from Madison and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Estill (1750-92), soldier and early pioneer who established Fort Estill in 1781.

**Area (sq mi):** 254.84 (land 253.08; water 1.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.

**Pop 2010:** 14,672. **State rank:** 2105. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 15,089 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,725; median household $28,324; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,182 - $23,605.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FLEMING COUNTY

201 Court Sq **Ph:** 606-845-7571
Flemingsburg, KY 41041 **Fax:** 606-845-1312
www.flemingcountyky.org

In northeastern KY, northeast of Lexington; organized Feb 10, 1798 from Mason County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Fleming (1760-94), early settler and army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 349.16 (land 348.54; water 0.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,348. **State rank:** 2115. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,610 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,629; median household $31,236; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,628 - $24,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FLOYD COUNTY

PO Box 1089 **Ph:** 606-886-3816
Prestonsburg, KY 41653 **Fax:** 606-886-8089
www.floydcountykentucky.com

In southeastern KY; established Dec 13, 1799 from Fleming, Mason, and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For John Floyd (1783-1837), governor of VA (1830-34).

**Area (sq mi):** 394.51 (land 393.35; water 1.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.3.

**Pop 2010:** 39,451. **State rank:** 1117. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,218 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,883; median household $27,907; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,328 - $29,442.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

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Frankfort, KY 40601 **Fax:** 502-875-8718
franklincounty.ky.gov

In north-central KY, northwest of Lexington; established Dec 7, 1794 from Woodford, Mercer, and Shelby counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 209.40 (land 207.75; water 1.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 237.2.

**Pop 2010:** 49,285. **State rank:** 975. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 48,207 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 10.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,857; median household $47,976; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,237 - $35,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel**

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## Franklin County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Frankfort (25,527).

**FULTON COUNTY**
2216 Myron Cory Dr Suite 1 PO Box 126 **Ph:** 270-236-2594
Hickman, KY 42050 **Fax:** 270-236-7904
www.fultoncounty.ky.gov

On southwestern border of KY, southwest of Paducah; organized Jan 15, 1845 from Hickman County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), builder of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat.

**Area (sq mi):** 227.10 (land 205.50; water 21.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,813. **State rank:** 2685. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,217 (White 73.4%; Black or African American 23.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,908; median household $31,965; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,259 - $27,356.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GALLATIN COUNTY**
PO Box 1309 **Ph:** 859-567-5411
Warsaw, KY 41095 **Fax:** 859-567-5444
gallatincounty.ky.gov/elected

On northwestern border of KY, southwest of Cincinnati, OH; established Dec 4, 1798 from Franklin and Shelby counties. **Name Origin:** For Albert Gallatin (1761-1849), Swiss-born U.S. statesman and diplomat, and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1801-14).

**Area (sq mi):** 107.10 (land 101.23; water 5.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,589. **State rank:** 2571. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,134 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,810; median household $41,310; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,595 - $26,273.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GARRARD COUNTY**
15 Public Sq, Suite 5 County Courthouse **Ph:** 859-792-3071
Lancaster, KY 40444 **Fax:** 859-792-6751
www.garrardcounty.ky.gov

In central KY, south of Lexington; organized Jun 1, 1797 from Madison, Lincoln, and Mercer counties. **Name Origin:** For James Garrard (1749-1822), KY legislator and governor (1796-1804).

**Area (sq mi):** 232.75 (land 230.08; water 2.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,912. **State rank:** 1958. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,579 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian Z%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,735; median household $37,095; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,899 - $25,656.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT COUNTY**
107 N Main St **Ph:** 859-824-5091
Williamstown, KY 41097 **Fax:** 859-824-3367
grantcounty.ky.gov

In north-central KY, south of Covington; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Pendleton County. **Name Origin:** For a member of the locally prominent Grant family, which included John Grant (1754-1826), pioneer salt producer; his brother, Samuel (1762-89), surveyor, and another brother, Squire (1769-1833), a surveyor and KY legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 258.83 (land 257.97; water 0.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.6.

**Pop 2010:** 24,662. **State rank:** 1574. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 24,610 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,257; median household $42,475; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,807 - $28,058.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAVES COUNTY**
101 E South St Suite 2 **Ph:** 270-247-3626
Mayfield, KY 42066 **Fax:** 270-247-1274
www.gravescounty.ky.gov

On southwestern border of KY, south of Paducah; established Dec 19, 1823 from Hickman County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Benjamin Franklin Graves (1771-1813), an officer during the War of 1812 killed at the Frenchtown Battle on the River Raisin, MI.

**Area (sq mi):** 552.61 (land 551.74; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.3.

**Pop 2010:** 37,121. **State rank:** 1220. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 37,625 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,976; median household $35,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,723 - $28,106.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mayfield (10,024).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**GRAYSON COUNTY**
10 Public Sq
Leitchfield, KY 42754
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**Ph:** 270-259-3159
**Fax:** 270-259-0512

In west-central KY, north of Bowling Green; organized Jan 25, 1810 from Hardin and Ohio counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert Grayson, aide to George Washington (1732-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 503.87 (land 496.70; water 7.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.8.

**Pop 2010:** 25,746. **State rank:** 1571. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 25,189 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,443; median household $33,965; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,193 - $24,385.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREEN COUNTY**
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Greensburg, KY 42743
www.greencounty.ky.gov
**Ph:** 270-932-5386
**Fax:** 270-932-6241

In south-central KY, southwest of Lexington; established Dec 20, 1792 from Lincoln and Nelson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), Revolutionary War officer and quartermaster general (1778-80). The missing *e* not explained.

**Area (sq mi):** 286.15 (land 286.03; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,258. **State rank:** 2322. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,588 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,281; median household $36,575; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,643 - $25,158.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENUP COUNTY**
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Greenup, KY 41144
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**Fax:** 606-473-5354

In northeastern KY, northwest of Ashland; established Dec 12, 1803 from Mason County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Christopher Greenup (c.1750-1818), U.S. representative from KY (1792-97) and governor (1804-08).

**Area (sq mi):** 352.81 (land 344.40; water 8.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 107.2.

**Pop 2010:** 36,910. **State rank:** 1211. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 37,184 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,533; median household $42,377; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,146 - $33,669.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HANCOCK COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 270-927-8639

On northwestern border of KY, east of Owensboro; organized Jan 3, 1829 from Breckinridge, Ohio, and Daviess counties. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 197.77 (land 187.65; water 10.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,565. **State rank:** 2539. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 8,613 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,952; median household $44,892; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,776 - $28,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARDIN COUNTY**
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Elizabethtown, KY 42702
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**Fax:** 270-769-2682

In north-central KY, southeast of Louisville; established Dec 15, 1792 from Nelson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Hardin (1753-92), Revolutionary War officer and Indian fighter with George Rogers Clark (1752-1818) in the trans-Ohio campaigns; killed while on a peace mission to the Miami Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 625.16 (land 623.28; water 1.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 169.3.

**Pop 2010:** 105,543. **State rank:** 578. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 96,947 (White 80.5%; Black or African American 11.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.0%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,997; median household $47,540; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,953 - $33,191.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elizabethtown 🏛 (28,531); Radcliff (21,688).

**HARLAN COUNTY**
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Harlan, KY 40831
www.harlancountyky.com
**Ph:** 606-573-4717
**Fax:** 606-573-0064

On the southeastern border of KY; organized Jan 28, 1819 from Floyd and Knox counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Silas Harlan (?-1782), an officer in the Revolutionary War.

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## Harlan County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 466.61 (land 465.83; water 0.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.9.

**Pop 2010:** 29,278. **State rank:** 1403. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.4%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 31,614 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,224; median household $26,582; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,634 - $27,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Georgetown (29,098).

### HARRISON COUNTY

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Cynthiana, KY 41031

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In north-central KY, south of Covington; established Dec 21, 1793 from Bourbon and Scott counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Benjamin Harrison, a Bourbon County representative in the KY legislature when the county was formed in 1793.

**Area (sq mi):** 306.56 (land 306.36; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.5.

**Pop 2010:** 18,846. **State rank:** 1871. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,527 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,037; median household $40,582; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,011 - $28,064.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HART COUNTY

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Munfordville, KY 42765
www.hartcounty.com

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**Fax:** 270-524-0458

In central KY, northeast of Bowling Green; organized Jan 28, 1819 from Hardin and Barren counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel G.T. Hart (1784-1813), lawyer, merchant, and officer in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 414.07 (land 412.09; water 1.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.2.

**Pop 2010:** 18,199. **State rank:** 1893. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,319 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,726; median household $30,969; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,373 - $23,919.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENDERSON COUNTY

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Henderson, KY 42420
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**Ph:** 270-826-3906
**Fax:** 270-826-9677

On the northwestern border of KY, west of Owensboro; established Dec 21, 1798 from Christian County. **Name Origin:** For Richard Henderson (1734-85), who backed Daniel Boone's (c.1734-1820) explorations and founded the Transylvania Company.

**Area (sq mi):** 463.78 (land 436.67; water 27.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.9.

**Pop 2010:** 46,250. **State rank:** 1042. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 45,573 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 7.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,192; median household $40,438; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,510 - $30,476.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Henderson (28,757).

### HENRY COUNTY

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New Castle, KY 40050
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**Fax:** 502-845-5708

In northwestern KY, northeast of Louisville; established Dec 14, 1798 from Shelby County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, 'Give me liberty or give me death.'

**Area (sq mi):** 288.07 (land 286.28; water 1.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,416. **State rank:** 2032. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,903 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,090; median household $43,612; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,531 - $29,455.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HICKMAN COUNTY

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Clinton, KY 42031
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On southwestern border of KY, southwest of Paducah; established Dec 19, 1821 from Caldwell and Livingston counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Paschal Hickman (?-1813), Army officer. The county comprised the entire KY portion of the Jackson Purchase, bought from the Chickasaw Indians in 1818.

**Area (sq mi):** 250.76 (land 242.27; water 8.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,902. **State rank:** 2839. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,075 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 9.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hickman County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,953; median household $31,836; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,512 - $33,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOPKINS COUNTY**
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Madisonville, KY 42431
www.hopkinscounty.net

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**Fax:** 270-825-5009

In western KY, south of Henderson; established Dec 9, 1806 from Henderson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Samuel Hopkins (1753-1819), officer in the American Revolution and War of 1812, KY legislator, and US. representative (1813-15).

**Area (sq mi):** 545.67 (land 542; water 3.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,920. **State rank:** 1023. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 46,705 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,347; median household $39,312; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,616 - $30,729.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Madisonville 🏛 (19,591).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
PO Box 682
McKee, KY 40447
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**Fax:** 606-287-7190

In south-central KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Feb 2, 1858 from Madison, Owsley, Estill, Laurel, Clay, and Rockcastle counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 345.44 (land 345.20; water 0.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,494. **State rank:** 2218. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,618 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian Z%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,935; median household $21,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $16,845 - $19,615.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 35 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JESSAMINE COUNTY**
101 N Main St
Nicholasville, KY 40356
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**Fax:** 859-885-5837

In central KY, south of Lexington; established Dec 19, 1798 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For the Jessamine Creek and the jasmine (jessamine) flowers on its banks. The legend that it was named for Jessamine Douglass, daughter of an early settler, is baseless.

**Area (sq mi):** 173.44 (land 172.12; water 1.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 282.3.

**Pop 2010:** 48,586. **State rank:** 1005. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 43,463 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,097; median household $47,494; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,223 - $29,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Nicholasville 🏛 (28,015).

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In eastern KY, south of Ashland; organized Feb 2, 1843 from Lawrence, Floyd, and Morgan counties. **Name Origin:** For Richard Mentor Johnson (1780-1850), U.S. vice president under Van Buren (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 264.35 (land 261.95; water 2.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.2.

**Pop 2010:** 23,356. **State rank:** 1634. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,001 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,486; median household $30,820; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,196 - $27,120.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KENTON COUNTY**
303 Court St
Covington, KY 41011
www.kentoncounty.org

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**Fax:** 859-392-1639

On central northern border of KY, south of Cincinnati, OH; organized Jan 29, 1840 from Campbell County. **Name Origin:** For Simon Kenton (1755-1836), KY scout and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 162.67 (land 160.25; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 996.7.

**Pop 2010:** 159,720. **State rank:** 381. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 153,665 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,205; median household $53,213; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,328 - $39,555.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Covington 🏛 (40,640); Independence 🏛

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## Kenton County (cont'd)

(24,757); Erlanger (18,082).

**KNOTT COUNTY**
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Hindman, KY 41822
**Ph:** 606-785-5651
**Fax:** 606-785-0996

In southeastern KY; organized May 5, 1884 from Floyd, Letcher, Perry, and Breathitt counties. **Name Origin:** For James Proctor Knott (1830-1911), KY legislator, U.S. representative (1867-71; 1875-83), and governor (1883-87).

**Area (sq mi):** 352.34 (land 351.52; water 0.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,346. **State rank:** 1956. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,561 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,110; median household $29,451; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,375 - $25,911.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KNOX COUNTY**
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Barbourville, KY 40906
www.knoxcountyky.com
**Ph:** 606-546-8915
**Fax:** 606-546-6196

In southeastern KY, west of Harlan; established Dec 19, 1799 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 386.34 (land 386.30; water 0.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.5.

**Pop 2010:** 31,883. **State rank:** 1352. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 32,069 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,101; median household $21,493; **Pop below poverty level:** 36.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,054 - $25,804.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LARUE COUNTY**
209 W High St
Hodgenville, KY 42748
www.laruecounty.org
**Ph:** 270-358-4400
**Fax:** 270-358-4528

In central western KY, south of Louisville; organized Mar 4, 1843 from Hardin County. **Name Origin:** For John LaRue, maternal grandfather of John LaRue Helm, a KY governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 262.05 (land 261.52; water 0.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,193. **State rank:** 2182. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,699 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,474; median household $38,891; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,839 - $34,074.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAUREL COUNTY**
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London, KY 40741
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**Fax:** 606-864-7369

In south-central KY; established Dec 12,1825 from Rockcastle, Knox, Clay, and Whitley counties. **Name Origin:** For the Laurel River, named for the abundant mountain laurel (*Kalmia latifolia*) trees on its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 442.02 (land 433.95; water 8.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 135.6.

**Pop 2010:** 58,849. **State rank:** 874. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 56,338 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,604; median household $36,787; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,259 - $26,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
122 S Main Cross St
Louisa, KY 41230
**Ph:** 606-638-4312
**Fax:** 606-638-0638

On eastern border of KY, south of Ashland; established Dec 14, 1821 from Floyd and Greenup counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. Navy commander in the War of 1812 who said, Don't give up the ship.

**Area (sq mi):** 416.95 (land 415.60; water 1.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,860. **State rank:** 1991. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,166 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,903; median household $28,865; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,999 - $25,478.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
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Beattyville, KY 41311
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**Fax:** 606-464-4102

In east-central KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Jan 29, 1870 from Owsley, Breathitt, Estill, and Wolfe counties. **Name Origin:** Traditionally for Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander-in-chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War. Others claim it was named for Lee County, VA, former home of many early settlers.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lee County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 210.22 (land 208.86; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.8.

**Pop 2010:** 7,887. **State rank:** 2640. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,709 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,983; median household $25,129; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,209 - $22,508.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LESLIE COUNTY

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Hyden, KY 41749
www.lesliecoky.com

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In southeastern KY; organized Mar 29, 1878 from Clay, Harlan, and Perry counties. **Name Origin:** For Preston Hopkins Leslie (1819-1907), KY legislator and governor (1871-75); territorial governor of MT (1887-89), and U.S. district attorney for MT (1894-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 401.17 (land 400.84; water 0.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.2.

**Pop 2010:** 11,310. **State rank:** 2323. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,994 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,753; median household $26,857; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,704 - $27,756.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LETCHER COUNTY

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Whitesburg, KY 41858
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**Ph:** 606-633-2129
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On southeastern border of KY; organized Mar 3, 1842 from Harlan and Perry counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Perkins Letcher (1788-1861), U.S. representative from KY (1823-33; 1834-35), governor (1840-44), and U.S. Minister to Mexico (1849-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 337.98 (land 337.91; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.6.

**Pop 2010:** 24,519. **State rank:** 1639. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 24,434 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,393; median household $31,283; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,433 - $27,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEWIS COUNTY

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Vanceburg, KY 41179

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On northeastern border of KY, west of Ashland; established Dec 2, 1806 from Mason County. **Name Origin:** For Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809), co-leader of the Lewis and Clark Expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 494.05 (land 482.84; water 11.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.7.

**Pop 2010:** 13,870. **State rank:** 2174. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 13,872 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian Z%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,915; median household $28,376; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,474 - $20,653.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEXINGTON-FAYETTE COUNTY

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Lexington, KY 40507
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In central KY, south of Cincinnati, OH; organized May 1, 1780 (prior to statehood) from Kentucky County. In 1974 the county and its seat were combined and given an urban-county government. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 284.65 (land 283.65; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 1042.8.

**Pop 2010:** 295,803. **State rank:** 217. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 268,080 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 14.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.9%; Asian 3.2%; Others 6.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,345; median household $47,469; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,845 - $37,874.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lexington-Fayette (295,803).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Stanford, KY 40484
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In south-central KY, south of Lexington; organized May 1, 1780 (prior to statehood) from Kentucky County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), Revolutionary War officer, U.S. secretary of war (1781-83), and lt. gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 334.31 (land 334.10; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,742. **State rank:** 1585. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 25,122 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,985; median household $32,314; **Pop**

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## Lincoln County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,510 - $23,880.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
335 Court St
Smithland, KY 42081
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**Fax:** 270-928-2162

On northwestern border of KY, east of Paducah; established Dec 13, 1798 from Christian County. **Name Origin:** For Robert R. Livingston (1746-1813), NY patriot, statesman, and a drafter of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 339.25 (land 313.13; water 26.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,519. **State rank:** 2459. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,760 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian Z%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,800; median household $39,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,729 - $31,392.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOGAN COUNTY**
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Russellville, KY 42276
www.logancounty.ky.gov

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**Fax:** 270-726-4355

On the southern border of KY, west of Bowling Green; organized Jun 28, 1792 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Logan (c.1743-1802), VA patriot and soldier active in the West during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 553.54 (land 552.13; water 1.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,835. **State rank:** 1515. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 27,169 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,443; median household $34,647; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,672 - $29,558.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOUISVILLE-JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Louisville, KY 40202
www.louisvilleky.gov

**Ph:** 502-574-5700
**Fax:** 502-574-5784

On the northwestern border of KY, west of Lexington; organized May 1, 1780 (prior to statehood) from Kentucky County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.91 (land 380.42; water 13.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 1948.1.

**Pop 2010:** 741,096. **State rank:** 81. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 699,827 (White 72.7%; Black or African American 20.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 2.2%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,473; median household $45,352; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,629 - $39,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jeffersontown (26,595); Shively (15,264); Lyndon (11,002).

**LYON COUNTY**
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Eddyville, KY 42038
www.lyoncounty.ky.gov

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**Fax:** 270-388-0634

In western KY, east of Paducah; organized Jan 14, 1854 from Caldwell County. **Name Origin:** For Chittenden Lyon (1787-1842), U.S. representative from KY (1827-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 254.55 (land 213.84; water 40.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,314. **State rank:** 2566. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,160 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,036; median household $42,079; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,416 - $27,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
101 W Main St PO Box 1270
Richmond, KY 40475
www.madisoncountyky.us

**Ph:** 859-624-4703
**Fax:** 859-623-3071

In central KY, southeast of Lexington; established Oct 17, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 439.71 (land 437.29; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 189.6.

**Pop 2010:** 82,916. **State rank:** 659. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 77,749 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,536; median household $41,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,624 - $27,564.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Richmond (31,364); Berea (13,561).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**MAGOFFIN COUNTY**
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www.magoffincounty.ky.gov
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**Fax:** 606-349-2109

In east-central KY; organized Feb 22, 1860 from Floyd, Johnson, and Morgan counties. **Name Origin:** For Beriah Magoffin (1815-85), KY legislator and governor (1859-62).

**Area (sq mi):** 308.45 (land 308.44; water 0.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,333. **State rank:** 2221. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,472 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,849; median household $22,779; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,503 - $23,923.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARION COUNTY**
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Lebanon, KY 40033
www.lebanonky.org
**Ph:** 270-692-2651
**Fax:** 270-692-9811

In west-central KY, southwest of Lexington; organized Jan 25, 1834 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 343.48 (land 343.01; water 0.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.8.

**Pop 2010:** 19,820. **State rank:** 1840. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,939 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,445; median household $37,488; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,416 - $26,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
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Benton, KY 42025
www.marshallcounty.net
**Ph:** 270-527-4740
**Fax:** 270-527-4738

In western KY, southeast of Paducah; organized Feb 12, 1842 from Calloway County. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist; fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 336.68 (land 301.25; water 35.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.4.

**Pop 2010:** 31,448. **State rank:** 1397. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 30,967 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,056; median household $43,326; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,452 - $31,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARTIN COUNTY**
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Inez, KY 41224
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**Ph:** 606-298-2810
**Fax:** 606-298-0143

On the eastern border of KY, south of Ashland; organized May 10, 1870 from Johnson, Pike, Floyd, and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For John Preston Martin (1811-62), KY legislator and U.S. representative (1845-47).

**Area (sq mi):** 229.72 (land 229.61; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,929. **State rank:** 2225. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 12,215 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,785; median household $25,173; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,115 - $25,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MASON COUNTY**
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www.masoncountykentucky.com
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**Fax:** 606-564-8979

On the northeastern border of KY, northeast of Lexington; established Nov 5, 1788 (prior to statehood) from Bourbon County. **Name Origin:** For George Mason (1725-92), author of the VA Declaration of Rights (1776), which served as the model for the American Bill of Rights.

**Area (sq mi):** 245.62 (land 240.13; water 5.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,490. **State rank:** 1942. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,140 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,717; median household $40,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,380 - $30,976.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCCRACKEN COUNTY**
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Paducah, KY 42002-2765
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**Fax:** 270-444-4704

On southwestern border of KY; established Dec 17, 1824 from Hickman County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Virgil McCracken (?-1813), a soldier killed during the War of 1812 at the Frenchtown Battle on the River Raisin, MI.

**Area (sq mi):** 265.79 (land 248.74; water 17.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 263.6.

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## McCracken County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 65,565. **State rank:** 786. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 64,698 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 11.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,709; median household $41,630; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,704 - $38,482.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Paducah (25,024).

### MCCREARY COUNTY

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Whitley City, KY 42653
www.mccrearycounty.com

**Ph:** 606-376-2411
**Fax:** 606-376-3898

On the southern border of KY, south of Lexington; organized Mar 12, 1912 from Pulaski, Wayne, and Whitley counties. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. James Bennett McCreary (1838-1918), KY legislator, governor (1875-79; 1911-15), and U.S. senator (1903-09).

**Area (sq mi):** 429.74 (land 426.80; water 2.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,306. **State rank:** 1920. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 17,233 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 5.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,197; median household $22,643; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,824 - $20,597.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MCLEAN COUNTY

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Calhoun, KY 42327

**Ph:** 270-273-3213
**Fax:** 270-273-9965

In western KY, south of Owensboro; organized Feb 6, 1854 from Daviess, Ohio, and Muhlenberg counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Alney McLean (1779-1841), U.S. representative from KY (1815-17; 1819-21) and district court judge (1821-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 254.35 (land 252.47; water 1.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.8.

**Pop 2010:** 9,531. **State rank:** 2457. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,926 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian Z%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,071; median household $39,115; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,421 - $30,721.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MEADE COUNTY

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Brandenburg, KY 40108
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**Ph:** 270-422-2152
**Fax:** 270-422-2158

On the northwestern border of KY, southwest of Louisville; established Dec 17, 1823 from Breckinridge and Hardin counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Meade (?-1813), an officer in the War of 1812 killed at the Frenchtown Battle on the River Raisin, MI.

**Area (sq mi):** 321.13 (land 305.42; water 15.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,602. **State rank:** 1529. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,447 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,823; median household $43,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,337 - $34,774.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MENIFEE COUNTY

PO Box 123
Frenchburg, KY 40322

**Ph:** 606-768-3512
**Fax:** 606-768-6738

In east-central KY, east of Lexington; organized Mar 10, 1869 from Montgomery, Bath, Wolfe, Morgan, and Powell counties. **Name Origin:** For Richard Hickman Menefee (1809-41), KY Commonwealth attorney, legislator, and U.S. representative (1837-39). Spelling evidently changed when county was named.

**Area (sq mi):** 205.72 (land 203.59; water 2.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.

**Pop 2010:** 6,306. **State rank:** 2704. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.4%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,809 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian Z%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,418; median household $29,740; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,147 - $22,031.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MERCER COUNTY

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Harrodsburg, KY 40330
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**Ph:** 859-734-6310
**Fax:** 859-734-6309

In central KY, southwest of Lexington; established Oct 17, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 251 (land 248.80; water 2.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.7.

**Pop 2010:** 21,331. **State rank:** 1723. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 21,610 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,645; median household $47,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Mercer County (cont'd)

$27,937 - $29,581.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### METCALFE COUNTY

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In south-central KY, east of Bowling Green; organized Feb 1, 1860 from Adair, Monroe, Cumberland, Barren, and Green counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Thomas Metcalfe (1780-1855), KY legislator, governor (1828-32), and U.S. senator (1848-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 289.72 (land 289.65; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,099. **State rank:** 2427. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,197 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,835; median household $34,732; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,738 - $22,017.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONROE COUNTY

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Tompkinsville, KY 42167
www.monroecounty.ky.gov

**Ph:** 270-487-5505
**Fax:** 270-487-0591

On southern border of KY, southeast of Bowling Green; organized Jan 19, 1820 from Barren and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 330.67 (land 329.37; water 1.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,963. **State rank:** 2316. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,660 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,534; median household $28,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,162 - $25,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Mount Sterling, KY 40353
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**Ph:** 859-498-8707
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In central KY, east of Lexington; established May 1, 1797 (prior to statehood) from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 197.58 (land 197.37; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 134.3.

**Pop 2010:** 26,499. **State rank:** 1555. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,256 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,004; median household $36,034; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,173 - $26,971.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MORGAN COUNTY

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West Liberty, KY 41472
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In eastern KY, east of Lexington; established Dec 7, 1822 from Floyd and Bath counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 383.60 (land 381.13; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,923. **State rank:** 2150. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,334 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,705; median household $30,229; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,529 - $21,095.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MUHLENBERG COUNTY

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Greenville, KY 42345
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In west-central KY, northeast of Hopkinsville; established Dec 14, 1798 from Christian and Logan counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Peter Gabriel Muhlenberg (1746-1807), an officer in the Revolutionary War, Lutheran minister, and U.S. representative from PA (1789-91; 1793-95; 1799-1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 471.79 (land 467.08; water 4.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.4.

**Pop 2010:** 31,499. **State rank:** 1394. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,548 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,538; median household $36,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,755 - $26,437.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**NELSON COUNTY**
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In west-central KY, southeast of Louisville; established Oct 18, 1784 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Nelson (1738-89), member of the Continental Congress, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and governor of VA (1781).

**Area (sq mi):** 418.96 (land 417.51; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.

**Pop 2010:** 43,437. **State rank:** 1081. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 41,088 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,763; median household $44,783; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,600 - $31,677.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bardstown (11,700).

**NICHOLAS COUNTY**
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Carlisle, KY 40311
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**Fax:** 859-289-3709

In north-central KY, northeast of Lexington; established Dec 18, 1799 from Bourbon and Mason counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. George Nicholas (1754-99), officer in the Revolutionary War and first attorney general of KY. He is considered the Father of the KY Constitution for his part in drafting it.

**Area (sq mi):** 195.41 (land 195.17; water 0.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,135. **State rank:** 2680. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,027 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,452; median household $40,259; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,948 - $27,537.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OHIO COUNTY**
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Hartford, KY 42347
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**Ph:** 270-298-4423
**Fax:** 270-298-4425

In west-central KY, south of Owensboro; established Dec 17, 1798 from Hardin County. **Name Origin:** For the Ohio River which originally formed its northern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 590.21 (land 587.27; water 2.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,842. **State rank:** 1643. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 23,676 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,258; median household $36,050; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,754 - $28,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OLDHAM COUNTY**
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LaGrange, KY 40031
oldhamcounty.state.ky.us
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**Fax:** 502-222-3208

On the northwestern border of KY, north of Louisville; organized Dec 16, 1823 from Jefferson, Shelby, and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Oldham (?-1791), officer in the American Revolution, killed in a battle with Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 194.58 (land 187.22; water 7.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 322.2.

**Pop 2010:** 60,316. **State rank:** 869. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.7%; 2000-2005 +15.9%. **Pop 2005:** 53,533 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,702; median household $79,417; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,928 - $41,756.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OWEN COUNTY**
136 W Bryan St
Owenton, KY 40359
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**Ph:** 502-484-2213
**Fax:** 502-484-1002

In northern KY, northwest of Lexington; organized Feb 6, 1819 from Scott, Gallatin, and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Owen (?-1811), officer killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 353.12 (land 351.10; water 2.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,841. **State rank:** 2327. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.7%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,374 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,754; median household $46,238; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,148 - $25,393.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OWSLEY COUNTY**
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Booneville, KY 41314
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**Fax:** 606-593-5737

In southeast KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Jan 23, 1843 from Clay, Estill, and Breathitt counties. **Name Origin:** For William Owsley (1782-1862), judge of the KY Court of Appeals, and governor (1844-48).

**Area (sq mi):** 197.41 (land 197.41; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Owsley County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 4,755. **State rank:** 2851. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,746 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian Z%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $10,767; median household $19,351; **Pop below poverty level:** 41.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,501 - $24,238.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PENDLETON COUNTY

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Falmouth, KY 41040
www.pendletoncountyky.org

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In northern KY, south of Covington; established Dec 4, 1787 from Campbell and Bracken counties. **Name Origin:** For Edmund Pendleton (1721-1803), member of the Continental Congress (1774-75), active in establishment of state of VA, and president of the VA supreme court of appeals (1779-1803).

**Area (sq mi):** 278.49 (land 277.16; water 1.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,877. **State rank:** 2101. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 15,125 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,523; median household $44,670; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,005 - $26,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PERRY COUNTY

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Hazard, KY 51702
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**Fax:** 606-439-0557

In southeastern KY; established Nov 2, 1820 from Clay and Floyd counties. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 340.16 (land 339.67; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.5.

**Pop 2010:** 28,712. **State rank:** 1446. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 29,452 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,049; median household $29,547; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,219 - $30,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PIKE COUNTY

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Pikeville, KY 41502

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**Fax:** 606-432-6222

On the central eastern border of KY; established Dec 19, 1821 from Floyd County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 787.98 (land 786.83; water 1.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.6.

**Pop 2010:** 65,024. **State rank:** 789. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 66,922 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,973; median household $32,563; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,365 - $31,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### POWELL COUNTY

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Stanton, KY 40380

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In east-central KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Jan 7, 1852 from Montgomery, Clark, and Estill counties. **Name Origin:** For Lazarus Whitehead Powell (1812-67), governor of KY (1851-55), U.S. commissioner to UT (1858), and U.S. senator from KY (1859-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 179.05 (land 178.98; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.5.

**Pop 2010:** 12,613. **State rank:** 2191. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,687 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,796; median household $31,815; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,140 - $25,670.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PULASKI COUNTY

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In south-central KY, south of Lexington; established Dec 10, 1798 from Lincoln and Green counties. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 673.86 (land 658.41; water 15.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.8.

**Pop 2010:** 63,063. **State rank:** 840. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 59,200 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,540; median household $32,771; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,658 - $27,677.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median**

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**travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Somerset (11,196).

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In north-central KY, southeast of Covington; organized Feb 11, 1867 from Nicholas, Harrison, Bracken, and Mason counties. **Name Origin:** For George Robertson (1790-1874), U.S. representative from KY (1817-21) and chief justice of KY Court of Appeals (1829-34).

**Area (sq mi):** 99.95 (land 99.91; water 0.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,282. **State rank:** 3023. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,279 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including Z% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,374; median household $27,254; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,598 - $25,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 44.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROCKCASTLE COUNTY**
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In south-central KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Jan 8, 1810 from Lincoln, Pulaski, Madison, and Knox counties. **Name Origin:** For the Rockcastle River, which flows along the southeastern border of the county; named for the castle-like rock formations along its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 317.09 (land 316.55; water 0.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.9.

**Pop 2010:** 17,056. **State rank:** 1995. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,712 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,621; median household $26,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,415 - $23,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROWAN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 606-784-2923

In northeastern KY, northeast of Lexington; organized Mar 15, 1856 from Fleming and Morgan counties. **Name Origin:** For John Rowan (1773-1843), judge of the KY Court of Appeals (1819-21) and U.S. senator (1825-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 285.23 (land 279.80; water 5.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.4.

**Pop 2010:** 23,333. **State rank:** 1678. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 22,226 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,435; median household $31,604; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,837 - $25,267.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RUSSELL COUNTY**
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In south-central KY, southwest of Lexington; established Dec 14, 1825 from Wayne, Adair, and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For William Russell (1758-1825), VA soldier and statesman; served in legislatures of VA and KY.

**Area (sq mi):** 282.95 (land 253.66; water 29.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,565. **State rank:** 1943. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 17,020 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,868; median household $29,980; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,699 - $28,562.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTT COUNTY**
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In north-central KY, north of Lexington; organized Jun 22, 1792 from Woodford County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Charles Scott (1739-1813), career soldier and governor of KY (1808-12).

**Area (sq mi):** 282.34 (land 281.77; water 0.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 167.4.

**Pop 2010:** 47,173. **State rank:** 1032. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.8%; 2000-2005 +19.1%. **Pop 2005:** 39,380 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,838; median household $58,028; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,505 - $32,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Georgetown (29,098).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**SHELBY COUNTY**
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Shelbyville, KY 40065
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**Fax:** 502-633-7623

In northwestern KY, east of Louisville; organized Jun 23, 1792 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 381.10 (land 379.64; water 1.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 110.8.

**Pop 2010:** 42,074. **State rank:** 1109. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 +14.6%. **Pop 2005:** 38,205 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 9.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,593; median household $55,296; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,067 - $34,013.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shelbyville 🏛 (14,045).

**SIMPSON COUNTY**
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On southern border of KY, south of Bowling Green; organized Jan 28, 1819 from Logan, Warren, and Allen counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Simpson (?-1812), KY legislator, killed in action during the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 234.20 (land 234.20; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.

**Pop 2010:** 17,327. **State rank:** 1962. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 17,021 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,426; median household $41,323; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,885 - $29,878.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SPENCER COUNTY**
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In northwestern KY, southeast of Louisville; organized Jan 7, 1824 from Nelson, Shelby, and Bullitt counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Spier (Spear) Spencer (?-1811), KY officer killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 192.57 (land 186.68; water 5.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,061. **State rank:** 1925. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.0%; 2000-2005 +33.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,651 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,589; median household $59,326; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,515 - $31,476.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 77.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TAYLOR COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 270-789-1144

In west-central KY, southeast of Bowling Green; organized Jan 13, 1848 from Green County. **Name Origin:** For Zachary Taylor (1784-1850), twelfth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 273.55 (land 266.33; water 7.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 92.

**Pop 2010:** 24,512. **State rank:** 1613. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 23,754 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,014; median household $35,378; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,926 - $28,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TODD COUNTY**
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On the southern border of KY, east of Hopkinsville; established Dec 30, 1820 from Logan and Christian counties. **Name Origin:** For John Blair Todd (1814-72), governor of the Dakota Territory (1869-71).

**Area (sq mi):** 375.12 (land 374.50; water 0.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,460. **State rank:** 2276. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,944 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,460; median household $36,989; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,766 - $29,956.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TRIGG COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 270-522-6662

On the southern border of KY, west of Hopkinsville; organized Jan 27, 1820 from Christian and Caldwell counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Stephen Trigg (?-1782), an officer killed in action against Indians at Blue Licks.

**Area (sq mi):** 479.44 (land 441.43; water 38.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.5.

**Pop 2010:** 14,339. **State rank:** 2215. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%;

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2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,349 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 8.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,387; median household $41,825; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,686 - $34,061.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TRIMBLE COUNTY**
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On the northwestern border of KY, northeast of Louisville; established Feb 9, 1837 from Gallatin, Oldham, and Henry counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Trimble (1777-1828), KY jurist and associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1826-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 159.03 (land 151.65; water 7.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,809. **State rank:** 2515. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,023 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,161; median household $47,798; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,360 - $22,492.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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On northwestern border of KY, southwest of Henderson; organized Jan 15, 1811 from Henderson County. **Name Origin:** Allegedly for the united desire of the residents to form a new county.

**Area (sq mi):** 361.18 (land 342.85; water 18.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,007. **State rank:** 2097. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 15,592 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 12.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,811; median household $39,515; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,482 - $31,923.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
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In southwest KY, northeast of Hopkinsville; established Dec 14, 1796 from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 544.08 (land 541.60; water 2.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 210.1.

**Pop 2010:** 113,792. **State rank:** 536. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.0%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 98,960 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 9.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.8%; Others 4.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,206; median household $43,954; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,503 - $29,426.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bowling Green (58,067).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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In west-central KY, southwest of Lexington; organized Jun 22, 1792 from Nelson County; the first county formed after KY became a state. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 298.20 (land 297.27; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,717. **State rank:** 2333. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,399 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,873; median household $43,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,514 - $24,577.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 606-348-8303

On the southern border of KY, south of Lexington; established Dec 18, 1800 from Pulaski and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 482.97 (land 458.17; water 24.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,813. **State rank:** 1776. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,352 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,109; median household $25,993; **Pop**

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**below poverty level:** 26.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,649 - $22,616.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WEBSTER COUNTY

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In western KY, south of Henderson; organized Feb 29, 1860 from Hopkins, Union, and Henderson counties. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 332.87 (land 331.94; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.

**Pop 2010:** 13,621. **State rank:** 2179. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 14,161 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.3%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,879; median household $39,635; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,559 - $30,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WHITLEY COUNTY

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Williamsburg, KY 40769

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On the southeastern border of KY; organized Jan 17, 1818 from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For William Whitley (1749-1813), soldier believed by some to be the one who killed Shawnee Chief Tecumseh (1768-1813).

**Area (sq mi):** 442.82 (land 437.83; water 4.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.4.

**Pop 2010:** 35,637. **State rank:** 1195. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 38,029 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,258; median household $28,122; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,141 - $29,065.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WOLFE COUNTY

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In eastern KY, southeast of Lexington; organized Mar 5, 1860 from Breathitt, Morgan, Powell, and Owsley counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Wolfe (1810-65), KY legislator (1853-55; 1859-63).

**Area (sq mi):** 222.25 (land 222.17; water 0.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,355. **State rank:** 2658. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,070 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian Z%; Others 0.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,214; median household $20,910; **Pop below poverty level:** 42.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,534 - $22,403.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WOODFORD COUNTY

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**Fax:** 859-817-6585

In central KY, west of Lexington; established Nov 12, 1788 (prior to statehood) from Fayette County; the last county formed while KY was still part of VA. **Name Origin:** For William Woodford (1735-1780), Revolutionary War general

**Area (sq mi):** 190.08 (land 188.78; water 1.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,939. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,246 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,501; median household $56,537; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,010 - $40,483.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# Louisiana

**LOUISIANA STATE INFORMATION**
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Baton Rouge, LA 70801
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**Area (sq mi):** 51,839.70 (land 43,561.85; water 8,277.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,533,372. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,523,628 (White 62.6%; Black or African American 32%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,446; median household $43,445; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.10%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,794 - $37,039.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

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**ACADIA PARISH**
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Crowley, LA 70526 **Fax:** 337-788-2421
www.acadiaparishpolicejury.org

In south-central LA, west of Lafayette; organized 1886 from Saint Landry Parish. **Name Origin:** French *Acadie*, an area in northeastern Canada and ME, former home of present-day Cajuns, descendants of Frence settlers displaced by English troops. Their journey is subject of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's (1807-82) poem, Evangeline.

**Area (sq mi):** 657.45 (land 655.12; water 2.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.3.

**Pop 2010:** 61,773. **State rank:** 848. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 59,552 (White 79.5%; Black or African American 18.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,116; median household $37,261; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,284 - $32,067.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Crowley (13,265).

**ALLEN PARISH**
PO Drawer G **Ph:** 337-639-4328
Oberlin, LA 70655 **Fax:** 337-639-4326

In south-central LA, northeast of Lake Charles; established Jun 12, 1912 from Calcasieu Parish. **Name Origin:** For Henry Watkins Allen (1820-66), Confederate general and governor of LA (1864-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 763.02 (land 761.85; water 1.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.8.

**Pop 2010:** 25,764. **State rank:** 1568. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 25,270 (White 71.6%; Black or African American 23.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.3%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,108; median household $36,926; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,130 - $24,450.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ASCENSION PARISH**
208 E Railroad Ave PO Box 1659 **Ph:** 225-621-5709
Gonzales, LA 70707 **Fax:** 225-621-5704
www.ascensionparish.net

In eastern LA, southeast of Baton Rouge; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Acadia Parish. **Name Origin:** For the Feast of the Ascension of Jesus Christ usually observed by Christians of the fortieth day after Easter.

**Area (sq mi):** 301.33 (land 289.98; water 11.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 369.7.

**Pop 2010:** 107,215. **State rank:** 551. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.5%; 2000-2005 +18.1%. **Pop 2005:** 90,501 (White 73.3%; Black or African American 22.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,888; median household $63,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,129 - $38,746.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Prairieville (26,895).

**ASSUMPTION PARISH**
4813 Hwy One PO Box 520 **Ph:** 985-369-7435
Napoleonville, LA 70390 **Fax:** 985-369-2972
www.assumptionla.com

In southeastern LA, south of Baton Rouge; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Lafourche Parish. **Name Origin:** For the Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary observed by Christians on August 15.

**Area (sq mi):** 364.53 (land 338.66; water 25.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.2.

**Pop 2010:** 23,421. **State rank:** 1677. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 23,196 (White 66.8%; Black or African American 30.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%.

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## Assumption Parish (cont'd)

**Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,348; median household $45,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,331 - $32,833.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### AVOYELLES PARISH

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Marksville, LA 71351
www.avoyellesclerk.com

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**Fax:** 318-253-4614

In east-central LA, east of Alexandria; original Parish; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe. The name probably means 'flint people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 865.67 (land 832.43; water 33.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.5.

**Pop 2010:** 42,073. **State rank:** 1100. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,098 (White 67.0%; Black or African American 29.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,944; median household $31,412; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,198 - $28,650.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BEAUREGARD PARISH

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DeRidder, LA 70634
www.beauparish.org

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On southwestern border of LA, north of Lake Charles; organized Jun 12, 1912 from Calcasieu Parish. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Gustave Toutant Beauregard (1818-93), superintendent at West Point who resigned to join the Confederate army (1861); he was the general who directed the bombardment of Fort Sumter and battles of Bull Run and Shiloh.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,163.24 (land 1,157.34; water 5.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 35,654. **State rank:** 1280. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 34,562 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 13.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.8%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,543; median household $45,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,164 - $28,772.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** DeRidder (10,578).

### BIENVILLE PARISH

100 Courthouse Dr Rm 100
Arcadia, LA 71001
www.bienvilleparish.org

**Ph:** 318-263-2123
**Fax:** 318-263-7426

In north-central LA, southeast of Shreveport; organized 1939 from Claiborne Parish. **Name Origin:** For Jean Baptiste Le Moyne, Sieur de Bienville (1680-1765?), founder of New Orleans (1718) and governor of the French colony of Louisiana (1701-13; 1718-26; 1733-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 822.40 (land 811.27; water 11.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,353. **State rank:** 2113. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,176 (White 55.3%; Black or African American 42.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,873; median household $31,870; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,323 - $29,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BOSSIER PARISH

204 Burt Blvd, 2nd Fl
Benton, LA 71006
www.bossierparishla.gov/index.aspx

**Ph:** 318-965-2336
**Fax:** 318-965-2713

On the northwestern border of panhandle of LA, north of Shreveport; organized Feb 24, 1843 from Claiborne Parish. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Evariste Jean Baptiste Bossier (1797-1844), LA legislator and U.S. representative (1843-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 867.74 (land 840.06; water 27.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 139.3.

**Pop 2010:** 116,979. **State rank:** 529. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 105,541 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 20.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 1.6%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,630; median household $51,020; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,355 - $35,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bossier City (61,315).

### CADDO PARISH

505 Travis St, 8th Fl
Shreveport, LA 71101
www.caddo.org

**Ph:** 318-226-6900
**Fax:** 318-429-7630

On northwestern border of panhandle of LA; organized Jan 18, 1838 from Natchitoches Parish. **Name Origin:** For name of a group of tribes of Caddoan linguistic stock. Derived from one of the tribal groups, the Kadohadacho ('real chiefs') Confederacy.

**Area (sq mi):** 933.45 (land 878.54; water 54.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 290.2.

**Pop 2010:** 254,969. **State rank:** 253. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 251,309 (White 49.0%; Black or African American 47.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,594; median household $37,181; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Caddo Parish (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,245 - $38,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shreveport (199,311).

### CALCASIEU PARISH

1000 Ryan St PO Box 1030
Lake Charles, LA 70602
www.cppj.net

**Ph:** 337-437-3550
**Fax:** 337-437-3350

On southwestern border of LA; organized Mar 24, 1840 from Saint Landry Parish. **Name Origin:** Said to be from Atakapan 'crying eagle,' the name of an Indian chief.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,086.88 (land 1,063.66; water 23.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 181.2.

**Pop 2010:** 192,768. **State rank:** 327. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 185,419 (White 70.8%; Black or African American 24.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,591; median household $43,758; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,013 - $34,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lake Charles (71,993); Sulphur (20,410); Moss Bluff (11,557).

### CALDWELL PARISH

PO Box 1737
Columbia, LA 71418

**Ph:** 318-649-2681
**Fax:** 318-649-5930

In north-central LA, south of Monroe; organized Mar 6, 1838 from Catahoula and Ouachita parishes. **Name Origin:** For Matthew Caldwell, a pioneer from NC.

**Area (sq mi):** 540.73 (land 529.43; water 11.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,132. **State rank:** 2397. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,563 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 17.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,888; median household $37,423; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,734 - $28,580.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CAMERON PARISH

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Cameron, LA 70631

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**Fax:** 337-775-7172

On the southwestern border of LA, south of Lake Charles; organized Mar 15, 1870 from Calcasieu and Vermilion parishes. **Name Origin:** For Robert Alexander Cameron, a Confederate soldier active in LA politics after the Civil War; or possibly for Simon Cameron (1799-1889), U.S. senator from PA (1845-49; 1857-61; 1867-77) and secretary of war (1861-62).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,903.52 (land 1,284.89; water 618.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,839. **State rank:** 2707. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -28.4%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,558 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,634; median household $59,555; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,086 - $31,757.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CATAHOULA PARISH

301 Bushley St/ Rm 101 PO Box 654
Harrisonburg, LA 71340
www.louisiana.gov/Government/Parish_Catahoula

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In northeastern LA, northeast of Alexandria; organized Mar 23, 1808 (prior to statehood) from Rapides Parish. **Name Origin:** From an Indian name of uncertain origin. Three derivations have been suggested: for the Etacoulow River 'River of the Great Spirit,' now called Little River, which runs through the parish; from Choctaw *okkattahoola* 'beautiful white water,' or Choctaw-French combination 'lake people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 743.81 (land 708.03; water 35.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,407. **State rank:** 2396. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 10,447 (White 67.1%; Black or African American 31.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,166; median household $36,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,707 - $29,466.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 40.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAIBORNE PARISH

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Homer, LA 71040
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**Ph:** 318-927-9601
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On the central northern border of the LA panhandle, northeast of Shreveport; organized Mar 13, 1828 from Natchitoches Parish. **Name Origin:** For William Charles Cole Claiborne (1775-1817), governor of the Mississippi Territory (1801-05), of the Orleans Territory (1804-12), and of LA (1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 767.78 (land 754.88; water 12.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,195. **State rank:** 2025. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,309 (White 47.5%; Black or African American 50.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,925; median household $32,292; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,303 - $28,713.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel**

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## Claiborne Parish (cont'd)

**time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CONCORDIA PARISH

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Vidalia, LA 71373

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**Fax:** 318-336-8777

On the central eastern border of LA, west of Natchez, MS; original colony, organized Apr 10, 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For either Concordia, the Roman goddess of peace and harmony, or a Latinized form of *concord* 'harmony.'

**Area (sq mi):** 749.69 (land 696.92; water 52.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,822. **State rank:** 1860. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,273 (White 57.4%; Black or African American 40.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,911; median household $30,062; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,278 - $26,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DESOTO PARISH

101 Texas St PO Box 1206
Mansfield, LA 71052
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**Ph:** 318-872-3110
**Fax:** 318-872-4202

On the western border, south of Shreveport; organized Apr 1, 1843 from Natchitoches Parish. **Name Origin:** For Hernando de Soto (c.1500-42), Spanish explorer of southern U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 892.87 (land 875.58; water 17.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.4.

**Pop 2010:** 26,656. **State rank:** 1534. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 26,383 (White 58.0%; Black or African American 39.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,112; median household $38,007; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,801 - $28,856.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

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Baton Rouge, LA 70802
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**Fax:** 225-389-3114

In eastern LA, northwest of New Orleans; organized 1810 (prior to statehood) from Spanish West Florida. **Name Origin:** For its location. The city and the parish share a joint mayor-council form of government.

**Area (sq mi):** 470.48 (land 455.37; water 15.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 966.6.

**Pop 2010:** 440,171. **State rank:** 150. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.0%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 411,417 (White 48.8%; Black or African American 45.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 2.8%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 32.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,260; median household $46,179; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,063 - $40,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 38 for cities).

### EAST CARROLL PARISH

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Lake Providence, LA 71254
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**Fax:** 318-559-0037

On the northeastern border of the LA panhandle; organized Mar 28, 1877 from Carroll Parish. **Name Origin:** From the division of Carroll Parish into two parishes, East and West. Originally for Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence and U.S. senator from MD (1789-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 441.71 (land 420.70; water 21.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,759. **State rank:** 2579. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.4%; 2000-2005 -7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,756 (White 28.9%; Black or African American 69.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,947; median household $24,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 40.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,109 - $30,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EAST FELICIANA PARISH

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Clinton, LA 70722
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**Fax:** 225-683-3556

On the northeastern border of LA, north of Baton Rouge; organized Feb 17, 1824 from Feliciana Parish. **Name Origin:** From the division of Feliciana Parish into two parishes: East and West. Name is Spanish for 'happiness,' or possibly for Felicite, the wife of a colonial governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 455.70 (land 453.41; water 2.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,267. **State rank:** 1764. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,823 (White 53.2%; Black or African American 44.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,376; median household $35,335; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,635 - $33,194.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**EVANGELINE PARISH**
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Ville Platte, LA 70586
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**Ph:** 337-363-5671
**Fax:** 337-363-5780

In south-central LA, northwest of Lafayette; established Jun 15, 1910 from Saint Landry Parish. **Name Origin:** For the heroine of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's (1807-82) poem of the same name.

**Area (sq mi):** 677.72 (land 662.38; water 15.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.3.

**Pop 2010:** 33,984. **State rank:** 1285. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 35,540 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 28.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,561; median household $34,057; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,504 - $27,783.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN PARISH**
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**Ph:** 318-435-5133
**Fax:** 318-435-5134

In northeastern LA, southeast of Monroe; organized Mar 1, 1843 from Catahoula, Ouachita, and Madison parishes. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 636.41 (land 624.59; water 11.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,767. **State rank:** 1825. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,380 (White 67.1%; Black or African American 31.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,676; median household $32,311; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,512 - $27,686.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT PARISH**
PO Box 263
Colfax, LA 71417
**Ph:** 318-627-3246
**Fax:** 318-627-3201

In central LA, north of Alexandria; organized Mar 4, 1869 from Rapides and Winn parishes. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses S. Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 662.48 (land 643.03; water 19.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.7.

**Pop 2010:** 22,309. **State rank:** 1808. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.4%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,503 (White 81.4%; Black or African American 15.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.2%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,536; median household $40,092; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,404 - $25,469.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**IBERIA PARISH**
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New Iberia, LA 70560
www.iberiaparishgovernment.com
**Ph:** 337-365-8246
**Fax:** 337-369-4470

On the central southern border of LA, southeast of Lafayette; organized Oct 30, 1868 from Saint Martin and Saint Mary parishes. **Name Origin:** For the European peninsula containing present-day Spain and Portugal.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,029.84 (land 574.11; water 455.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 127.6.

**Pop 2010:** 73,240. **State rank:** 716. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 74,388 (White 62.2%; Black or African American 32.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 2.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,112; median household $41,783; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,340 - $35,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Iberia (30,617).

**IBERVILLE PARISH**
PO Box 423
Plaquemine, LA 70765
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**Ph:** 225-687-5160
**Fax:** 225-687-5260

In south-central LA, west of Baton Rouge; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Pierre le Moyne, Sieur d'Iberville (1661-1706), French-Canadian naval officer who explored the Mississippi River delta and founded French colonies at present-day Biloxi and Mobile; governor of LA (1703).

**Area (sq mi):** 652.83 (land 618.63; water 34.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.

**Pop 2010:** 33,387. **State rank:** 1361. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 32,386 (White 48.8%; Black or African American 49.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,379; median household $42,215; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,994 - $33,042.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON PARISH**
500 East Court Ave PO Box 730
Jonesboro, LA 71251
jacksonparishclerk.org
**Ph:** 318-259-2424
**Fax:** 318-395-0386

In north-central LA, southwest of Monroe; organized Feb 27, 1845 from Claiborne, Ouachita, and Union parishes. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 579.77 (land 569.18; water 10.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,274. **State rank:** 2087. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,135 (White 68.1%; Black or African

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## Jackson Parish (cont'd)

American 29.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,308; median household $40,674; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,835 - $28,756.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFFERSON DAVIS PARISH

PO Box 799
Jennings, LA 70546
www.jeffdavis.org

**Ph:** 337-824-8340
**Fax:** 337-824-1354

In southwestern LA, east of Lake Charles; organized Jun 12, 1912 from Calcasieu Parish. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Davis (1808-89), president of the Confederate States of America (1862-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 657.59 (land 651.33; water 6.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.5.

**Pop 2010:** 31,594. **State rank:** 1398. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 31,272 (White 79.5%; Black or African American 17.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,487; median household $42,907; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,963 - $30,593.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jennings (10,383).

### JEFFERSON PARISH

200 Derbigny St, Suite 1200
Gretna, LA 70053
www.jeffparish.net

**Ph:** 504-363-5637

In southeastern LA bordered on the north by Lake Pontchartrain and on the south by the Gulf of Mexico; organized Feb 11, 1825 from Orleans Parish. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 631.52 (land 295.63; water 335.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 1463.1.

**Pop 2010:** 432,552. **State rank:** 147. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 452,824 (White 62.9%; Black or African American 26.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 3.9%; Others 12.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.7%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,842; median household $48,175; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,904 - $43,203.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 12 (see page 38 for cities).

### LAFAYETTE CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT

705 West University Ave PO Box 2009
Lafayette, LA 70502
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**Fax:** 337-291-6392

In south-central LA, west of Baton Rouge; organized Jan 17, 1823 from Attakapas and Saint Martin parishes. **Name Origin:** For the Mauquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 269.18 (land 268.72; water 0.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 824.6.

**Pop 2010:** 221,578. **State rank:** 291. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.3%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 197,390 (White 69.4%; Black or African American 25.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.5%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,791; median household $47,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,880 - $43,733.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lafayette (120,623).

### LAFOURCHE PARISH

402 Green St PO Box 5548
Thibodaux, LA 70302
www.lafourchegov.org

**Ph:** 985-446-8427
**Fax:** 985-446-8459

In southeastern LA, southwest of New Orleans; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Bayou Lafourche, which runs the length of the county; from French 'the fork.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,455.72 (land 1,068.21; water 387.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 90.2.

**Pop 2010:** 96,318. **State rank:** 607. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 92,179 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.8%, including 2.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,898; median household $47,492; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,687 - $42,625.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Thibodaux (14,566); Raceland (10,193).

### LASALLE PARISH

1050 Courthouse St, Suite 13 PO Box 1288
Jena, LA 71342
www.lla.state.la.us

**Ph:** 318-992-2101
**Fax:** 318-992-2103

In east-central LA, northeast of Alexandria; organized Jul 3, 1908 from Catahoula Parish. **Name Origin:** For Robert Cavelier (1643-87), Sieur de La Salle, French adventurer and explorer who claimed the land west of the Mississippi River for France.

**Area (sq mi):** 663.22 (land 624.68; water 38.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,890. **State rank:** 2157. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 14,040 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,049; median household $37,572; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## LaSalle Parish (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,509 - $28,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN PARISH

100 W Texas Ave
Ruston, LA 71270
www.lincolnparish.org

**Ph:** 318-251-5150
**Fax:** 318-251-5149

In north-central LA, west of Monroe; organized Feb 27, 1873 from Bienville, Jackson, and Union parishes. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 472.63 (land 471.74; water 0.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.1.

**Pop 2010:** 46,735. **State rank:** 1086. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.0%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 42,108 (White 55.2%; Black or African American 40.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 27.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,665; median household $35,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,317 - $30,697.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ruston (21,859).

### LIVINGSTON PARISH

PO Box 427
Livingston, LA 70754
www.lapage.com/parishes/livin.htm

**Ph:** 225-686-2266
**Fax:** 225-686-7079

On eastern border of LA, east of Baton Rouge; organized Feb 10, 1832 from Saint Helena Parish. **Name Origin:** For Robert R. Livingston (1746-1813), NY patriot, statesman, and a drafter of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 702.99 (land 648.17; water 54.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 197.5.

**Pop 2010:** 128,026. **State rank:** 486. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.2%; 2000-2005 +18.9%. **Pop 2005:** 109,206 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,372; median household $54,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,501 - $30,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 69.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Denham Springs (10,215).

### MADISON PARISH

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Tallulah, LA 71282

**Ph:** 318-574-0655
**Fax:** 318-574-3961

On the northeastern border of LA, west of Vicksburg, MS; organized Jan 19, 1838 from Concordia Parish. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 650.89 (land 624.44; water 26.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,093. **State rank:** 2326. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 12,457 (White 37.2%; Black or African American 61.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,089; median household $26,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,024 - $24,900.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MOREHOUSE PARISH

100 E Madison St PO Box 1543
Bastrop, LA 71221-1154

**Ph:** 318-281-3343
**Fax:** 318-281-3775

On the northern border of the LA panhandle, northeast of Monroe; organized Mar 25, 1844 from Ouachita Territory. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Morehouse (?-1813), colonizer and representative to the legislature of the Territory of Orleans.

**Area (sq mi):** 805.88 (land 794.93; water 10.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.2.

**Pop 2010:** 27,979. **State rank:** 1476. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.7%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 29,989 (White 51.3%; Black or African American 46.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,713; median household $31,781; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,384 - $28,074.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bastrop (11,365).

### NATCHITOCHES PARISH

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Natchitoches, LA 71458-8079
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**Fax:** 318-357-2208

In west-central LA, northwest of Alexandria; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, from a Caddoan word translated variously as chinquapin eaters, chestnut eaters, pawpaw eaters, or pawpaws.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,296.10 (land 1,252.25; water 43.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.6.

**Pop 2010:** 39,566. **State rank:** 1184. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 38,541 (White 54.3%; Black or African American 41.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 33.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,207; median household $30,326; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,340 - $32,069.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Natchitoches (18,323).

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**ORLEANS PARISH**
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**Fax:** 504-658-8647

In southeastern LA, southeast of Baton Rouge; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city of France, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 339.08 (land 169.42; water 169.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 2029.4.

**Pop 2010:** 343,829. **State rank:** 184. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -24.4%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 454,863 (White 33.0%; Black or African American 60.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 2.9%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,929; median household $37,468; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,187 - $42,249.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Orleans (343,829).

**OUACHITA PARISH**
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Monroe, LA 71210
**Ph:** 318-327-1444
**Fax:** 318-327-1462

In north-central LA; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Ouachita River, which runs through the parish; named for an Indian tribe of the Natchitoches Confederacy; meaning of the name is unclear.

**Area (sq mi):** 632.58 (land 610.41; water 22.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 251.8.

**Pop 2010:** 153,720. **State rank:** 408. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 148,237 (White 60.4%; Black or African American 36.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,893; median household $39,823; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,985 - $34,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Monroe (48,815); West Monroe (13,065); Claiborne (11,507).

**PLAQUEMINES PARISH**
301 Main St
Belle Chasse, LA 70037
www.plaqueminesparish.com
**Ph:** 504-392-4969
**Fax:** 504-297-5195

On southeastern border of LA, south of New Orleans; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Orleans Parish. **Name Origin:** A French rendering of Illinois Indian *piakimin* persimmon for the many trees.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,363.89 (land 779.91; water 1,583.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 23,042. **State rank:** 1766. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -20.5%; 2000-2005 +8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,995 (White 70.5%; Black or African American 20.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 3.2%; Others 4.6%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,378; median household $54,730; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,045 - $38,536.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Belle Chasse (12,679).

**POINTE COUPEE PARISH**
PO Box 290
New Roads, LA 70760
**Ph:** 225-638-9556
**Fax:** 225-638-5555

In south-central LA, northwest of Baton Rouge; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From French 'cut-off point,' descriptive of a point where the Mississippi River cut a new channel.

**Area (sq mi):** 590.69 (land 557.35; water 33.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,802. **State rank:** 1700. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,377 (White 61.4%; Black or African American 36.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,533; median household $41,177; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,903 - $34,681.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RAPIDES PARISH**
701 Murray St PO Box 952
Alexandria, LA 71301
www.rapidesclerk.org
**Ph:** 318-473-8153
**Fax:** 318-473-4667

In central LA; organized 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** French for the 'rapids,' on the Red River, which runs through the parish.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,357.38 (land 1,317.96; water 39.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.9.

**Pop 2010:** 131,613. **State rank:** 452. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 128,462 (White 63.3%; Black or African American 32.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,982; median household $40,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,947 - $37,793.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alexandria (47,723); Pineville (14,555).

**RED RIVER PARISH**
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**Fax:** 318-932-3126

In west-central LA, southeast of Shreveport; organized 1871 from Caddo, Bossier, Bienville, Natchitoches, and De Soto parishes. **Name Origin:** For the river, which runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 401.88 (land 389.09; water 12.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,091. **State rank:** 2509. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%;

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Red River Parish (cont'd)

2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,465 (White 59.0%; Black or African American 39.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,044; median household $34,723; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,957 - $28,604.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RICHLAND PARISH

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Rayville, LA 71269

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**Fax:** 318-728-7004

In northeastern LA, east of Monroe; organized Mar 11, 1852 from Ouachita, Carroll, Franklin, and Morehouse parishes. **Name Origin:** Descriptive of the fertile soil.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.09 (land 559.04; water 6.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,725. **State rank:** 1797. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,526 (White 62.1%; Black or African American 36.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,060; median household $37,682; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,400 - $30,351.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SABINE PARISH

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**Fax:** 318-256-9037

On the western border of LA, south of Shreveport; organized Mar 7, 1843 from Natchitoches Parish. **Name Origin:** For the Sabine River, which forms the parish's western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,012.91 (land 866.66; water 146.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.

**Pop 2010:** 24,233. **State rank:** 1638. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,786 (White 70.8%; Black or African American 16.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.4%, including 8.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,626; median household $35,395; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,764 - $27,425.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT BERNARD PARISH

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Chalmette, LA 70043
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**Fax:** 504-278-4329

On the northeastern border of LA, east of New Orleans; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Orleans Parish. **Name Origin:** For Don Bernardo de Galvez (1746-86), Spanish colonial governor who supplied American forces during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,706.23 (land 377.52; water 1,328.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,897. **State rank:** 1157. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -45.1%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 65,364 (White 74.0%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 1.9%; Others 9.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,448; median household $39,200; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $57,780 - $36,047.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chalmette (16,751).

### SAINT CHARLES PARISH

15045 River Rd PO Box 302
Hahnville, LA 70057
www.stcharlesgov.net

**Ph:** 985-783-5000
**Fax:** 985-783-2067

In southeastern LA, southwest of New Orleans; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from German Coast Parish. **Name Origin:** For Saint Charles Borromeo (1538-84), founder of the order of the Oblates of Saint Ambrose.

**Area (sq mi):** 405.60 (land 279.08; water 126.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 189.1.

**Pop 2010:** 52,780. **State rank:** 945. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 50,633 (White 69.2%; Black or African American 26.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,728; median household $60,961; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,778 - $36,626.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Luling (12,119); Destrehan (11,535).

### SAINT HELENA PARISH

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Greensburg, LA 70441

**Ph:** 225-222-4514
**Fax:** 225-222-3443

On the northern border of LA, northeast of Baton Rouge; organized Oct 27, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Feliciana Parish. **Name Origin:** For Saint Helena (c.250-330), mother of Constantine the Great.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.49 (land 408.40; water 1.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,203. **State rank:** 2390. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,259 (White 44.9%; Black or African American 53.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,387; median household $27,393; **Pop**

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**below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,439 - $32,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT JAMES PARISH

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Convent, LA 70723
www.stjamesla.com

**Ph:** 225-562-2270
**Fax:** 225-562-2279

In southeastern LA, southeast of Baton Rouge; original parish, organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James the Apostle, disciple of Jesus Christ.

**Area (sq mi):** 253.20 (land 241.54; water 11.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,102. **State rank:** 1760. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 21,150 (White 48.0%; Black or African American 50.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,509; median household $51,725; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,978 - $31,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Central (26,864).

### SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

1801 W Airline Hwy
LaPlace, LA 70068
www.sjbparish.com

**Ph:** 985-652-9569
**Fax:** 985-652-4131

On the southeastern border of LA, west of New Orleans; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from German Coast Parish. **Name Origin:** For the saint who baptized Jesus, his cousin.

**Area (sq mi):** 342.01 (land 213.07; water 128.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 215.5.

**Pop 2010:** 45,924. **State rank:** 1007. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 46,393 (White 42.5%; Black or African American 53.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,842; median household $47,666; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,864 - $35,657.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laplace (29,872).

### SAINT LANDRY PARISH

118 S Court St
Opelousas, LA 70571
www.stlandry.org

**Ph:** 337-942-5606
**Fax:** 337-948-7265

In south-central LA, north of Lafayette; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Opelousas Parish. **Name Origin:** For Saint Landry (or Landri or Landericus; ?-656), bishop of Paris (650-656).

**Area (sq mi):** 934.06 (land 923.88; water 10.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 90.3.

**Pop 2010:** 83,384. **State rank:** 611. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.3%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 89,937 (White 55.9%; Black or African American 41.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,839; median household $31,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,390 - $33,202.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Opelousas (16,634); Eunice (10,398).

### SAINT MARTIN PARISH

PO Box 308
Saint Martinville, LA 70582
stmartinparish-la.org

**Ph:** 337-394-2210
**Fax:** 337-394-7772

In south-central LA, east of Lafayette; organized 1815 from Attakapas County. **Name Origin:** For Saint Martin (c.315-399), bishop of Tours.

**Area (sq mi):** 814.25 (land 737.65; water 76.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.7.

**Pop 2010:** 52,160. **State rank:** 934. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 50,434 (White 65.8%; Black or African American 30.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,687; median household $41,302; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,482 - $30,058.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT MARY PARISH

5th Fl Courthouse Bldg
Franklin, LA 70538
www.parish.st-mary.la.us

**Ph:** 337-828-4100
**Fax:** 337-828-4092

On the central southern border of LA, southeast of New Iberia; organized Apr 17, 1811 (prior to statehood) from Attakapas Parish. **Name Origin:** For the Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,061.42 (land 555.38; water 506.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.4.

**Pop 2010:** 54,650. **State rank:** 952. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 51,416 (White 59.3%; Black or African American 32.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 1.7%; Others 5.3%, including 1.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,057; median household $40,431; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,297 - $35,405.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Morgan City (12,404).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**SAINT TAMMANY PARISH**
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Covington, LA 70433
www.stpgov.org
**Ph:** 985-809-8700

On the southeastern border of LA, east of Baton Rouge; organized Oct 27, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Feliciana Parish. **Name Origin:** For a celebrated Delaware Indian chief who lived in the 1600s; from *Tamanend*, possibly 'friendly' or 'affable.' His admirers claimed him as their patron saint during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,115.48 (land 845.55; water 269.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 276.4.

**Pop 2010:** 233,740. **State rank:** 274. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +15.2%. **Pop 2005:** 220,295 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 4.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,282; median household $60,866; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,611 - $45,562.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Slidell (27,068); Mandeville (11,560).

**TANGIPAHOA PARISH**
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Amite, LA 70422
www.tangipahoa.org
**Ph:** 985-748-3211
**Fax:** 985-748-7576

On the northern border of LA, east of Baton Rouge; organized Mar 6, 1869 from Livingston, Saint Tammany, Saint Helena, and Washington parishes. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, which has since disappeared. The name is probably from Choctaw *tanchapi* 'cornstalk' or 'cob,' and *ayua* 'gather': 'corn gatherers.'

**Area (sq mi):** 824.16 (land 791.28; water 32.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.

**Pop 2010:** 121,097. **State rank:** 499. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.7%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 106,502 (White 66.2%; Black or African American 30.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 33.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,788; median household $38,957; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,446 - $30,914.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hammond (20,019).

**TENSAS PARISH**
PO Box 78
Saint Joseph, LA 71366
**Ph:** 318-766-3921
**Fax:** 318-766-3926

On the northeastern border of LA, north of Natchez, MS; organized Mar 17, 1843 from Concordia Parish. **Name Origin:** For the Taensa Indian tribe, which lived in the area. The origin and meaning of the name have been lost.

**Area (sq mi):** 641.50 (land 602.78; water 38.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,252. **State rank:** 2785. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -14.3%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,125 (White 41.9%; Black or African American 56.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,218; median household $27,157; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,730 - $33,776.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TERREBONNE PARISH**
PO Box 1569
Houma, LA 70361-1156
www.tpcg.org
**Ph:** 985-868-5660
**Fax:** 985-868-5143

On the southern border of LA, southwest of New Orleans; organized Mar 22, 1822 from Lafourche Parish. **Name Origin:** From the French for 'good land.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,056.79 (land 1,231.82; water 824.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 90.8.

**Pop 2010:** 111,860. **State rank:** 535. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 107,491 (White 70.3%; Black or African American 18.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 4.0%, including 5.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,931; median household $48,437; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,108 - $37,330.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Houma (33,727); Central (26,864); Bayou Cane (19,355).

**UNION PARISH**
100 E Bayou St, Suite 105
Farmerville, LA 71241
**Ph:** 318-368-3055
**Fax:** 318-368-3861

On the central northern border of the LA panhandle, north of Monroe; organized Mar 13, 1839 from Ouachita Parish. **Name Origin:** For the union of the United States.

**Area (sq mi):** 904.67 (land 876.99; water 27.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,721. **State rank:** 1693. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,901 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 27.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,375; median household $38,930; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,322 - $30,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VERMILION PARISH**
County Courthouse 100 N State St Suite 101
Abbeville, LA 70510
www.vermilion.org
**Ph:** 337-898-1992
**Fax:** 337-898-9803

On the central southern border of LA, south of Lafayette; organized Mar 25, 1844 from Lafayette Parish. **Name Origin:** For the red clay soil.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,537.73 (land 1,173.20; water 364.53). **Pop per sq mi:**

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49.4.

**Pop 2010:** 57,999. **State rank:** 889. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 55,195 (White 80.9%; Black or African American 14.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 2.0%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,389; median household $42,693; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,262 - $29,555.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Abbeville (12,257).

### VERNON PARISH

215 S 4th St PO Box 1700
Leesville, LA 71446

**Ph:** 337-239-2147
**Fax:** 337-238-9902

On the central western border of LA, southwest of Alexandria; organized Mar 30, 1871 from Natchitoches, Rapides, and Sabine parishes. **Name Origin:** For Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington (1732-99) in VA.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,341.01 (land 1,327.91; water 13.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.4.

**Pop 2010:** 52,334. **State rank:** 1012. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 -7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 48,745 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 14.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 1.8%; Others 7.2%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,191; median household $42,554; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,614 - $39,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHINGTON PARISH

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Franklinton, LA 70438
www.wpgov.org

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**Fax:** 985-839-7828

On the northeastern border of LA, northeast of Baton Rouge; organized Mar 6, 1819 from Saint Tammany Parish. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 675.93 (land 669.53; water 6.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.4.

**Pop 2010:** 47,168. **State rank:** 1036. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 44,623 (White 66.7%; Black or African American 31.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,120; median household $30,363; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,189 - $27,503.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bogalusa (12,232).

### WEBSTER PARISH

410 Main St PO Box 370
Minden, LA 71058
www.wppj.org

**Ph:** 318-371-0366
**Fax:** 318-371-0226

On the northwestern border of the LA panhandle, northeast of Shreveport; organized Feb 27, 1871 from Bossier, Claiborne, and Bienville parishes. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 612.88 (land 593.03; water 19.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.5.

**Pop 2010:** 41,207. **State rank:** 1163. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 41,356 (White 64.2%; Black or African American 33.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,254; median household $35,999; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,370 - $32,469.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Minden (13,082).

### WEST BATON ROUGE PARISH

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Port Allen, LA 70767
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**Fax:** 225-387-0218

In east-central LA, west of Baton Rouge; organized Mar 31, 1807 (prior to statehood) from Baton Rouge Parish. **Name Origin:** From the division of Baton Rouge Parish into two parishes: East and West.

**Area (sq mi):** 204.81 (land 192.39; water 12.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 123.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,788. **State rank:** 1691. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,634 (White 60.0%; Black or African American 37.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,101; median household $47,298; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,472 - $35,102.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WEST CARROLL PARISH

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Oak Grove, LA 71263

**Ph:** 318-428-3281
**Fax:** 318-428-9896

On the northeastern border of the LA panhandle, northeast of Monroe; organized Mar 28, 1877 from Carroll Parish. **Name Origin:** From the division of Carroll Parish into two parishes: East and West.

**Area (sq mi):** 360.57 (land 359.65; water 0.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,604. **State rank:** 2329. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,806 (White 81.8%; Black or African American 15.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,462; median household $33,901; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,718 - $23,930.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEST FELICIANA PARISH**
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Saint Francisville, LA 70775
www.westfelicianaparish.org

**Ph:** 225-635-3864
**Fax:** 225-635-3705

On the northern border of LA, northwest of Baton Rouge; organized Feb 17, 1824 from Feliciana Parish. **Name Origin:** From the divison of Feliciana Parish into two parishes: East and West.

**Area (sq mi):** 423.22 (land 403.21; water 20.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,625. **State rank:** 2088. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,199 (White 52.0%; Black or African American 46.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,118; median household $43,411; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,393 - $26,506.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINN PARISH**
119 W Main St PO Box 951
Winnfield, LA 71483

**Ph:** 318-628-5824
**Fax:** 318-628-7336

In north-central LA, southwest of Monroe; organized 1852 from Natchitoches, Catahoula, and Rapides parishes. **Name Origin:** For Walter O. Winn, a prominent lawyer and citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 956.52 (land 950.09; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.1.

**Pop 2010:** 15,313. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 15,968 (White 66.8%; Black or African American 30.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,833; median household $32,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,989 - $28,745.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# Maine

**MAINE STATE INFORMATION**
www.maine.gov **Ph:** 207-624-9494

**Area (sq mi):** 35,384.65 (land 30,861.55; water 4,523.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,328,361. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 1,321,505 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,300; median household $46,933; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,930 - $36,763.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

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**ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY**
2 Turner St Unit 2 **Ph:** 207-784-8390
Auburn, ME 04210 **Fax:** 207-782-5367
www.androscoggincounty.com

In southern ME, southwest of Augusta; organized Mar 18, 1854 from Cumberland, Oxford, and Kennebec counties. **Name Origin:** For the river, from an Abnaki Indian name meaning either 'place where fish are cured,' 'fishing place for alewives.' or 'fish spearing.'

**Area (sq mi):** 494.88 (land 467.93; water 26.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 230.2.

**Pop 2010:** 107,702. **State rank:** 547. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 108,039 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,752; median household $44,470; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,386 - $35,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lewiston (36,592); Auburn 🏛 (23,055).

**AROOSTOOK COUNTY**
144 Sweden St Suite 1 **Ph:** 207-493-3318
Caribou, ME 04736 **Fax:** 207-493-3491
www.aroostook.me.us

In northern ME, bordered on west and northwest by Quebec, Canada, and on the northeast and east by New Brunswick, Canada. Organized Mar 16, 1839 from Washington and Penobscot counties. **Name Origin:** For the Aroostook River, which runs through the county; from Micmac Indian 'clear river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 6,828.58 (land 6,671.33; water 157.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.8.

**Pop 2010:** 71,870. **State rank:** 743. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 73,240 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,251; median household $36,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,399 - $31,153.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
142 Federal St **Ph:** 207-871-8380
Portland, ME 04101 **Fax:** 207-871-8292
www.cumberlandcounty.org

In southern ME, south of Lewiston; organized May 28, 1760 (prior to statehood) from York County. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus, Duke of Cumberland (1721-65), British general and second son of King George II (1683-1760).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,216.62 (land 835.24; water 381.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 337.2.

**Pop 2010:** 281,674. **State rank:** 230. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 274,950 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 2.0%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,041; median household $55,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,385 - $44,369.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portland 🏛 (66,194); South Portland (25,002); Westbrook (17,494); Brunswick (15,175).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
140 Main St **Ph:** 207-778-6614
Farmington, ME 04938 **Fax:** 207-778-5899
www.maine.gov/local/county.php?c=franklin

On northwestern border of ME, northwest of Augusta; organized Mar 20, 1838 from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,743.11 (land 1,696.61; water 46.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.1.

**Pop 2010:** 30,768. **State rank:** 1427. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 29,704 (White 97.3%; Black or African

## Franklin County (cont'd)

American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,838; median household $39,831; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,517 - $29,432.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HANCOCK COUNTY

50 State St, Suite 7
Ellsworth, ME 04605
www.co.hancock.me.us

**Ph:** 207-667-9542
**Fax:** 207-667-1412

In eastern ME, on the Atlantic Coast; organized Jun 25, 1789 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), president of the Continental Congress (1775-77), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, and governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,350.22 (land 1,586.89; water 763.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.3.

**Pop 2010:** 54,418. **State rank:** 917. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 53,660 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,876; median household $47,533; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,353 - $37,167.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KENNEBEC COUNTY

125 State St, 2nd Fl
Augusta, ME 04330
www.kennebeccounty.org

**Ph:** 207-622-0971
**Fax:** 207-623-4083

In south-central ME, southwest of Bangor; organized Feb 20, 1799 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For part of the Kennebec River; from an Abnaki Indian word probably meaning 'long, quiet water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 951.12 (land 867.52; water 83.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 140.8.

**Pop 2010:** 122,151. **State rank:** 492. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 120,986 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,656; median household $45,973; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,821 - $35,493.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Augusta (19,136); Waterville (15,722).

### KNOX COUNTY

62 Union St
Rockland, ME 04841
www.knoxcounty.midcoast.com

**Ph:** 207-594-0420
**Fax:** 207-594-0443

On Atlantic coast of ME, east of Augusta; organized Mar 9, 1860 from Lincoln and Waldo counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), officer in the Revolutionary War, and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,141.56 (land 365.13; water 776.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.8.

**Pop 2010:** 39,736. **State rank:** 1151. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 41,219 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,291; median household $45,264; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,612 - $38,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

PO Box 249
Wiscasset, ME 04578
www.lincolncountymaine.me

**Ph:** 207-882-6311
**Fax:** 207-882-4320

On Atlantic coast of ME, south of Augusta; organized May 28, 1760 (prior to statehood) from York County. **Name Origin:** For either Enoch Lincoln (1788-1829), governor of ME (1827-29), or for Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), officer in the Revolutionary War, U.S. secretary of war (1781-83), and lt. gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 699.64 (land 455.82; water 243.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.6.

**Pop 2010:** 34,457. **State rank:** 1298. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 35,240 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,003; median household $47,678; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,174 - $38,913.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OXFORD COUNTY

PO Box 179
South Paris, ME 04281
www.oxfordcounty.org

**Ph:** 207-743-6359
**Fax:** 207-743-1545

On western border of ME and NH, west of Lewiston; organized Mar 4, 1805 (prior to starthood) from York and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For Oxford, MA; named by David Leonard, an early settler who came from there.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,174.10 (land 2,076.84; water 97.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.8.

**Pop 2010:** 57,833. **State rank:** 887. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 56,628 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Oxford County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,254; median household $39,748; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,518 - $29,676.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PENOBSCOT COUNTY

97 Hammond St
Bangor, ME 04401
www.penobscot-county.net

**Ph:** 207-942-8535
**Fax:** 207-945-6027

In east-central ME; organized Feb 15, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Hancock County. **Name Origin:** For the Penobscot River, which flows through the county; from an Indian word *penobskeag* 'rocky place' or 'river of rocks.'

**Area (sq mi):** 3,557.77 (land 3,397.36; water 160.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.3.

**Pop 2010:** 153,923. **State rank:** 413. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 147,068 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.1%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,977; median household $42,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,183 - $32,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bangor 🏛 (33,039).

### PISCATAQUIS COUNTY

159 E Main St
Dover-Foxcroft, ME 04426
www.pcedc.org

**Ph:** 207-564-2161
**Fax:** 207-564-3022

In central ME, north of Bangor; organized March 23, 1838 from Penobscot and Somerset counties. **Name Origin:** For the Piscataquis River, which runs through it; from an Abnaki Indian word probably meaning 'divided tidal river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,372 (land 3,960.86; water 411.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,535. **State rank:** 1973. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,674 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,870; median household $34,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,426 - $30,178.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAGADAHOC COUNTY

752 High St
Bath, ME 04530
www.sagcounty.com

**Ph:** 207-443-8200
**Fax:** 207-443-8213

On Atlantic coast of ME, east of Portland; organized Apr 4, 1854 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** From an Abnaki Indian word probably meaning land of the mouth, or mouth of the river, for its location at the confluence of the Androscoggin and Kennebec rivers where they meet the Atlantic.

**Area (sq mi):** 369.99 (land 253.70; water 116.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 139.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,293. **State rank:** 1256. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 36,962 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,983; median household $55,486; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,119 - $39,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SOMERSET COUNTY

County Courthouse 41 Court St
Skowhegan, ME 04976
www.somersetcountymaine.org

**Ph:** 207-474-9861
**Fax:** 207-474-7405

In west-central ME and north to the border with Quebec, Canada; organized Mar 1, 1809 (prior to statehood) from Kennebec County. **Name Origin:** For Somerset county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,093.27 (land 3,924.40; water 168.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.3.

**Pop 2010:** 52,228. **State rank:** 949. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 51,667 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 0.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,709; median household $36,647; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,118 - $30,153.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WALDO COUNTY

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Belfast, ME 04915
www.waldocountyme.gov

**Ph:** 207-338-1710
**Fax:** 207-338-6360

On central Atlantic coast of ME, southwest of Bangor; organized Feb 7, 1827 from Hancock County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Samuel Waldo (1695-1759), an officer in the French and Indian Wars, and promoter of settlement in the area that became Maine.

**Area (sq mi):** 852.93 (land 729.92; water 123.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 38,786. **State rank:** 1206. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 38,705 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 44.1.

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## Waldo County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,213; median household $41,312; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,640 - $32,634.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
85 Court St PO Box 297
Machias, ME 04654
www.washingtoncountymaine.com

**Ph:** 207-255-3127
**Fax:** 207-255-3313

On Atlantic coast in extreme eastern ME, east of Bangor; organized Jun 25, 1789 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,249.10 (land 2,562.66; water 686.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.8.

**Pop 2010:** 32,856. **State rank:** 1371. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 33,448 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 4.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,401; median household $34,859; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,734 - $30,727.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YORK COUNTY**
45 Kennebunk Rd PO Box 399
Alfred, ME 04002
www.yorkcountyme.gov

**Ph:** 207-324-1571
**Fax:** 207-324-9494

At southwestern tip of ME along Atlantic coast and NH border, southwest of Portland; original county (formerly Yorkshire County, MA), organized 1636 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James, Duke of York and Albany (1633-1701), later James II of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,271.14 (land 990.71; water 280.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 199.

**Pop 2010:** 197,131. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 202,315 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,137; median household $55,008; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,337 - $38,764.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Biddeford (21,277); Saco (18,482).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

# Maryland

PENNSYLVANIA

NEW JERSEY

WEST VIRGINIA

VIRGINIA

DELAWARE

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Washington

Frederick

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Harford

Cecil

Baltimore

Baltimore City

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Prince George's

Anne Arundel

Kent

Queen Anne's

Caroline

Talbot

Dorchester

Wicomico

Somerset

Worcester

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Calvert

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Cumberland

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Upper Marlboro

La Plata

Prince Frederick

Cambridge

Salisbury

Ocean City

Leonardtown

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# Maryland

**MARYLAND STATE INFORMATION**
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Annapolis, MD 21401
www.maryland.gov
**Ph:** 410-974-3901

**Area (sq mi):** 12,406.68 (land 9,773.82; water 2,632.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 594.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,773,552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,600,388 (White 58.2%; Black or African American 29.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 5.5%; Others 8.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $49,025; median household $70,647; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,839 - $49,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.5%.

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**ALLEGANY COUNTY**
701 Kelly Rd
Cumberland, MD 21502
www.allconet.org
**Ph:** 301-759-2070
**Fax:** 301-759-2019

On northwestern border of panhandle of MD; organized Dec 25, 1789 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the Allegheny Mountains (using a variant spelling), which cross through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 428.56 (land 424.16; water 4.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 177.

**Pop 2010:** 75,087. **State rank:** 733. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 73,639 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,764; median household $37,747; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,924 - $31,740.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cumberland 🏛 (20,859); Bel Air (10,120).

**ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY**
44 Calvert St
Annapolis, MD 21401
www.aacounty.org
**Ph:** 410-222-7000

In east-central MD, south of Baltimore; original county, organized 1650. **Name Origin:** For Anne Arundel, daughter of Lord Thomas Arundell of Wardour and wife of Cecilius Calvert, Lord Baltimore (1605-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 586.86 (land 414.90; water 171.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 1295.9.

**Pop 2010:** 537,656. **State rank:** 121. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 510,878 (White 75.4%; Black or African American 15.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 3.4%; Others 6.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,660; median household $83,456; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,977 - $54,506.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 38 for cities).

**BALTIMORE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 410-887-3062

On central northern border of MD, north of Annapolis; original county, legal origin not known, but was in existence by Jan 12, 1659. Baltimore City was made indlependent of the county in 1851. **Name Origin:** For the barony of Baltimore in Ireland, source of the hereditary title Lord Baltimore of the Calvert family, proprietors of the colony of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 681.74 (land 598.30; water 83.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 1345.5.

**Pop 2010:** 805,029. **State rank:** 71. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 786,113 (White 64.6%; Black or African American 26.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 5.0%; Others 4.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,719; median household $63,959; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,647 - $49,280.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 23 (see page 39 for cities).

**BALTIMORE (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
100 N Holliday St
Baltimore, MD 21202
www.ci.baltimore.md.us
**Ph:** 410-396-3100
**Fax:** 410-396-9568

In northern MD on Patapsco River, upper Chesapeake Bay, 41 mi. northeast of Washington, DC. Founded 1729; incorporated 1796. Distinct from and independent of Baltimore County since 1851, with the same political power as a county. Major East Coast port. Headquarters of McCormick & Co, world's largest producer of spices

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## Baltimore (Independent City) (cont'd)

and seasonings. Other industries include steel, chemicals, and manufacture of radar and other electronic equipment. Site of Johns Hopkins University. Site of Fort McHenry, whose bombardment by the British in 1814 inspired Francis Scott Key (1779-1843) to write The Star-Spangled Banner. **Name Origin:** For the barony of Baltimore in Ireland, source of the hereditary title Lord Baltimore of the Calvert family, proprietors of the colony of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 92.21 (land 80.94; water 11.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 7671.5.

**Pop 2010:** 620,961. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 635,815 (White 29.6%; Black or African American 63.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 2.3%; Others 4.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,333; median household $39,386; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,584 - $40,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALVERT COUNTY**
175 Main St, Suite 105 **Ph:** 410-535-1600
Prince Frederick, MD 20678 **Fax:** 410-535-9572
www.co.cal.md.us

In south-central MD, south of Annapolis; original county, organized as Patuxent County in 1654; name changed in 1658. **Name Origin:** For the family name of the Lords Baltimore, proprietors of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 343.06 (land 213.15; water 129.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 416.3.

**Pop 2010:** 88,737. **State rank:** 632. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +17.9%. **Pop 2005:** 87,925 (White 81.4%; Black or African American 13.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,323; median household $90,838; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,477 - $46,157.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chesapeake Ranch Estates (10,519).

**CAROLINE COUNTY**
109 Market St **Ph:** 410-479-0660
Denton, MD 21629 **Fax:** 410-479-4060
www.carolinemd.org

On eastern border of MD, southwest of Dover, DE; organized Jun 15, 1773 (prior to statehood) from Dorchester and Queen Anne's counties. **Name Origin:** For Lady Caroline Eden, the wife of Maryland's last colonial governor, Robert Eden (1741 - 1784), sister of Frederick Calvert, 6th Baron Baltimore.

**Area (sq mi):** 325.34 (land 319.42; water 5.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.5.

**Pop 2010:** 33,066. **State rank:** 1332. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,822 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 13.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,294; median household $58,799; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,042 - $31,282.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
225 N Center St Rm 300 **Ph:** 410-386-2043
Westminster, MD 21157 **Fax:** 410-386-2485
ccgovernment.carr.org/ccg/default.asp

On central northern border of MD, northwest of Baltimore; organized Jun 19, 1836 from Baltimore and Frederick counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD, and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 450.87 (land 447.60; water 3.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 373.4.

**Pop 2010:** 167,134. **State rank:** 357. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 168,541 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,938; median household $81,621; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,050 - $44,247.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eldersburg (30,531); Westminster (18,590).

**CECIL COUNTY**
129 E Main St, Rm 210 **Ph:** 410-996-5335
Elkton, MD 21921 **Fax:** 410-392-7814
www.ccgov.org

On northeastern border of MD, west of Wilmington, DE; organized 1674 from Baltimore and Kent counties. **Name Origin:** For Cecilius Calvert, 2nd Lord Baltimore (1605-75), founder and first proprietor of the colony of MD, though he never visited it.

**Area (sq mi):** 416.02 (land 346.27; water 69.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 292.

**Pop 2010:** 101,108. **State rank:** 569. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +13.8%. **Pop 2005:** 97,796 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,640; median household $64,886; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,199 - $38,508.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Woodlawn (37,879); Elkton (15,443).

**CHARLES COUNTY**
PO Box 2150 **Ph:** 301-645-0600
La Plata, MD 20646 **Fax:** 301-645-0560
www.charlescounty.org

In southwestern MD, south of Alexandria, VA; original county,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Charles County (cont'd)

organized 1658. **Name Origin:** For Charles Calvert, 3rd Baron Baltimore (1637-1715), second proprietor of the colony of MD; the son of Cecilius Calvert (1606-75) and Anne Arundell.

**Area (sq mi):** 639.97 (land 457.75; water 182.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 320.2.

**Pop 2010:** 146,551. **State rank:** 434. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +15.2%. **Pop 2005:** 138,822 (White 50.3%; Black or African American 41.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 3.0%; Others 4.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,780; median household $88,825; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,317 - $43,542.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 41.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waldorf (67,752).

### DORCHESTER COUNTY

501 Court Ln
Cambridge, MD 21613
www.docogonet.com

**Ph:** 410-228-1700
**Fax:** 410-228-9641

In south-central MD, west of Salisbury; original county whose legal origin is unknown, but it was in existence by Feb 16,1668-69. **Name Origin:** For Richard Sackville II, 5th Earl of Dorset (1622-77), friend of the Calvert family.

**Area (sq mi):** 966.15 (land 540.77; water 425.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.3.

**Pop 2010:** 32,618. **State rank:** 1374. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 31,401 (White 67.6%; Black or African American 27.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,139; median household $45,151; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,464 - $34,266.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cambridge 🏛 (12,326).

### FREDERICK COUNTY

12 E Church St PO Box 870
Frederick, MD 21701
www.co.frederick.md.us

**Ph:** 301-694-1100
**Fax:** 301-694-1849

On northwestern border of MD, southeast of Hagerstown; organized Jun 10, 1748 from Baltimore and Prince George's counties. **Name Origin:** For Frederick Calvert, 6th Baron Baltimore (1731-71), fifth and last proprietor of the colony of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 664.68 (land 660.22; water 4.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 353.5.

**Pop 2010:** 233,385. **State rank:** 278. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +13.0%. **Pop 2005:** 220,701 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 3.8%; Others 7.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,172; median household $81,686; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,414 - $46,057.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Frederick 🏛 (65,239); Edgewood (25,562); Ballenger Creek (18,274).

### GARRETT COUNTY

203 S 4th St Courthouse, Rm 207
Oakland, MD 21550
www.garrettcounty.org

**Ph:** 301-334-8970
**Fax:** 301-334-5000

On northwestern border of the panhandle of MD, west of Cumberland; organized Apr 1, 1872 from Allegany County; the last county to be formed in MD. **Name Origin:** For John Work Garrett (1820-84), president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad (1858-84).

**Area (sq mi):** 655.04 (land 647.10; water 7.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.5.

**Pop 2010:** 30,097. **State rank:** 1432. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 29,909 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,888; median household $45,760; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,789 - $36,725.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARFORD COUNTY

220 S Main St
Bel Air, MD 21014
www.co.ha.md.us

**Ph:** 410-838-6000
**Fax:** 410-638-1387

On northern border of MD, northeast of Baltimore; organized 1773 (prior to statehood) from Baltimore County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Hartford (c. 1759-1834), an illegitimate son of Frederick Calvert (1731-71), 6th Lord Baltimore, and the last proprietor of the colony of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 523.46 (land 437.09; water 86.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 560.1.

**Pop 2010:** 244,826. **State rank:** 263. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 239,259 (White 81.2%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 2.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,559; median household $77,010; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,982 - $46,871.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Edgewood (25,562); Aberdeen (14,959); Havre de Grace (12,952); Joppatowne (12,616); Bel Air (10,120).

### HOWARD COUNTY

3430 Courthouse Dr
Ellicott City, MD 21043
www.co.ho.md.us

**Ph:** 410-313-2011
**Fax:** 410-313-3051

In north-central MD, west of Baltimore; organized as Howard District in1838 from Anne Arundel County; formed as county May 13, 1851. **Name Origin:** For John Eager Howard (1752-1827), member of the Continental Congress (1784-88), MD governor (1788-91), and U.S. senator (1796-1803).

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## Howard County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 252.25 (land 250.74; water 1.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 1144.9.

**Pop 2010:** 287,085. **State rank:** 226. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 269,457 (White 62.2%; Black or African American 17.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 14.4%; Others 5.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $45,294; median household $103,273; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $60,839 - $63,375.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbia (99,615); Ellicott City (65,834); Scaggsville (24,333); Ilchester (23,476); Elkridge (15,593).

### KENT COUNTY

400 High St
Chestertown, MD 21620
www.kentcounty.com

**Ph:** 410-778-7435
**Fax:** 410-778-7482

On northeastern border of MD, northwest of Dover, MD; original county, organized Dec 16, 1642. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.90 (land 277.03; water 134.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,197. **State rank:** 1805. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,899 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 15.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,536; median household $50,141; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,146 - $44,658.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

101 Monroe St 2nd Fl
Rockville, MD 20850
www.montgomerycountymd.gov

**Ph:** 240-777-2500
**Fax:** 240-777-2517

On central western border of MD, north of Washington, D.C.; organized Sept 6, 1776 (prior to statehood) from Frederick County. Added territory (Takoma Park city) from Prince George's County effective July 1, 1997. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), an officer in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 502.88 (land 491.25; water 11.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 1978.2.

**Pop 2010:** 971,777. **State rank:** 43. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 927,583 (White 57.5%; Black or African American 17.2%; Hispanic or Latino 17.0%; Asian 13.9%; Others 17.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 30.9%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $47,310; median household $93,373; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $67,236 - $67,639.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 24 (see page 39 for cities).

### PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY

14741 Governor Oden Bowie Dr
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772-2305
www.goprincegeorgescounty.com

**Ph:** 301-952-3600
**Fax:** 301-952-4862

In central MD, east of Washington, D.C.; organized May 20, 1695 from Charles and Calvert counties. Lost territory (Takoma Park city) to Montgomery County effective July 1, 1997. **Name Origin:** For Prince George of Denmark (1653-1708), husband of Queen Anne of England (1665-1714).

**Area (sq mi):** 495.70 (land 482.69; water 13.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 1788.8.

**Pop 2010:** 863,420. **State rank:** 61. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 846,123 (White 19.2%; Black or African American 64.5%; Hispanic or Latino 14.9%; Asian 4.1%; Others 14.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.4%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,215; median household $71,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,361 - $39,647.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 33 (see page 39 for cities).

### QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY

107 N Liberty St
Centreville, MD 21617
www.qac.org

**Ph:** 410-758-4098
**Fax:** 410-758-1170

On eastern border of MD, west of Dover, DE; organized 1706 from Talbot County. **Name Origin:** For Anne (1665-1714), queen of Great Britain and Ireland (1702-14).

**Area (sq mi):** 509.49 (land 371.91; water 137.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.5.

**Pop 2010:** 47,798. **State rank:** 999. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +12.4%. **Pop 2005:** 45,612 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,964; median household $81,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,180 - $46,732.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT MARY'S COUNTY

PO Box 676
Leonardtown, MD 20650
www.co.saint-marys.md.us

**Ph:** 301-475-4567
**Fax:** 301-475-4470

On southern border of MD, bounded by the Potomac River on the west, the Patuxent River on the east, and Chesapeake Bay on the south; the first original county, organized 1637. **Name Origin:** For Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ. The ships Ark and Dove, carrying colonists, landed on Saint Clement's Island on Mar 25, 1634, the Feast of the Annunciation of Mary.

**Area (sq mi):** 760.43 (land 357.18; water 403.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 294.4.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Saint Mary's County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 105,151. **State rank:** 560. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 96,518 (White 78.6%; Black or African American 14.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 2.5%; Others 3.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,000; median household $80,053; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,685 - $43,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** California (11,857); Lexington Park (11,626).

**SOMERSET COUNTY**
11916 Somerset Ave, Rm 111 **Ph:** 410-651-0320
Princess Anne, MD 21853 **Fax:** 410-651-0366
www.somersetmd.us

On southern border of MD, southwest of Salisbury; original county; organized Aug 22, 1666. **Name Origin:** For Mary Somerset, sister-in-law of Cecilius Calvert (1605-75), 2nd Lord Baltimore.

**Area (sq mi):** 603.28 (land 319.72; water 283.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.8.

**Pop 2010:** 26,470. **State rank:** 1552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 25,845 (White 53.5%; Black or African American 42.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,919; median household $42,443; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,323 - $27,472.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TALBOT COUNTY**
11 N Washington St County Courthouse **Ph:** 410-770-8010
Easton, MD 21601 **Fax:** 410-770-8007
www.co.talbot.md.us

In east-central MD, southeast of Annapolis; in existence by Feb 18, 1661-62, organized from Kent County named after Lady Grace Talbot. **Name Origin:** For Grace Talbot, daughter of George Calvert (1580-1632), 1st Lord Baltimore, and sister of Cecilius Calvert, first proprietor of the colony of MD.

**Area (sq mi):** 476.18 (land 268.54; water 207.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 140.7.

**Pop 2010:** 37,782. **State rank:** 1261. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 35,683 (White 81.4%; Black or African American 12.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,958; median household $63,017; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $54,937 - $54,701.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Easton 🏛 (15,945).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
100 W Washington St, Suite 113 **Ph:** 240-313-2210
Hagerstown, MD 21740 **Fax:** 240-313-2201
www.washco-md.net

On central northern border of MD; organized Sept 6, 1776 from Frederick County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 467.19 (land 457.78; water 9.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 322.1.

**Pop 2010:** 147,430. **State rank:** 423. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 141,895 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 9.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,588; median household $52,994; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,664 - $36,140.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hagerstown 🏛 (39,662); Halfway (10,701).

**WICOMICO COUNTY**
125 N Division St PO Box 870 **Ph:** 410-548-4801
Salisbury, MD 21803-3087 **Fax:** 410-548-4803
www.wicomicocounty.org

In southeastern MD, north of Princess Anne; organized Aug 17, 1867 from Somerset and Worcester counties. **Name Origin:** For the Wicomico River, which flows through it. Possibly for a Nanticoke Indian village near its banks named *wicko-mekee*, possibly 'where houses are being built,' or 'pleasant place of dwelling.'

**Area (sq mi):** 397.06 (land 374.44; water 22.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 263.7.

**Pop 2010:** 98,733. **State rank:** 604. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 90,402 (White 68.7%; Black or African American 24.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.5%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,505; median household $50,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,499 - $34,145.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salisbury 🏛 (30,343).

**WORCESTER COUNTY**
1 W Market St, Rm 1103 **Ph:** 410-632-1194
Snow Hill, MD 21863 **Fax:** 410-632-3131
www.co.worcester.md.us

On southeastern border of MD, on Atlantic Ocean; organized Oct 29, 1742 from Somerset County. **Name Origin:** For Edward Somerset, Earl of Worcester (c.1601-67), son-in-law of George Calvert (1580-1632).

**Area (sq mi):** 689.77 (land 468.28; water 221.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.9.

**Pop 2010:** 51,454. **State rank:** 973. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 48,750 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 13.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 48.1.

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## Worcester County (cont'd)

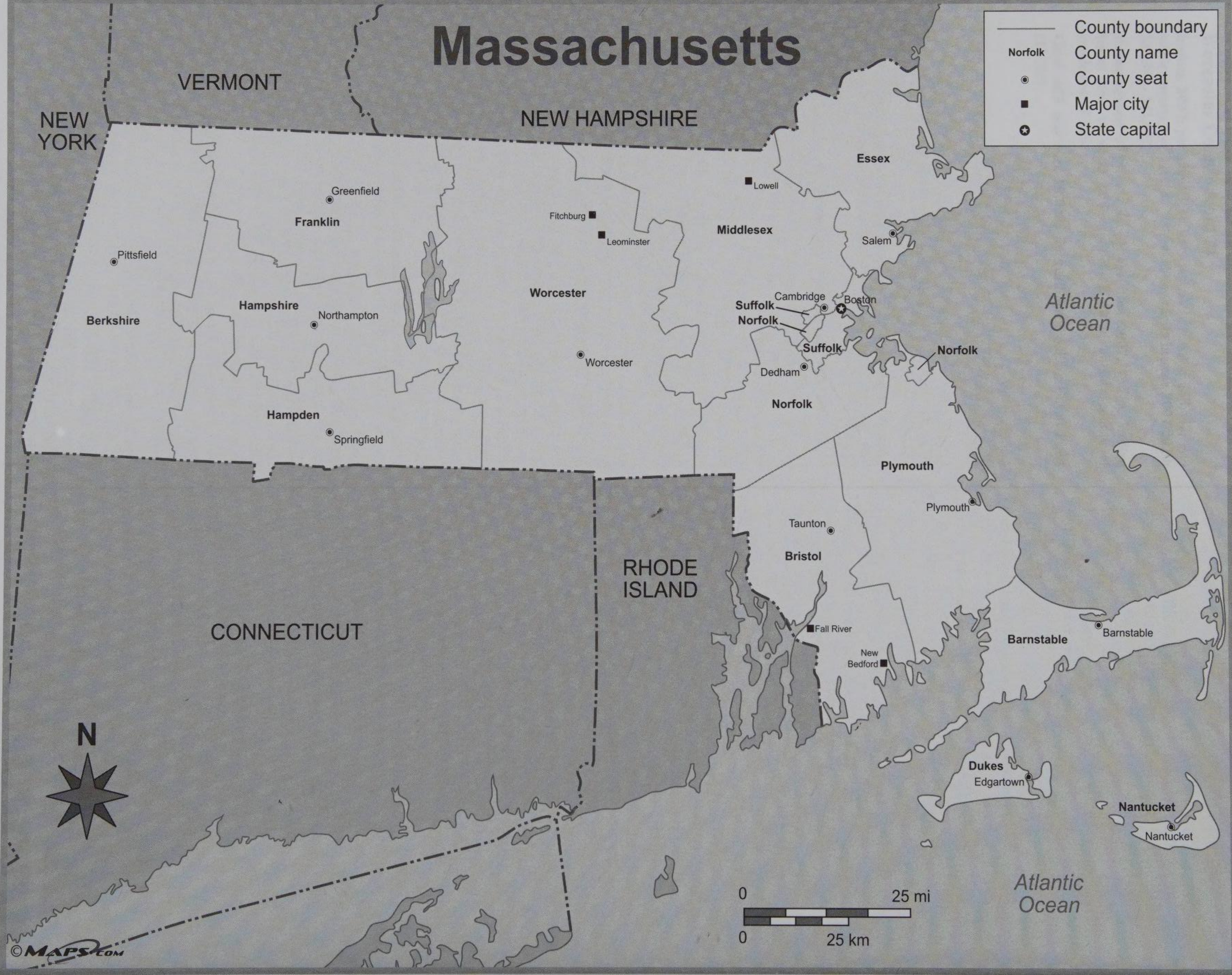
**Income 2007:** per capita $31,520; median household $55,487; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,371 - $41,857.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Germantown (86,395); Ocean Pines (11,710).

*Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.

# Massachusetts



# Massachusetts

**MASSACHUSETTS STATE INFORMATION**
200 Arlington St
Chelsea, MA 02105
www.mass.gov
**Ph:** 866-888-2808
**Fax:** 617-660-4516

**Area (sq mi):** 10,554.57 (land 7,840.02; water 2,714.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 839.4.

**Pop 2010:** 6,547,629. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,398,743 (White 80.4%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 5.3%; Others 9.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $51,552; median household $64,509; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,150 - $51,304.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

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**BARNSTABLE COUNTY**
3195 Main St
Barnstable, MA 02630
www.tsic.com
**Ph:** 508-375-6648
**Fax:** 508-362-4136

Coextensive with Cape Cod, in southeastern MA; organized Jun 2, 1685 from Old Plymouth Colony. **Name Origin:** For Barnstaple, Devonshire, England. Original meaning was 'Bearda's staple or post,' or 'post to which a warship was moored.' Folk etymology changed it to *-stable*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,303.82 (land 393.72; water 910.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 548.3.

**Pop 2010:** 215,888. **State rank:** 283. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.7%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 226,514 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.2%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 49.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,246; median household $60,317; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,703 - $52,798.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** South Yarmouth (11,092).

**BERKSHIRE COUNTY**
76 East St
Pittsfield, MA 01201
**Ph:** 413-499-1940
**Fax:** 413-499-7990

On western border of MA, bordered on north by VT, by NY on west, and by CT on south; organized April 21, 1761 from Hampshire County. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 941.78 (land 926.83; water 14.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.6.

**Pop 2010:** 131,219. **State rank:** 471. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 131,868 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,300; median household $48,907; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,298 - $42,679.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pittsfield 🏛 (44,737); North Adams (13,708).

**BRISTOL COUNTY**
9 Court St
Taunton, MA 02780
www.countyofbristol.net
**Ph:** 508-824-9681
**Fax:** 508-821-3101

On southwestern border of MA with RI; organized Jun 2, 1685 from Old Plymouth Colony. **Name Origin:** For Bristol, Gloucestershire and Somerset, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 688.29 (land 553.10; water 135.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 991.3.

**Pop 2010:** 548,285. **State rank:** 111. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 546,331 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 1.9%; Others 6.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.0%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,736; median household $54,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,701 - $40,622.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Bedford (95,072); Fall River (88,857); Taunton 🏛 (55,874); Attleboro (43,593); Somerset (18,165).

**DUKES COUNTY**
PO Box 190
Edgartown, MA 02539
dukescounty.org/Pages/index
**Ph:** 508-696-3840
**Fax:** 508-696-3841

Southeast of New Bedford; includes islands of Martha's Vineyard, Chappaquiddick, Elizabeth, and Noman's Land. Organized Jun 22, 1695 from Martha's Vineyard. **Name Origin:** For James II (1633-1701), Duke of York and Albany, administrator of the colonies at the time of naming.

**Area (sq mi):** 490.43 (land 103.25; water 387.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 160.2.

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## Dukes County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 16,535. **State rank:** 2038. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,592 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.8%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,390; median household $62,407; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,904 - $58,841.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ESSEX COUNTY

36 Federal St County Administration Bldg 1st Fl **Ph:** 978-741-0200
Salem, MA 01970
essexcountyma.net/records.htm

On northeastern border of MA, north of Boston; original county, organized May 10, 1643. **Name Origin:** For the county of Essex, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 820.42 (land 492.56; water 327.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 1508.8.

**Pop 2010:** 743,159. **State rank:** 77. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 738,301 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 16.5%; Asian 3.1%; Others 16.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.5%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,828; median household $64,153; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,804 - $50,531.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 39 for cities).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

425 Main St Ste 105 PO Box 1573 **Ph:** 413-774-5535
Greenfield, MA 01302 **Fax:** 413-774-4770
www.co.franklin.ma.us

On northern border of MA, north of Northampton; organized Jun 24, 1811 from Hampshire County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 722.03 (land 699.32; water 22.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.1.

**Pop 2010:** 71,372. **State rank:** 741. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 72,334 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,544; median household $52,002; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,148 - $41,230.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMPDEN COUNTY

50 State St PO Box 2421 **Ph:** 413-748-8600
Springfield, MA 01102 **Fax:** 413-747-4841

On southern border of MA, south of Northampton; organized Feb 25, 1812 from Hampshire County. **Name Origin:** For John Hampden (1594-1643), English statesman influential in the establishment of Puritan colonies in North America.

**Area (sq mi):** 632.85 (land 617.14; water 15.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 751.

**Pop 2010:** 463,490. **State rank:** 140. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 461,591 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 9.0%; Hispanic or Latino 20.9%; Asian 2.0%; Others 20.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.7%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,718; median household $47,724; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,418 - $38,612.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield (153,060); Chicopee (55,298); Westfield (41,094); Holyoke (39,880); Longmeadow (15,784).

### HAMPSHIRE COUNTY

99 Main St **Ph:** 413-587-0053
Northampton, MA 01060 **Fax:** 413-584-1465

In west-central MA, north of Springfield, organized May 7, 1662 from Middlesex County. **Name Origin:** Named by Capt. John Mason (1586-1635) for the county of Hampshire, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.67 (land 527.26; water 16.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 299.8.

**Pop 2010:** 158,080. **State rank:** 395. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 153,339 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 4.5%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,367; median household $59,505; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,700 - $38,240.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Northampton (28,549); Amherst Center (19,065).

### MIDDLESEX COUNTY

40 Thorndike St **Ph:** 617-494-4300
Cambridge, MA 02141 **Fax:** 617-494-9129

In northern MA, west and northwest of Boston; bounded on north by NH and on the south by Massachusetts Bay. Original county, organized May 10, 1643. **Name Origin:** For an ancient county in England, most of which became part of Greater London in 1965.

**Area (sq mi):** 841.90 (land 817.82; water 24.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 1837.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,503,085. **State rank:** 23. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,459,011 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 9.3%; Others 6.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,139; median household $77,377; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Middlesex County (cont'd)

$59,496 - $60,765.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 23 (see page 39 for cities).

**NANTUCKET COUNTY**
16 Broad St
Nantucket, MA 02554
www.nantucket-ma.gov
**Ph:** 508-228-7216
**Fax:** 508-325-5313

Coextensive with Nantucket Island, south of Cape Cod, MA; original county, organized Jun 22, 1695. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word of uncertain meaning. An early map marks the island as *Natocok*, which may mean 'far away.' Others suggest the root *Nantuck* means 'the sandy, sterile soil tempted no one.'

**Area (sq mi):** 300.80 (land 44.97; water 255.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 226.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,172. **State rank:** 2330. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,168 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 9.4%, including Z% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.8%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $53,410; median household $83,347; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $71,526 - $73,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NORFOLK COUNTY**
614 High St
Dedham, MA 02026
www.norfolkcounty.org
**Ph:** 781-461-6105
**Fax:** 781-326-6480

In eastern MA, south of Boston; organized Mar 26, 1793 from Suffolk County. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 440.46 (land 396.11; water 44.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 1693.6.

**Pop 2010:** 670,850. **State rank:** 90. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 653,595 (White 82.3%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 8.6%; Others 3.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.0%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,371; median household $81,027; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $62,599 - $62,521.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 39 for cities).

**PLYMOUTH COUNTY**
Court St
Plymouth, MA 02360
www.seeplymouth.com
**Ph:** 508-747-6911
**Fax:** 508-830-0676

In southeastern MA, northeast of New Bedford; organized Jun 2, 1685 from Old Plymouth Colony. **Name Origin:** For Plymouth, Devonshire, England, from which the *Mayflower* sailed for America.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,091.62 (land 659.08; water 432.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 750.9.

**Pop 2010:** 494,919. **State rank:** 129. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 492,409 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,333; median household $73,131; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,989 - $49,066.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brockton (93,810); Abington (15,985); Hull (10,293).

**SUFFOLK COUNTY**
3 Pemberton Sq
Boston, MA 02108
**Ph:** 617-725-8787

In eastern MA, on Massachusetts Bay; original county, organized May 10, 1643. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 119.83 (land 58.15; water 61.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 12415.7.

**Pop 2010:** 722,023. **State rank:** 74. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 654,428 (White 56.0%; Black or African American 21.6%; Hispanic or Latino 19.9%; Asian 8.2%; Others 19.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 27.7%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,720; median household $50,597; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $53,909 - $52,856.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Boston 🏛 (617,594); Revere (51,755); Chelsea (35,177).

**WORCESTER COUNTY**
90 Front St, Level 2
Worcester, MA 01608
www.worcesterma.gov
**Ph:** 508-798-7717
**Fax:** 508-798-7746

In central MA, having its northern border with NH, its southern border with CT; organized Apr 2, 1731 from Middlesex and Suffolk counties. **Name Origin:** For either the town of Worcester or the county of Worcestershire, both in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,576.72 (land 1,510.77; water 65.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 528.6.

**Pop 2010:** 798,552. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 783,262 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 4.0%; Others 9.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.7%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,557; median household $64,152; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,981 - $43,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 39 for cities).

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# Michigan

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**MICHIGAN STATE INFORMATION**
www.michigan.gov **Ph:** 517-373-1837

**Area (sq mi):** 96,716.10 (land 56,803.82; water 39,912.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 174.8.

**Pop 2010:** 9,883,640. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,120,860 (White 78.9%; Black or African American 14.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 2.4%; Others 4.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,597; median household $48,432; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,419 - $34,714.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

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**ALCONA COUNTY**
106 5th St PO Box 308 **Ph:** 989-724-9410
Harrisville, MI 48740 **Fax:** 989-724-5838
www.michigan.gov

On the northeastern coast of MI on Lake Huron; established as Neewaygo County Apr 1, 1840 from Alpena County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** A local coinage, said to mean 'beautiful plains.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,790.69 (land 674.59; water 1,116.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,942. **State rank:** 2346. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,653 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 55.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,904; median household $34,858; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,170 - $28,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALGER COUNTY**
101 Court St PO Box 538 **Ph:** 906-387-2076
Munising, MI 49862 **Fax:** 906-387-2156
www.algercounty.com

On the north-central coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI, on Lake Superior, established Mar 17, 1885, from Schoolcraft County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Russell Alexander Alger (1836-1907), governor of MI (1885-87), U.S. secretary of war (1897-99), and U.S. senator from MI (1902-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 5,046.32 (land 915.07; water 4,131.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,601. **State rank:** 2481. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,662 (White 86.3%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 4.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,858; median household $38,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,594 - $25,001.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLEGAN COUNTY**
113 Chestnut St **Ph:** 269-673-0205
Allegan, MI 49010 **Fax:** 269-673-0367
www.allegancounty.org

On the southwestern coast of MI, bordered on the west by Lake Michigan; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from Kalamazoo County. **Name Origin:** Named for the Allegan (Alleghen) Indian tribe by Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), explorer, MI legislator, author, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,831.06 (land 825.23; water 1,005.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 135.

**Pop 2010:** 111,408. **State rank:** 522. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 113,174 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,108; median household $50,240; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,349 - $32,015.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Pleasant (26,016).

**ALPENA COUNTY**
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Alpena, MI 49707 **Fax:** 989-354-9648
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On the northeastern coast of MI, bordered on the east by Lake Huron; established as Anamickee County Apr 1, 1840 from Presque Isle County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word probably meaning 'partridge' or 'partridge country.' Originally named for the Chippewa chief.

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## Alpena County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,692.71 (land 571.86; water 1,120.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.8.

**Pop 2010:** 29,598. **State rank:** 1439. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 30,428 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,140; median household $36,695; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,282 - $32,798.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alpena (10,483).

### ANTRIM COUNTY

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Bellaire, MI 49615
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**Ph:** 231-533-6353
**Fax:** 231-533-6935

On the northwest coast of MI; established as Meegisee County Apr 1, 1840 from Mackinac County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For the county in Ireland.

**Area (sq mi):** 600.67 (land 475.70; water 124.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,580. **State rank:** 1633. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,422 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,912; median household $43,123; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,913 - $31,586.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ARENAC COUNTY

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Standish, MI 48658
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**Fax:** 989-846-9194

On the east coast of MI on Saginaw Bay; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Name coined by Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), author, explorer, MI legislator, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41), meaning 'sandy place' from Spanish *arena* 'sand' and *-ac* 'place of.'

**Area (sq mi):** 677.16 (land 363.19; water 313.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,899. **State rank:** 2027. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.3%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,154 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,073; median household $36,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,225 - $29,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BARAGA COUNTY

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L'Anse, MI 49946
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**Ph:** 906-524-6183
**Fax:** 906-524-6432

On the north coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Keweenaw Bay; established Feb 19, 1875 from Houghton County. **Name Origin:** For the Rev. Frederic Baraga (1797-1868), Slovenian-born Roman Catholic missionary to the Ojibways who became a bishop in 1853. He established schools for the Chippewa and Ottawa (1830-68).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,063.11 (land 898.26; water 164.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,860. **State rank:** 2541. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,746 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 13.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,107; median household $40,541; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,303 - $26,189.

**Unemployment 2010:** 23.3%. **Change from 2007:** +10.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BARRY COUNTY

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Hastings, MI 49058
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**Ph:** 269-948-4810
**Fax:** 269-945-0209

In southwestern MI, northeast of Kalamazoo; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Eaton County. **Name Origin:** For William Taylor Barry (1784-1835), KY legislator, U.S. senator (1814-16), and U.S. Postmaster General (1829-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 573.86 (land 553.09; water 20.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 107.

**Pop 2010:** 59,173. **State rank:** 865. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 59,892 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,493; median household $51,869; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,224 - $31,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BAY COUNTY

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On the east coast of MI, north of Saginaw; established Feb 27, 1857 from Saginaw and Midland counties. **Name Origin:** For its location at the head of Saginaw Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 628.96 (land 442.30; water 186.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 243.7.

**Pop 2010:** 107,771. **State rank:** 542. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 109,029 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Bay County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,049; median household $44,659; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,928 - $32,192.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bay City 🏛 (34,932).

### BENZIE COUNTY

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On the northwestern coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Feb 27, 1863 from Manistee and Grand Traverse counties. **Name Origin:** Origin uncertain; perhaps a variant of the French name for the Betsie river, *Aux Bec Scies* 'sawbill' a species of duck. Americans corrupted it to *Betsie*, then to *Benzie* for the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 858.02 (land 319.70; water 538.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,525. **State rank:** 1950. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 17,644 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,649; median household $44,718; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,295 - $30,481.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BERRIEN COUNTY

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Saint Joseph, MI 49085
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**Ph:** 269-983-7111
**Fax:** 269-982-8642

In the southwestern corner of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Macpherson Berrien (1781-1856), U.S. senator from GA (1825-29; 1841-52) and U.S. attorney general (1829-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,578.14 (land 567.75; water 1,010.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 276.2.

**Pop 2010:** 156,813. **State rank:** 374. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 162,611 (White 78.3%; Black or African American 15.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.6%; Others 4.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,025; median household $42,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,259 - $34,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Niles (11,600); Benton Harbor (10,038).

### BRANCH COUNTY

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Coldwater, MI 49036
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On the south-central border of MI; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Saint Joseph County. **Name Origin:** For John Branch (1782-1863), NC governor (1817-20), U.S. secretary of the navy (1829-31), and governor of FL Territory (1844-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 518.45 (land 506.37; water 12.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.4.

**Pop 2010:** 45,248. **State rank:** 1055. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 46,460 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,049; median household $42,133; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,476 - $27,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Coldwater 🏛 (10,945).

### CALHOUN COUNTY

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Marshall, MI 49068
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In south-central MI, east of Kalamazoo; established Oct. 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and proponent of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 715.95 (land 706.23; water 9.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 192.8.

**Pop 2010:** 136,146. **State rank:** 447. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 139,191 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.6%; Others 4.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,166; median household $42,568; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,276 - $32,915.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Battle Creek (52,347); Oak Park (29,319).

### CASS COUNTY

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Cassopolis, MI 49031
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On the southwestern border of MI, southwest of Kalamazoo; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 506.35 (land 490.06; water 16.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.7.

**Pop 2010:** 52,293. **State rank:** 961. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 51,996 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 5.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 42.6.

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## Cass County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,698; median household $45,177; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,968 - $32,554.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHARLEVOIX COUNTY**
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Charlevoix, MI 49720
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On the northwestern coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established as Reshkauko County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Francois Xavier de Charlevoix (1682-1761), French Jesuit explorer and writer who traveled from the Great Lakes down the Illinois and Mississippi rivers to New Orleans (1720-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,390.26 (land 416.34; water 973.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,949. **State rank:** 1558. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,722 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,403; median household $48,704; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,337 - $36,270.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHEBOYGAN COUNTY**
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On the north coast of MI; established Apr 1, 1840 from Antrim County. **Name Origin:** For the Cheboygan River; the name is Algonquian but the meaning is in dispute.

**Area (sq mi):** 884.89 (land 715.26; water 169.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,152. **State rank:** 1546. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 27,463 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,038; median household $37,903; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,540 - $28,829.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHIPPEWA COUNTY**
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Sault Sainte Marie, MI 49783
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On the northeast coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Whitefish Bay; established Dec 22, 1826 (prior to statehood) from Mackinac County. **Name Origin:** For the Ojibway Indians of Algonquian linguistic stock. The name means 'puckered' and probably refers to the seam in their moccasins.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,695.34 (land 1,558.42; water 1,136.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 38,520. **State rank:** 1198. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 38,780 (White 72.3%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,309; median household $40,194; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,208 - $26,446.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLARE COUNTY**
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Harrison, MI 48625
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In central MI, northwest of Midland; established as Kaykakee County Apr 1, 1840 from Isabella County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For the county in Ireland. Originally for the Indian chief, Kaykakee 'pigeon hawk' who had signed the Treaty of 1826.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.74 (land 564.32; water 8.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.8.

**Pop 2010:** 30,926. **State rank:** 1422. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 31,653 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,491; median household $34,399; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,388 - $27,457.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Allendale (17,579).

**CLINTON COUNTY**
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In central MI, north of Lansing; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from Shiawassee County. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-21; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 569.53 (land 566.41; water 3.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.1.

**Pop 2010:** 75,382. **State rank:** 757. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 69,329 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.5%; Others 3.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Clinton County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,223; median household $58,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,039 - $33,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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Grayling, MI 49738
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**Fax:** 989-344-3223

In north-central MI; established Apr 1, 1840 as Shawano County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Crawford (1732-82), VA officer in the Revolutionary War, Indian fighter, and surveyor.

**Area (sq mi):** 561.53 (land 556.28; water 5.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,074. **State rank:** 2146. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,074 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,002; median household $39,665; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,930 - $27,299.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DELTA COUNTY**
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Escanaba, MI 49829
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**Fax:** 906-786-8830

On the Upper Peninsula of MI on Green Bay; established Mar 9, 1843 from Schoolcraft County. **Name Origin:** For the Greek letter, which the shape of the county resembles.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,992.66 (land 1,171.10; water 821.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.7.

**Pop 2010:** 37,069. **State rank:** 1237. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 38,347 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,064; median household $41,951; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,436 - $31,503.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Escanaba 🏛 (12,616).

**DICKINSON COUNTY**
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On the south-central border of the Upper Peninsula of MI, south of Ishpeming; established May 21, 1891 from Marquette County. **Name Origin:** For Donald McDonald Dickinson (1846-1917), U.S. postmaster-general (1887-89).

**Area (sq mi):** 772.18 (land 761.40; water 10.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 26,168. **State rank:** 1526. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,032 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,854; median household $42,586; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,633 - $37,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In south-central MI, east of Lansing; established Oct 29, 1829. **Name Origin:** For John Henry Eaton (1790-1856), U.S. senator from TN (1818-29), U.S. secretary of War (1829-31), and governor of FL Territory (1834-36).

**Area (sq mi):** 577.79 (land 575.18; water 2.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 187.3.

**Pop 2010:** 107,759. **State rank:** 548. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 107,394 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 1.7%; Others 4.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,963; median household $54,885; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,649 - $33,019.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waverly (23,925).

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On the northwest coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established as Tonedagana County Apr 1, 1840 from Mackinac County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Robert W. Emmet (1778-1803), Irish rebel executed by the British; named for him during a time when rebel leaders were honored by Americans.

**Area (sq mi):** 881.93 (land 467.49; water 414.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.9.

**Pop 2010:** 32,694. **State rank:** 1321. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 33,580 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 3.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,308; median household $49,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,561 - $38,499.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.8%.

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## Emmet County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GENESEE COUNTY**
900 S Saginaw St, Rm 502 **Ph:** 810-257-3528
Flint, MI 48502 **Fax:** 810-257-3464
www.co.genesee.mi.us

In east-central MI, northeast of Lansing; organized Mar 28, 1835 (prior to statehood) from Oakland County. **Name Origin:** For Genesee County, NY, former home of many early settlers; from Iroquoian 'beautiful valley.'

**Area (sq mi):** 646.68 (land 636.98; water 9.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 668.5.

**Pop 2010:** 425,790. **State rank:** 156. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 443,883 (White 74.5%; Black or African American 20.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,458; median household $43,483; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,612 - $29,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Flint 🏛 (102,434); Burton (29,999); Fenton (11,756); Beecher (10,232).

**GLADWIN COUNTY**
401 W Cedar Ave CR C002 **Ph:** 989-426-7351
Gladwin, MI 48624 **Fax:** 989-426-6917
www.gladwinco.com

In east-central MI, north of Midland; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Gladwin (1729-91), British soldier during the French and Indian War and defender of Detroit against Chief Pontiac.

**Area (sq mi):** 511.41 (land 501.78; water 9.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.2.

**Pop 2010:** 25,692. **State rank:** 1564. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 27,209 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,571; median household $37,936; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,822 - $26,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GOGEBIC COUNTY**
200 N Moore St **Ph:** 906-663-4518
Bessemer, MI 49911 **Fax:** 906-663-4660
www.gogebic.org

On the southwest border of the Upper Peninsula of MI; organized Feb 7, 1887 from Ontonagon County. **Name Origin:** From Ojibway *agogebic*, of uncertain origin, though *bic* translates to 'lake'; also possibly 'trembling ground.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,476.42 (land 1,101.85; water 374.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,427. **State rank:** 2040. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,861 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,933; median household $33,673; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,882 - $30,105.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY**
400 Boardman Ave **Ph:** 231-922-4760
Traverse City, MI 49684 **Fax:** 231-922-4658
www.grandtraverse.org

On the northwest coast of MI on Grand Traverse Bay; organized as Omeena County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Apr 17, 1851. **Name Origin:** From French *Le Grand Traverse* the long crossing, for the trail across the foot of Traverse Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 600.39 (land 464.33; water 136.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 187.3.

**Pop 2010:** 86,986. **State rank:** 647. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 83,971 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.2%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,091; median household $50,647; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,385 - $35,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Traverse City 🏛 (14,674).

**GRATIOT COUNTY**
County Courthouse 214 E Center St, PO Box 437 **Ph:** 989-875-5215
Ithaca, MI 48847 **Fax:** 989-875-5284
www.gratiotcounty.org

In central MI, north of Lansing; established Mar 2, 1831 from Saginaw County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Charles Gratiot (1786-1855), U.S. army officer who built Ft. Gratiot at Port Huron (1814); chief engineer of U.S. Army (1828-38).

**Area (sq mi):** 569.94 (land 568.46; water 1.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.7.

**Pop 2010:** 42,476. **State rank:** 1115. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 42,345 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 5.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,388; median household $40,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,474 - $28,621.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**HILLSDALE COUNTY**
29 N Howell St, Rm 1
Hillsdale, MI 49242
www.co.hillsdale.mi.us
**Ph:** 517-437-3391
**Fax:** 517-437-3392

On the south-central border of MI, southeast of Kalamazoo; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Lenawee County. **Name Origin:** For its topography of hills and dales.

**Area (sq mi):** 606.43 (land 598.13; water 8.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 78.1.

**Pop 2010:** 46,688. **State rank:** 1037. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 47,066 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,006; median household $42,989; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,594 - $26,580.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOUGHTON COUNTY**
401 E Houghton Ave Courthouse, 2nd Fl
Houghton, MI 49931
www.houghtoncounty.net
**Ph:** 906-482-1150
**Fax:** 906-483-0364

On the northwest coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI; organized Mar 19, 1845 from Marquette, Schoolcraft, and Ontonagon counties. **Name Origin:** For Douglas Houghton (1809-45), professor and pioneer state geologist (1834-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,498.94 (land 1,009.10; water 489.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.3.

**Pop 2010:** 36,628. **State rank:** 1284. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,705 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 2.9%; Others 1.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 33.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,267; median household $34,174; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,695 - $26,867.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wyandotte (25,883).

**HURON COUNTY**
250 E Huron Ave Rm 303
Bad Axe, MI 48413
www.huroncounty.com
**Ph:** 989-269-6431
**Fax:** 989-269-8209

On the east coast of MI on Saginaw Bay; organized Apr 1, 1840 from Sanilac and Tuscola counties. **Name Origin:** For the Huron Indians (later known as Wyandots), a tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock; from a French word for 'rough,' probably because they were formidable opponents.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,135.66 (land 835.71; water 1,299.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.6.

**Pop 2010:** 33,118. **State rank:** 1368. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 34,640 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,098; median household $40,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,576 - $35,686.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**INGHAM COUNTY**
315 S Jefferson St
Mason, MI 48854
www.ingham.org
**Ph:** 517-676-7204
**Fax:** 517-676-7254

In south-central MI; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Delucenna Ingham (1779-1860), U.S. representative from PA (1813-18; 1822-29) and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1829-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 557.87 (land 556.12; water 1.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 505.1.

**Pop 2010:** 280,895. **State rank:** 231. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 278,592 (White 76.2%; Black or African American 11.8%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 5.2%; Others 7.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,883; median household $45,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,256 - $33,763.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lansing 🏛 (114,297); East Lansing (48,579); Holt (23,973); Okemos (21,369); Haslett (19,220).

**IONIA COUNTY**
114 North Kidd St
Ionia, MI 48846
www.ioniacounty.org
**Ph:** 616-527-4170
**Fax:** 616-527-8201

In central MI, east of Grand Rapids; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the ancient province in Greece.

**Area (sq mi):** 578.32 (land 571.30; water 7.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.9.

**Pop 2010:** 63,905. **State rank:** 824. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 64,608 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,386; median household $46,454; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,947 - $25,315.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ionia 🏛 (11,394).

**IOSCO COUNTY**
PO Box 778
Tawas City, MI 48764
www.iosco.m33access.com
**Ph:** 989-362-4212
**Fax:** 989-984-1002

On the east-central coast of MI bordered on east by Lake Huron; organized as Kanotin County Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word

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## Iosco County (cont'd)

meaning shining water or water of light.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,890.76 (land 549.10; water 1,341.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.1.

**Pop 2010:** 25,887. **State rank:** 1556. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 26,992 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 51.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,513; median household $36,861; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,529 - $27,770.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### IRON COUNTY

2 S 6th St
Crystal Falls, MI 49920
www.iron.org

**Ph:** 906-875-3221
**Fax:** 906-875-6775

On the southwest border of the Upper Peninsula of MI; established Apr 3, 1885 from Marquette and Menominee counties. **Name Origin:** For the iron mines in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,210.82 (land 1,166.15; water 44.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,817. **State rank:** 2309. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,299 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 51.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,986; median household $33,734; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,012 - $31,907.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ISABELLA COUNTY

200 N Main St
Mount Pleasant, MI 48858
www.isabellacounty.org

**Ph:** 989-772-0911
**Fax:** 989-773-7431

In central MI, west of Midland; organized Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Isabella (1451-1504), queen of Spain who financed Christopher Columbus's expeditions.

**Area (sq mi):** 576.16 (land 572.68; water 3.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 122.8.

**Pop 2010:** 70,311. **State rank:** 774. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 65,618 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.1%, including 3.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 25.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,510; median household $36,880; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,816 - $26,828.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Pleasant (26,016).

### JACKSON COUNTY

312 S Jackson St
Jackson, MI 49201
www.co.jackson.mi.us

**Ph:** 517-788-4268
**Fax:** 517-788-4601

In south-central MI, west of Ann Arbor, established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Washtenaw County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.84 (land 701.67; water 17.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 228.4.

**Pop 2010:** 160,248. **State rank:** 376. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 163,629 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 7.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,947; median household $46,117; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,441 - $30,207.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jackson (33,534).

### KALAMAZOO COUNTY

141 E. Michigan Ave Suite 100
Kalamazoo, MI 49007
www.kalcounty.com

**Ph:** 269-488-9000
**Fax:** 269-384-8143

In southwest MI, south of Grand Rapids; organized Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Saint Joseph County. **Name Origin:** From Algonquian, *ke-kala-mazoo*, meaning uncertain, interpreted as connected with 'smoke,' 'beautiful water,' 'otters,' or 'boiling water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 579.98 (land 561.66; water 18.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 445.7.

**Pop 2010:** 250,331. **State rank:** 256. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 240,536 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 2.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,138; median household $44,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,005 - $35,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kalamazoo (74,262); Portage (46,292); Highland Park (11,776).

### KALKASKA COUNTY

46th Circuit Ct PO Box 10
Kalkaska, MI 49646
www.kalkaskami.com

**Ph:** 231-258-6911
**Fax:** 231-258-3337

In north-central MI, east of Traverse City; established as Wabassee County Apr 1, 1840 from Crawford County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word of uncertain origin and meaning, although some sources suggest that it is from a Chippewa word meaning 'burned over.'

**Area (sq mi):** 569.62 (land 559.87; water 9.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,153. **State rank:** 1969. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,239 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,770; median household $39,350; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,921 - $26,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KENT COUNTY

300 Monroe Ave NW
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
www.accesskent.com

**Ph:** 616-632-7590
**Fax:** 616-632-7645

In west-central MI, east of Muskegon; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For James Kent (1763-1847), chief justice of the NY supreme court (1804-14).

**Area (sq mi):** 862.96 (land 846.95; water 16.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 711.5.

**Pop 2010:** 602,622. **State rank:** 100. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 596,666 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 2.3%; Others 9.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,791; median household $49,532; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,874 - $34,819.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 39 for cities).

### KEWEENAW COUNTY

5095 Forest St
Eagle River, MI 49950
www.keweenaw.org

**Ph:** 906-337-2229
**Fax:** 906-337-2795

On northernmost tip of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Lake Superior; organized Mar 11, 1861 from Houghton County. **Name Origin:** From Ojibway (or Potawatomi), probably 'to cross a point,' or 'portage,' variant of Kewaunee.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,965.09 (land 540.11; water 5,424.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,156. **State rank:** 3018. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,195 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 51.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,307; median household $38,872; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,101 - $36,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAKE COUNTY

800 10th St, Suite 200
Baldwin, MI 49304
www.lakecountymichigan.com

**Ph:** 231-745-2725
**Fax:** 231-745-8632

In west-central MI, north of Grand Rapids; established as Aishcum County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** Possibly for Lake Michigan.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.54 (land 567.37; water 7.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,539. **State rank:** 2356. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,069 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 9.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,084; median household $31,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,475 - $26,931.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAPEER COUNTY

255 Clay St
Lapeer, MI 48446
www.county.lapeer.org

**Ph:** 810-667-0356
**Fax:** 810-667-0362

In east-central MI, east of Flint; established Sept 10, 1822 (prior to statehood) from Oakland and Saint Clair counties. **Name Origin:** From the local spelling of French *la pierre* the stone or flint, probably a transliteration of an Indian name for the Flint River, for its rocky bed.

**Area (sq mi):** 651.89 (land 643.01; water 8.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 137.4.

**Pop 2010:** 88,319. **State rank:** 627. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 93,361 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,110; median household $55,005; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,397 - $30,349.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEELANAU COUNTY

8527 E Government Center Dr, Suite 104
Suttons Bay, MI 49682
www.leelanaucounty.com

**Ph:** 231-256-9838
**Fax:** 231-256-7850

On the northwest coast of MI, bordered on the west by Lake Michigan; established Apr 1, 1840. **Name Origin:** For an Indian maid, supposedly, whose name means 'delight of life.' Named at the suggestion of Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), author, explorer, MI legislator, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,531.08 (land 347.17; water 2,183.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,708. **State rank:** 1724. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 22,157 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 3.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 50.3.

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## Leelanau County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,194; median household $56,527; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,460 - $41,536.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LENAWEE COUNTY**
425 N Main St Judicial Bldg, 3rd Fl
Adrian, MI 49221
www.lenawee.mi.us
**Ph:** 517-264-4599
**Fax:** 517-264-4790

On the southern border of MI, southwest of Ann Arbor; established Sep 10, 1822 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** Origin uncertain; perhaps from an Indian word meaning 'man'.

**Area (sq mi):** 760.37 (land 749.56; water 10.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.3.

**Pop 2010:** 99,892. **State rank:** 577. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 102,033 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,529; median household $48,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,575 - $30,538.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Adrian (21,133).

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
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Howell, MI 48843
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**Fax:** 517-546-4354

In south-central MI, southwest of Flint; established Mar 21, 1833 (prior to statehood) from Shiawassee County. **Name Origin:** For Edward Livingston (1764-1836), NY legislator, LA legislator and U.S. senator (1829-31), and U.S. secretary of state (1831-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 582.28 (land 565.25; water 17.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 320.2.

**Pop 2010:** 180,967. **State rank:** 335. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +15.7%. **Pop 2005:** 181,517 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,609; median household $72,129; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,873 - $38,334.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LUCE COUNTY**
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Newberry, MI 49868
www.lucecountymi.org
**Ph:** 906-293-5521
**Fax:** 906-293-5553

On the northern coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Lake Superior; established Mar 1, 1887 from Chippewa County. **Name Origin:** For Cyrus Gray Luce (1824-1905), MI legislator, member of MI Constitutional Convention (1867), and governor (1887-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,907.88 (land 899.08; water 1,008.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 6,631. **State rank:** 2712. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,789 (White 80.4%; Black or African American 11.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 5.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,195; median household $40,041; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,500 - $23,895.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MACKINAC COUNTY**
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Saint Ignace, MI 49781
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**Fax:** 906-643-7302

On the southeast coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI bordering Lakes Michigan and Huron; original county; established as Michilimackinac County Oct 26, 1818 (prior to statehood); name changed Mar 9, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Mackinac Island, from Ojibway *Michilimackinak* 'island of the large turtle.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,100.53 (land 1,021.57; water 1,078.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,113. **State rank:** 2387. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,331 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 17.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,170; median household $39,339; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,749 - $33,820.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MACOMB COUNTY**
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Mount Clemens, MI 48043
macombcountymi.gov
**Ph:** 586-469-5120
**Fax:** 586-469-4751

On the southeast coast of MI, north of Detroit; original county; established Jan 15, 1818 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alexander Macomb (1782-1841), officer in the War of 1812 and commanding general of the U.S. Army (1835-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 568.56 (land 479.22; water 89.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 1754.9.

**Pop 2010:** 840,978. **State rank:** 62. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 829,453 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 3.0%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,524; median household $53,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,079 - $34,368.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Macomb County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 39 for cities).

**MANISTEE COUNTY**
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Manistee, MI 49660
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**Fax:** 231-723-1492

On the northwest coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Apr 1, 1840. **Name Origin:** For the Manistee River, which runs through it; from an Ojibway word possibly meaning 'sound of the winds,' 'lost river,' 'spirit of the woods,' 'crooked river,' or 'red river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,279.31 (land 542.15; water 737.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.6.

**Pop 2010:** 24,733. **State rank:** 1612. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 25,226 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 2.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,612; median household $40,853; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,737 - $30,042.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARQUETTE COUNTY**
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Marquette, MI 49855
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**Fax:** 906-228-1572

On the north coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Lake Superior; organized Mar 9, 1843 from Schoolcraft County. **Name Origin:** For Jacques Marquette (1637-75), known as Pere Marquette, French Jesuit missionary and explorer with Louis Joliet (1645-1700).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,412.52 (land 1,808.40; water 1,604.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.1.

**Pop 2010:** 67,077. **State rank:** 787. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 64,760 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,347; median household $45,130; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,121 - $31,787.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marquette 🏛 (21,355); Beverly Hills (10,267).

**MASON COUNTY**
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Ludington, MI 49431
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On the west-central coast of MI bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established as Notiopekago County Apr 1, 1840 from Ionia County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Stevens Thomson Mason (1811-43), secretary and acting governor of MI Territory (1831-35) and first state governor (1835-38).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,241.77 (land 495.07; water 746.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.

**Pop 2010:** 28,705. **State rank:** 1464. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,986 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,760; median household $40,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,321 - $30,952.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MECOSTA COUNTY**
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Big Rapids, MI 49307
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**Fax:** 231-592-0121

In central MI, northeast of Grand Rapids; established Apr 1, 1840 from Newaygo and Osceola counties. **Name Origin:** For the Potawatomi chief whose name means 'bear cub.'

**Area (sq mi):** 570.48 (land 555.07; water 15.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.1.

**Pop 2010:** 42,798. **State rank:** 1119. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,391 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,745; median household $35,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,341 - $26,680.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Big Rapids 🏛 (10,601).

**MENOMINEE COUNTY**
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Menominee, MI 49858
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On the south-central coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI on Green Bay; established as Bleecker County Mar 19, 1863 from Marquette County; name changed Mar 19, 1863. **Name Origin:** For the Menominee Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock; name means 'wild rice people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,338.55 (land 1,044.08; water 294.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.

**Pop 2010:** 24,029. **State rank:** 1625. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 24,996 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 2.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,624; median household $41,332; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,235 - $29,800.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median**

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## Menominee County (cont'd)

**travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MIDLAND COUNTY**
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In central MI, east of Bay City; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from Saginaw County. **Name Origin:** For its location in the geographic center of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 522.95 (land 516.25; water 6.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 162.

**Pop 2010:** 83,629. **State rank:** 663. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 84,064 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.9%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,363; median household $51,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,654 - $42,022.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Midland (41,863).

**MISSAUKEE COUNTY**
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In north-central MI, east of Cadillac; established Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For an Ottawa chief.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.81 (land 564.73; water 7.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,849. **State rank:** 2107. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,299 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,560; median household $40,376; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,885 - $24,629.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
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Monroe, MI 48161
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In the southeast corner of MI bordered on east by Lake Erie; original county; established Jul 14, 1817 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 678.32 (land 549.39; water 128.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 276.7.

**Pop 2010:** 152,021. **State rank:** 403. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 153,935 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,520; median household $55,366; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,491 - $33,468.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Monroe (20,733).

**MONTCALM COUNTY**
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In central MI, northeast of Grand Rapids; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from Isabella County. **Name Origin:** For Louis Joseph de Montcalm (1712-59), commander of French troops against the British in Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.34 (land 705.40; water 12.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.8.

**Pop 2010:** 63,342. **State rank:** 820. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 63,893 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,569; median household $39,775; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,860 - $23,885.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTMORENCY COUNTY**
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In northeast MI, west of Alpena; established as Chenoquet County Apr 1, 1840 from Alpena County; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Count Raymond de Montmorency (1806-89), a French officer who helped the colonies against England during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 561.47 (land 546.66; water 14.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,765. **State rank:** 2422. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 10,445 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 52.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,102; median household $34,447; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,118 - $27,173.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MUSKEGON COUNTY**
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On the west-central coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan;

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Muskegon County (cont'd)

established Jan 7, 1859 from Newaygo County. **Name Origin:** For the Muskegon River, from an Ojibway word meaning 'marshy river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,449.43 (land 499.25; water 950.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 344.9.

**Pop 2010:** 172,188. **State rank:** 351. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 175,554 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 14.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,719; median household $40,670; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,431 - $28,557.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Muskegon 🏛 (38,401); Norton Shores (23,994); Muskegon Heights (10,856).

**NEWAYGO COUNTY**
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In west-central MI, north of Grand Rapids; established Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the Ojibway Indian chief, signer of the Saginaw Treaty of 1819.

**Area (sq mi):** 832.23 (land 813.20; water 19.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.6.

**Pop 2010:** 48,460. **State rank:** 981. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 50,019 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,870; median household $43,218; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,552 - $26,983.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Riverview (12,486).

**OAKLAND COUNTY**
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In southeast MI, northwest of Detroit; original county; established Jan 12, 1819 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the abundant oak trees in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 903.15 (land 867.66; water 35.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 1385.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,202,362. **State rank:** 31. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 1,214,361 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 13.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 5.6%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.2%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,138; median household $66,390; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $53,512 - $49,917.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 20 (see page 40 for cities).

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On the west-central coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood) from Newaygo County. **Name Origin:** For its long shoreline on the fresh water ocean of Lake Michigan.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,278.34 (land 512.07; water 766.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.9.

**Pop 2010:** 26,570. **State rank:** 1500. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.7%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,473 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 13.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,402; median household $39,543; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,052 - $29,396.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OGEMAW COUNTY**
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In northeast MI, north of Bay City; established Apr 1, 1840. **Name Origin:** The Chippewa word for 'chief.'

**Area (sq mi):** 573.82 (land 563.49; water 10.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,699. **State rank:** 1751. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,905 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,321; median household $35,968; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,715 - $26,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ONTONAGON COUNTY**
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On the northwest coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI; established Mar 9, 1843 from Michilimacknac and Chippewa counties. **Name Origin:** For the Ontonagon River, which runs through it; from Ojibway *onagan* 'dish' or 'bowl,' from the shape of the river's mouth.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,741.15 (land 1,311.23; water 2,429.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,780. **State rank:** 2708. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.9%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,363 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%.

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## Ontonagon County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 52.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,448; median household $35,269; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,279 - $30,290.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.1%. **Change from 2007:** +8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grand Rapids (188,040).

### OSCEOLA COUNTY

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In central MI, south of Cadillac; established as Unwattin County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For the Seminole chief (1804-38) who led the second Seminole War against the U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 573.51 (land 566.39; water 7.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 23,528. **State rank:** 1686. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,750 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,861; median household $38,341; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,537 - $25,303.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OSCODA COUNTY

311 S Morenci St PO Box 399
Mio, MI 48647
www.oscodacountymi.com

**Ph:** 989-826-1110
**Fax:** 989-826-1136

In northeast MI, southwest of Alpena; established Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** Pebbly prairie' from *ossin* 'stone' and *muskoda* 'prairie,' coined by Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), author, explorer, MI legislator, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 572.30 (land 565.73; water 6.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,640. **State rank:** 2534. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,298 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 49.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,524; median household $32,346; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,784 - $25,246.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.3%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OTSEGO COUNTY

225 W Main St
Gaylord, MI 49735
www.otsegocountymi.gov

**Ph:** 989-731-7500
**Fax:** 989-731-7519

In north-central MI, southeast of Petoskey; established as Okkuddo County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** Probably for Otsego County, NY, home of some early settlers; from Iroquoian 'rock site' or 'place of the rock.'

**Area (sq mi):** 526.41 (land 514.97; water 11.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,164. **State rank:** 1652. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 24,665 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,568; median household $45,531; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,424 - $28,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OTTAWA COUNTY

414 Washington St Rm320
Grand Haven, MI 49417
www.co.ottawa.mi.us

**Ph:** 616-846-8345
**Fax:** 616-846-8138

On the west-central coast of MI bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Mar 2, 1831 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Ottawa Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock whose name is derived from *adawe* 'to trade.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,629.79 (land 563.47; water 1,066.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 468.2.

**Pop 2010:** 263,801. **State rank:** 246. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 255,406 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 2.6%; Others 8.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,045; median household $55,095; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,217 - $32,599.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Holland (33,051); Waverly (23,925); Allendale (17,579); Jenison (16,538); Grand Haven (10,412).

### PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY

PO Box 110
Rogers City, MI 49779
www.presqueislecounty.org

**Ph:** 989-734-3288
**Fax:** 989-734-7635

On the northeast coast of MI, bordered on east by Lake Huron; established Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** French 'almost an island,' i.e., a peninsula.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,571.40 (land 658.72; water 1,912.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,376. **State rank:** 2202. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.7%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,330 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 51.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Presque Isle County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,870; median household $37,383; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,782 - $28,825.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROSCOMMON COUNTY**
500 Lake St
Roscommon, MI 48653-3769
www.roscommoncounty.net
**Ph:** 989-275-5923
**Fax:** 989-275-8640

In central MI, east of Cadillac; established as Mikenauk County Apr 1, 1840; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For the county in Ireland.

**Area (sq mi):** 578.08 (land 519.64; water 58.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,449. **State rank:** 1603. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,079 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 53.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,194; median household $33,542; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,302 - $29,221.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAGINAW COUNTY**
111 S Michigan Ave Rm 101
Saginaw, MI 48602
www.saginawcounty.com
**Ph:** 989-790-5251
**Fax:** 989-790-5254

In central MI, northwest of Flint; established Sep 10, 1822 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the Saginaw River, which runs through it; from Ojibway 'the place of the Sac [Indians].'

**Area (sq mi):** 806.96 (land 800.11; water 6.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 250.2.

**Pop 2010:** 200,169. **State rank:** 307. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 208,356 (White 74.6%; Black or African American 19.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 1.1%; Others 7.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,662; median household $42,954; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,137 - $30,681.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Saginaw 🏛 (51,508).

**SAINT CLAIR COUNTY**
201 McMorran Blvd Rm 1100
Port Huron, MI 48060
www.stclaircounty.org
**Ph:** 810-985-2200
**Fax:** 810-985-4796

On the southeast coast of Michigan, northeast of Detroit, bordered on east by the Saint Clair River, original county, established Mar 28, 1820 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Arthur Saint Clair (1736?-1818), an officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War, president of the Continental Congress (1787), and governor of the Northwest Territory (1788-1802).

**Area (sq mi):** 833.43 (land 721.17; water 112.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 226.1.

**Pop 2010:** 163,040. **State rank:** 364. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.9%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 171,426 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,828; median household $49,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,985 - $31,956.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Port Huron (30,184).

**SAINT JOSEPH COUNTY**
PO Box 189
Centreville, MI 49032
www.stjosephcountymi.org
**Ph:** 269-467-5602
**Fax:** 269-467-5628

On the southern border of MI, south of Kalamazoo; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the spouse of the Virgin Mary.

**Area (sq mi):** 518.02 (land 500.59; water 17.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 122.4.

**Pop 2010:** 61,295. **State rank:** 830. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 62,984 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,192; median household $44,392; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,509 - $28,466.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sturgis (10,994).

**SANILAC COUNTY**
60 W Sanilac Ave Rm 203
Sandusky, MI 48471
www.sanilaccounty.net
**Ph:** 810-648-3212
**Fax:** 810-648-5466

On the east-central coast of MI bordered on the east by Lake Huron; established Sep 10, 1822 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Wyandot chief who is the main character in Henry Whiting's poem Sannilac. The name was spelled with only one 'n' in the proclamation by Gov. Lewis Cass (1782-1866) that announced the formation of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,588.99 (land 962.57; water 626.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.8.

**Pop 2010:** 43,114. **State rank:** 1111. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 44,752 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,645; median household $40,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,376 - $29,597.

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## Sanilac County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY

300 Walnut St, Rm 164
Manistique, MI 49854

**Ph:** 906-341-3618
**Fax:** 906-341-5680

On the south-central coast of the Upper Peninsula of MI, on Lake Michigan; established Mar 9, 1843 from Michilimackinac and Chippewa counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), explorer, MI legislator, author, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,876.94 (land 1,171.36; water 705.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,485. **State rank:** 2577. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,819 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 8.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,455; median household $36,925; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,585 - $30,293.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHIAWASSEE COUNTY

208 N Shiawassee St
Corunna, MI 48817
www.shiawassee.net

**Ph:** 989-743-2242
**Fax:** 989-743-2241

In south-central MI, west of Flint; established Sep 10, 1822 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Shiawassee River, which runs through it; from Algonquian 'the water straight ahead' or 'river that twists about.'

**Area (sq mi):** 532.67 (land 530.67; water 2). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.1.

**Pop 2010:** 70,648. **State rank:** 755. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 72,945 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,869; median household $46,453; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,088 - $27,954.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burton (29,999); Owosso (15,194).

### TUSCOLA COUNTY

440 N State St
Caro, MI 48723
www.tuscolacounty.org

**Ph:** 989-672-3780
**Fax:** 989-672-4266

In east MI, northeast of Flint; established Apr 1, 1840 from Sanilac County. **Name Origin:** Name coined by Henry Rowe Schoolcraft (1793-1864), author, explorer, MI legislator, and superintendent of Indian Affairs for MI (1836-41); means either 'warrior prairie' or 'level lands.'

**Area (sq mi):** 904.52 (land 803.13; water 101.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.4.

**Pop 2010:** 55,729. **State rank:** 893. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 58,428 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,937; median household $42,198; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,374 - $26,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VAN BUREN COUNTY

212 E Paw Paw St
Paw Paw, MI 49079
www.vbco.org

**Ph:** 269-657-8218
**Fax:** 269-657-8298

On the southwest coast of MI, bordered on west by Lake Michigan; established Oct 29, 1829 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Martin Van Buren (1782-1862), eighth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,086.80 (land 607.47; water 479.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 125.5.

**Pop 2010:** 76,258. **State rank:** 694. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 78,812 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 10.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.2%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,002; median household $44,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,211 - $29,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHTENAW COUNTY

220 N Main PO Box 8645
Ann Arbor, MI 48107
www.ewashtenaw.org

**Ph:** 734-222-6850
**Fax:** 734-222-6715

In southeast MI, west of Detroit; original county; established Sept 10, 1822 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the small stream running through the county; from an Ojibway word meaning 'on the river' or 'far off.'

**Area (sq mi):** 718.56 (land 705.97; water 12.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 488.4.

**Pop 2010:** 344,791. **State rank:** 188. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 341,847 (White 74.5%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 7.9%; Others 4.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.1%. **Median age:** 33.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,316; median household $59,065; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,151 - $38,825.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ann Arbor (113,934); Ypsilanti

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Washtenaw County (cont'd)

(19,435).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
211 Coleman A Young Municipal Center 2 Woodward Ave, 2nd fl **Ph:** 313-224-6262
Detroit, MI 48226 **Fax:** 313-224-5364
www.co.wayne.mi.us

In southeastern MI bordered on the east by the Detroit River and Lake Saint Clair; original colony; established Nov 21, 1815 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed 'Mad Anthony' for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 670.13 (land 612.08; water 58.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 2974.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,820,584. **State rank:** 13. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.9%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,998,217 (White 52.3%; Black or African American 40.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 2.5%; Others 5.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.6%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,125; median household $42,241; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,654 - $33,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 23 (see page 40 for cities).

**WEXFORD COUNTY**
437 E Division St **Ph:** 231-779-9453
Cadillac, MI 49601 **Fax:** 231-779-9745
www.wexfordcounty.org

In northwest MI, south of Traverse City; established as Kautawaubet County Apr 1, 1840 from unorganized territory; name changed Mar 8, 1843. **Name Origin:** For the county in Ireland.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.35 (land 565; water 10.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.9.

**Pop 2010:** 32,735. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 31,876 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,952; median household $39,997; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,512 - $26,901.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cadillac 🏛 (10,355).

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Alexandria

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Carver

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Shakopee

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# Minnesota

**MINNESOTA STATE INFORMATION**
www.state.mn.us **Ph:** 651-296-6013

**Area (sq mi):** 86,938.87 (land 79,610.08; water 7,328.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,303,925. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,132,799 (White 85.3%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 4%; Others 4.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,843; median household $57,243; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,642 - $42,798.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.7%.

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**AITKIN COUNTY**
209 2nd St NW Rm 242A **Ph:** 218-927-7350
Aitkin, MN 56431 **Fax:** 218-927-4535
www.co.aitkin.mn.us

In east-central MN, west of Duluth; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Cass and Itasca counties. **Name Origin:** For William Alexander Aitkin (c. 1787-1851), a local fur trader.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,997.67 (land 1,821.66; water 176.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,202. **State rank:** 2060. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,174 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 51.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,966; median household $40,226; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,320 - $30,214.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ANOKA COUNTY**
2100 3rd Ave **Ph:** 763-421-4760
Anoka, MN 55303
www.co.anoka.mn.us

In east-central MN, north of Minneapolis; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Hennepin County; annexed Manomin County in 1869. **Name Origin:** For the town of the same name; from Siouan 'the other side' or 'both sides'; the town is on both sides of the Rum River.

**Area (sq mi):** 445.66 (land 423.01; water 22.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 782.1.

**Pop 2010:** 330,844. **State rank:** 192. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 323,996 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 3.9%; Others 3.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,347; median household $69,028; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,232 - $38,710.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 40 for cities).

**BECKER COUNTY**
915 Lake Ave **Ph:** 218-846-7301
Detroit Lakes, MN 56501 **Fax:** 218-846-7257
www.co.becker.mn.us

In west-central MN, east of Fargo, ND; established Mar 18, 1858 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Loomis Becker (1829-1904), lawyer, MN legislator, and land commissioner of the Saint Paul and Pacific Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,449.89 (land 1,315.20; water 134.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 32,504. **State rank:** 1373. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 31,868 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 7.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,385; median household $46,056; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,398 - $35,941.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BELTRAMI COUNTY**
619 Beltrami Ave NW Suite 200 **Ph:** 218-333-4169
Bemidji, MN 56601 **Fax:** 218-333-4209
www.co.beltrami.mn.us

In north-central MN, east of Grand Forks, ND; established Feb 28, 1866 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Giacomo Constantino Beltrami (1779-1855), an Italian who, under the anglicized name James Constantine, explored the sources of the Mississippi River and wrote *A Pilgrimage in Europe and America, Leading to the Discovery of the Sources of the Mississippi and Bloody River*.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,055.26 (land 2,504.94; water 550.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.7.

*County Seat*

## Beltrami County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 44,442. **State rank:** 1066. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 42,871 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.5%, including 20.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,016; median household $43,394; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,738 - $31,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bemidji (13,431).

**BENTON COUNTY**
615 Hwy 23 E PO Box 189
Foley, MN 56329
www.co.benton.mn.us

**Ph:** 320-968-5205
**Fax:** 320-968-5353

In east-central MN, northeast of Saint Cloud; original county; established Oct 27, 1849 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 413.02 (land 408.30; water 4.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.2.

**Pop 2010:** 38,451. **State rank:** 1167. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +12.5%. **Pop 2005:** 38,505 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,648; median household $50,848; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,448 - $33,586.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sauk Rapids (12,773).

**BIG STONE COUNTY**
20 SE 2nd St
Ortonville, MN 56278
www.bigstonecounty.org

**Ph:** 320-839-2536
**Fax:** 320-839-2537

On central western border of MN; established Feb 20, 1862 from Pierce County (which was abolished the same year). **Name Origin:** For Big Stone Lake in the western part of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 529.95 (land 499.02; water 30.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,269. **State rank:** 2806. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,481 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 48.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,746; median household $42,870; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,880 - $39,526.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLUE EARTH COUNTY**
204 S 5th St
Mankato, MN 56002
www.co.blue-earth.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-389-8100
**Fax:** 507-389-8437

In south-central MN, west of Rochester; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the Blue Earth River, which runs through it; a transliteration of the Nankato name for the color of the earth in the river, used as a pigment by the Sisseton Sioux.

**Area (sq mi):** 761.38 (land 747.84; water 13.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.6.

**Pop 2010:** 64,013. **State rank:** 839. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 58,030 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 2.0%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 29.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,691; median household $47,871; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,478 - $32,109.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mankato (39,309).

**BROWN COUNTY**
14 S State St PO Box 248
New Ulm, MN 56073
www.co.brown.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-233-6600
**Fax:** 507-359-1430

In south-central MN, west of Mankato; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Nicollet County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Renshaw Brown (1805-70), a trader with the Sioux Indians, publisher, and MN legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.83 (land 611.09; water 7.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.4.

**Pop 2010:** 25,893. **State rank:** 1569. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,534 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,591; median household $47,696; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,364 - $37,409.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Ulm (13,522).

**CARLTON COUNTY**
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Carlton, MN 55718
www.co.carlton.mn.us

**Ph:** 218-384-9127
**Fax:** 218-384-9116

On central-eastern border of MN, south of Duluth; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Pine County. **Name Origin:** For Reuben B. Carlton (1812-62), farmer and blacksmith for Ojibway Indians and MN state legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 876.28 (land 861.38; water 14.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,386. **State rank:** 1309. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 34,026 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 5.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Carlton County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,932; median household $52,858; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,916 - $30,783.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Woodbury (61,961); Cloquet (12,124).

### CARVER COUNTY

600 E 4th St
Chaska, MN 55318
www.co.carver.mn.us

**Ph:** 952-361-1500
**Fax:** 952-361-1491

In south-central MN, east of Minneapolis, established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Hennepin County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Jonathan Carver (1710-80), an officer in the French and Indian War, explorer, and author.

**Area (sq mi):** 373.44 (land 354.33; water 19.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 256.9.

**Pop 2010:** 91,042. **State rank:** 613. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +20.9%. **Pop 2005:** 84,864 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 2.7%; Others 3.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,807; median household $80,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,520 - $54,128.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chaska 🏛 (23,770); Chanhassen (22,952); Waconia (10,697).

### CASS COUNTY

303 Minnesota Ave W PO Box 3000
Walker, MN 56484
www.co.cass.mn.us

**Ph:** 218-547-1424
**Fax:** 218-547-2440

In central MN, northwest of Duluth; original county; established Mar 31, 1851 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60). Formerly called Van Buren.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,418.15 (land 2,021.54; water 396.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,567. **State rank:** 1467. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,910 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 11.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,348; median household $42,445; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,914 - $36,193.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHIPPEWA COUNTY

629 N 11th St
Montevideo, MN 56265
www.co.chippewa.mn.us

**Ph:** 320-269-7447
**Fax:** 320-269-7412

In west-central MN, southwest of Saint Cloud; established Feb 20, 1862 from Pierce County, which was abolished in 1862. **Name Origin:** For the Chippewa (more properly Ojibway) Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. The name probably means 'puckered,' and refers to the seam in their moccasins.

**Area (sq mi):** 586.14 (land 581.12; water 5.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,441. **State rank:** 2271. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,802 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.9%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,610; median household $43,956; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,322 - $44,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHISAGO COUNTY

313 N Main St, Suite 373
Center City, MN 55012
www.co.chisago.mn.us

**Ph:** 651-257-4100

On the central eastern border of MN, northeast of Minneapolis; established Sep 1, 1851 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Chisago Lake, largest in the county; from Ojibway *kichi* large and *saga* fair or beautiful. The first syllable was omitted and a clerical error changed *a* to *o*.

**Area (sq mi):** 439.72 (land 414.86; water 24.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.9.

**Pop 2010:** 53,887. **State rank:** 955. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +20.2%. **Pop 2005:** 49,400 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,576; median household $64,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,834 - $33,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** North Branch (10,125).

### CLAY COUNTY

807 11th St N PO Box 280
Moorhead, MN 56560
www.co.clay.mn.us

**Ph:** 218-299-5002
**Fax:** 218-299-5195

On the central western border of MN; established as Breckenridge County Mar 9, 1862; name changed later in 1862. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,052.86 (land 1,045.37; water 7.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.4.

**Pop 2010:** 58,999. **State rank:** 880. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 53,838 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 3.5%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%.

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## Clay County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,011; median household $50,057; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,002 - $34,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moorhead (38,065).

**CLEARWATER COUNTY**
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Bagley, MN 56621
www.co.clearwater.mn.us
**Ph:** 218-694-6520
**Fax:** 218-694-6244

In north-central MN, east of Grand Forks, ND; established Dec 2, 1902 from Beltrami County. **Name Origin:** For Clearwater River and Lake, which are partly within the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,034.02 (land 998.94; water 35.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,695. **State rank:** 2567. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 8,476 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 9.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,913; median household $39,310; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,064 - $28,534.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COOK COUNTY**
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Grand Marais, MN 55604-4230
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**Fax:** 218-387-3020

On the northeastern border of MN; established Mar 9, 1874 from Lake County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Michael Cook (1828-64), an officer in the Civil War and MN legislator. Some claim John Cook (?-1872), killed by Ojibway Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,341.39 (land 1,452.28; water 1,889.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,176. **State rank:** 2795. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,367 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 8.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,873; median household $49,162; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,137 - $40,216.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COTTONWOOD COUNTY**
900 3rd Ave
Windom, MN 56101
www.co.cottonwood.mn.us
**Ph:** 507-831-2678
**Fax:** 507-831-1804

In southwestern MN, southwest of Mankato; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the Cottonwood River, which runs through the county; itself named for the poplar trees along its banks, which have cotton-like tufts on the seeds.

**Area (sq mi):** 647.52 (land 638.61; water 8.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,687. **State rank:** 2344. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,834 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 2.7%; Others 6.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,162; median household $40,292; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,554 - $39,313.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CROW WING COUNTY**
326 Laurel St
Brainerd, MN 56401
www.co.crow-wing.mn.us
**Ph:** 218-824-1000
**Fax:** 218-824-1046

In central MN, north of Saint Cloud; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Cass and Aitkin counties. **Name Origin:** For the Crow Wing river, which forms the southwestern border of the county; the Ojibway called the river *Kagiwigwan* or *Gagagiwgwuni* 'crow wing' or 'raven feather.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,159.10 (land 999.10; water 160). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.6.

**Pop 2010:** 62,500. **State rank:** 821. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 59,917 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,282; median household $44,659; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,630 - $32,130.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brainerd (13,590).

**DAKOTA COUNTY**
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Hastings, MN 55033-3237
www.co.dakota.mn.us
**Ph:** 651-438-4200
**Fax:** 651-438-4469

On the southeastern border of MN, south of Saint Paul; original county; estabished Oct 27, 1849 (prior to statehood); originally spelled Dakotah. **Name Origin:** For the Dakota (also known as Sioux) Indians of Siouan linguistic stock.

**Area (sq mi):** 578.92 (land 562.17; water 16.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 709.

**Pop 2010:** 398,552. **State rank:** 166. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 383,592 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 4.4%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,142; median household $72,850; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,573 - $45,022.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Dakota County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 40 for cities).

### DODGE COUNTY

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Mantorville, MN 55955
www.co.dodge.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-635-6239
**Fax:** 507-635-6265

In southeastern MN, west of Rochester; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Olmstead County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Dodge (1782-1867), officer in the War of 1812 and the Black Hawk War, governor of WI Territory (1836-41; 1845-48), and U.S. senator (1848-57); also for his son, Augustus Caesar Dodge (1812-83), U.S. senator from IA (1848-55) and U.S. Minister to Spain (1855-59).

**Area (sq mi):** 439.40 (land 439.28; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,087. **State rank:** 1827. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,595 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,969; median household $64,438; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,332 - $41,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DOUGLAS COUNTY

305 8th Ave W
Alexandria, MN 56308
www.co.douglas.mn.us

**Ph:** 320-762-3033
**Fax:** 320-762-8863

In west-central MN, northwest of Saint Cloud; established Mar 8, 1858 from Todd County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 722.92 (land 637.30; water 85.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.5.

**Pop 2010:** 36,009. **State rank:** 1257. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 35,138 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,633; median household $46,789; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,284 - $36,452.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alexandria 🏛 (11,070).

### FARIBAULT COUNTY

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Blue Earth, MN 56013
www.co.faribault.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-526-6225
**Fax:** 507-526-3054

On the central southern border of MN, south of Mankato; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Blue Earth County. **Name Origin:** For Jean Baptiste Faribault (1774-1860), a French-Canadian fur trader in the Northwest Territory who had great influence with the Sioux.

**Area (sq mi):** 720.46 (land 712.48; water 7.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 14,553. **State rank:** 2126. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 15,506 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,667; median household $41,631; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,989 - $42,850.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FILLMORE COUNTY

101 Fillmore St PO Box 466
Preston, MN 55965
www.co.fillmore.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-765-3356
**Fax:** 507-765-4571

On the southeastern border of MN, southeast of Rochester; original county; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Millard Fillmore (1800-74), thirteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 862.20 (land 861.30; water 0.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,866. **State rank:** 1773. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,368 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,758; median household $45,888; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,105 - $36,144.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FREEBORN COUNTY

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Albert Lea, MN 56007
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**Fax:** 507-377-5109

On the southern border of MN, southwest of Rochester; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Blue Earth and Rice counties. **Name Origin:** For William Freeborn (1816-1900), MN territorial legislator (1854-57)

**Area (sq mi):** 722.08 (land 707.09; water 14.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.2.

**Pop 2010:** 31,255. **State rank:** 1401. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 31,946 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 8.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,645; median household $43,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,662 - $37,417.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albert Lea 🏛 (18,016).

🏛 *County Seat*

**GOODHUE COUNTY**
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Red Wing, MN 55066
www.co.goodhue.mn.us
**Ph:** 651-267-4800
**Fax:** 651-267-4986

In southeastern MN, southeast of Saint Paul; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from Wabasha County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison Goodhue (1810-52), lawyer and prominent editor of the first newspaper in the MN Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 779.01 (land 756.84; water 22.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.

**Pop 2010:** 46,183. **State rank:** 1033. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 45,585 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.9%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,472; median household $56,366; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,807 - $39,822.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Red Wing (16,459).

**GRANT COUNTY**
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Elbow Lake, MN 56531
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**Ph:** 218-685-4825
**Fax:** 218-685-5349

In west-central MN, southeast of Fargo, ND; established Mar 6, 1868 from Stearns County. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses S. Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 576.93 (land 548.16; water 28.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.

**Pop 2010:** 6,018. **State rank:** 2769. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,114 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 46.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,233; median household $41,697; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,964 - $40,215.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HENNEPIN COUNTY**
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Minneapolis, MN 55487
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**Ph:** 612-348-8240

In east-central MN, west of Saint Paul; original county; established Mar 6, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Louis Hennepin (1640-1701), Franciscan missionary and explorer (with La Salle) who named the Falls of Saint Anthony in the Mississippi River at present-day Minneapolis.

**Area (sq mi):** 603.36 (land 553.59; water 49.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 2081.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,152,425. **State rank:** 33. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,119,364 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 11.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 6.2%; Others 6.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.6%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,902; median household $61,328; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $56,006 - $54,949.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 40 for cities).

**HOUSTON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 507-725-5550

In the southeastern corner of MN, southeast of Rochester; established Feb 23, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Fillmore County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Houston (1793-1863), governor of TN (1827-29), president of the Republic of Texas (1836-38; 1841-44), U.S. senator from TX (1846-59), and TX governor (1859-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 562.56 (land 552.06; water 10.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.5.

**Pop 2010:** 19,027. **State rank:** 1847. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,941 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,865; median household $50,855; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,786 - $39,025.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HUBBARD COUNTY**
County Courthouse, 301 Court Ave
Park Rapids, MN 56470
www.co.hubbard.mn.us
**Ph:** 218-732-2300
**Fax:** 218-732-3645

In north-central MN, northeast of Fargo, ND; established Feb 26, 1883 from Cass County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lucius Frederick Hubbard (1836-1913), an officer in the Civil War and the Spanish-American War, MN legislator and governor (1882-87).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,002.61 (land 925.68; water 76.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,428. **State rank:** 1879. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.3%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,861 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 2.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,413; median household $45,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,599 - $30,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ISANTI COUNTY**
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Cambridge, MN 55008
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**Ph:** 763-689-3859
**Fax:** 763-689-8226

In central-eastern MN, north of Minneapolis; established Feb 13,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Isanti County (cont'd)

1857 (prior to statehood) from Anoka County. **Name Origin:** For the Izaty or Santee Indians, a tribe of the Dakotas who inhabited the area. Also spelled *Issati*. The name means knife or perhaps ones who make knives.

**Area (sq mi):** 448.60 (land 435.79; water 12.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.8.

**Pop 2010:** 37,816. **State rank:** 1179. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +20.4%. **Pop 2005:** 37,664 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,165; median household $57,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,983 - $35,673.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ITASCA COUNTY**
123 NE 4th St
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
www.co.itasca.mn.us
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**Fax:** 218-327-2848

In north-central MN, west of Hibbing; original county; established Oct 27, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Itasca Lake; name coined by explorer and ethnologist Henry Rowe School craft (1793-1864), who thought the lake was the true source of the Mississippi River. From Latin: the last part of *veritas* truth and first part of *ca*put head.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,930.44 (land 2,667.72; water 262.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.9.

**Pop 2010:** 45,058. **State rank:** 1057. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 44,384 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 3.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,465; median household $45,621; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,249 - $32,277.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grand Rapids (10,869).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Jackson, MN 56143
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On southern border of MN, southwest of Mankato; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Henry Jackson (1811-57), an early merchant in Saint Paul (1842), first postmaster (1846-49), and territorial legislator. There is also a debatable claim that the county was named for Andrew Jackson.

**Area (sq mi):** 720.74 (land 702.98; water 17.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,266. **State rank:** 2369. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.2%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,182 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,144; median household $46,869; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,379 - $47,841.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KANABEC COUNTY**
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Mora, MN 55051
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**Ph:** 320-679-6466
**Fax:** 320-679-6431

In east-central MN, north of Minneapolis; established Mar 13, 1858 from Pine County. **Name Origin:** For the meandering Snake River, which flows through the county; from the Ojibway word for 'snake.'

**Area (sq mi):** 530.04 (land 521.59; water 8.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,239. **State rank:** 2044. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,215 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,304; median household $45,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,663 - $29,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KANDIYOHI COUNTY**
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Willmar, MN 56201
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**Ph:** 320-231-6202
**Fax:** 320-231-6263

In south-central MN, west of Minneapolis; established Mar 20, 1858 from Meeker County, annexed Monongalia County in Nov 1870. **Name Origin:** From Siouan place where the buffalo fish arrive, the Indian name for several lakes at the source of the Crow River where the fish *Ictiobus cyprinella*, *I. urus* and *I. bubalus* go to spawn.

**Area (sq mi):** 862.71 (land 796.79; water 65.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.

**Pop 2010:** 42,239. **State rank:** 1137. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 41,199 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 11.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,844; median household $49,512; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,303 - $39,372.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Willmar 🏛 (19,610).

**KITTSON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 218-843-2656

In the northwestern corner of MN, north of Grand Forks, ND; established as Pembina County Apr 24, 1879 from unorganized lands; name changed Mar 9, 1878. **Name Origin:** For Norman Wolfred

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## Kittson County (cont'd)

Kittson (1814-88), fur trader, territorial legislator (1851-55), and mayor of Saint Paul (1858).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,105.23 (land 1,098.80; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 4,552. **State rank:** 2869. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,792 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,030; median household $47,568; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,098 - $41,962.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KOOCHICHING COUNTY**
715 4th St
International Falls, MN 56649
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On the central-northern border of MN; established Dec 19, 1906 from Itasca County. **Name Origin:** Origin uncertain, but evidence points to a Cree Indian word meaning 'rainy lake,' descriptive of the mists from the nearby International Falls on Rainy River.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,156.03 (land 3,104.07; water 51.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,311. **State rank:** 2223. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,907 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 2.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,576; median household $39,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,753 - $35,165.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAC QUI PARLE COUNTY**
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Madison, MN 56256
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**Ph:** 320-598-7444
**Fax:** 320-598-3125

On the southwestern border of MN; organized 1863 north of the Minnesota River, disestablished in 1868, then recreated Mar 6, 1871 south of the river. **Name Origin:** French 'talking lake,' probably a transliteration of Siouan *mde* 'lake,' *iye* 'speaks,' and *dan*, a diminutive suffix. Origin uncertain, but possibly for echoes reflected from surrounding cliffs.

**Area (sq mi):** 778.21 (land 765.02; water 13.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,259. **State rank:** 2657. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,604 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 48.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,291; median household $45,550; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,271 - $45,593.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAKE COUNTY**
601 3rd Ave
Two Harbors, MN 55616
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**Ph:** 218-834-8375

On the northeastern border of MN, northeast of Duluth; established Mar 1, 1856 (prior to statehood); name changed from Doty County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Superior, which forms its eastern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,000.95 (land 2,109.29; water 891.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,866. **State rank:** 2384. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,156 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,087; median household $46,765; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,334 - $39,540.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAKE OF THE WOODS COUNTY**
206 8th Ave SE
Baudette, MN 56623
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**Ph:** 218-634-2836
**Fax:** 218-634-2509

On the central northern border of MN; established Nov 28, 1922 from Beltrami County; the latest county formed. **Name Origin:** For the Lake of the Woods in Canada, which forms its northern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,776.22 (land 1,297.87; water 478.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 4,045. **State rank:** 2907. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.5%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,421 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 0.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 48.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,192; median household $46,080; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,416 - $30,719.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LE SUEUR COUNTY**
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Le Center, MN 56057
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**Fax:** 507-357-6433

In south-central MN, north of Mankato; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Charles Le Sueur (1657-1704), French-Canadian fur trader and explorer of the upper Mississippi River and its tributaries.

**Area (sq mi):** 474.12 (land 448.76; water 25.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.7.

**Pop 2010:** 27,703. **State rank:** 1480. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,490 (White 95.5%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Le Sueur County (cont'd)

American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,958; median household $57,477; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,666 - $35,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Ivanhoe, MN 56142
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On the southwestern border of MN; established Mar 1, 1866 from Lyon County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 548.17 (land 536.76; water 11.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.

**Pop 2010:** 5,896. **State rank:** 2777. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,050 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,922; median household $44,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,097 - $39,213.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LYON COUNTY

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Marshall, MN 56258
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In southwestern MN; established Mar 6, 1868 from Yellow Medicine County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathaniel Lyon (1818-61), officer in the Seminole War and the Mexican-American War; as a Union commander in the Civil War, he helped preserve MO for the Union.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.85 (land 714.56; water 7.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.2.

**Pop 2010:** 25,857. **State rank:** 1591. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,472 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 2.6%; Others 6.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,755; median household $46,872; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,508 - $38,465.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marshall 🏛 (13,680).

### MAHNOMEN COUNTY

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Mahnomen, MN 56557-7037
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In west-central MN, northeast of Fargo, ND; established Dec 27, 1906 from Norman County. **Name Origin:** The Ojibway word meaning 'wild rice,' which grows abundantly in the region.

**Area (sq mi):** 584.73 (land 557.88; water 26.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,413. **State rank:** 2823. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,113 (White 50.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 40.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,999; median household $38,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,132 - $29,765.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARSHALL COUNTY

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Warren, MN 56762
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In northwestern MN, north of Grand Forks, ND; established Feb 25, 1879 from Kittson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Rainey Marshall (1825-96), MN businessman and governor (1866-70).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,815.62 (land 1,775.07; water 40.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,439. **State rank:** 2494. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,965 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,552; median household $48,565; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,390 - $38,982.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARTIN COUNTY

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On the central southern border of MN, southwest of Mankato; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Faribault County. **Name Origin:** Either for Henry Martin (1829-1908), CT speculator with large holdings in the area, or for Morgan Lewis Martin (1805-87), U.S. representative from WI Territory who introduced the bill for the organization of the Territory of MN.

**Area (sq mi):** 732.56 (land 712.35; water 20.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.3.

**Pop 2010:** 20,840. **State rank:** 1806. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 21,002 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 45.5.

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## Martin County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,321; median household $43,960; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,380 - $44,050.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairmont (10,666).

**MCLEOD COUNTY**
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Glencoe, MN 55336
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**Ph:** 320-864-1324
**Fax:** 320-864-3410

In south-central MN, west of Minneapolis; established Mar 1, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Carver County. **Name Origin:** For Martin McLeod (1813-60), fur trader, MN territorial legislator (1849-53), and a founder of Glencoe.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.23 (land 491.47; water 13.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.6.

**Pop 2010:** 36,651. **State rank:** 1236. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 36,636 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,590; median household $58,544; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,560 - $34,738.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hutchinson (14,178).

**MEEKER COUNTY**
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Litchfield, MN 55355
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**Ph:** 320-693-5230
**Fax:** 320-693-5254

In south-central MN, northwest of Minneapolis; established Feb 23, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Wright County. **Name Origin:** For Bradley B. Meeker (1813-73), associate justice of the MN supreme court (1849-53).

**Area (sq mi):** 644.72 (land 608.18; water 36.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,300. **State rank:** 1662. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 23,371 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,839; median household $51,173; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,512 - $33,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MILLE LACS COUNTY**
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Milaca, MN 56353
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**Ph:** 320-983-8313
**Fax:** 320-983-8384

In east-central MN, northeast of Saint Cloud; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Kanabec County. **Name Origin:** For Mille Lacs Lake in the northern part of the county; French 'thousand lakes.'

**Area (sq mi):** 679.61 (land 572.31; water 107.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,097. **State rank:** 1536. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +15.0%. **Pop 2005:** 25,680 (White 91.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 6.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,744; median household $45,273; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,395 - $28,036.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORRISON COUNTY**
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Little Falls, MN 56345
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**Fax:** 320-632-0294

In central MN, north of Saint Cloud; established Feb 25, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Benton and Stearns counties. **Name Origin:** For the Morrison brothers; William (1785-1866), fur trader and explorer, and Allen (1803-77), fur trader and representative in the first territorial legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,153.88 (land 1,125.06; water 28.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 33,198. **State rank:** 1346. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 32,788 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,934; median household $47,085; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,666 - $32,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MOWER COUNTY**
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On the southeastern border of MN, south of Rochester; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Fillmore County. **Name Origin:** For John Mower (1815-79), MN territorial and state legislator (1854-55; 1874-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 711.54 (land 711.33; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.1.

**Pop 2010:** 39,163. **State rank:** 1207. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 38,799 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 10.6%; Asian 1.7%; Others 10.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,740; median household $44,497; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,497 - $38,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Mower County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Austin 🏛 (24,718); Ramsey (23,668).

**MURRAY COUNTY**
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Slayton, MN 56172
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**Fax:** 507-836-8904

In southwestern MN, southwest of Mankato; established May 23, 1857 from Lyon County. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt Murray (1825-1910), MN legislator and Saint Paul city attorney (1876-89).

**Area (sq mi):** 719.79 (land 704.70; water 15.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,725. **State rank:** 2557. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,852 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,045; median household $45,657; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,255 - $46,059.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NICOLLET COUNTY**
501 S Minnesota Ave
Saint Peter, MN 56082
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**Fax:** 507-931-9220

In south-central MN, northwest of Mankato; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Nicholas Nicollet (1786-1843), French explorer who mapped area of MN, ND and SD; author of *Map of the Hydrographical Basin of the Upper Mississippi River*.

**Area (sq mi):** 463.14 (land 448.49; water 14.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.

**Pop 2010:** 32,727. **State rank:** 1369. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 30,848 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,656; median household $57,540; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,665 - $36,877.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** North Mankato (13,394).

**NOBLES COUNTY**
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Worthington, MN 56187
www.co.nobles.mn.us
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**Fax:** 507-372-4994

On the southwestern border of MN, southwest of Mankato; established May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For William H. Nobles (1816-76), MN Territory legislator (1854;1856); discovered Nobles Pass through the Rocky Mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 722.05 (land 715.11; water 6.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.9.

**Pop 2010:** 21,378. **State rank:** 1788. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 20,508 (White 75.8%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 22.5%; Asian 5.5%; Others 22.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.0%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,953; median household $43,040; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,262 - $38,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Worthington 🏛 (12,764).

**NORMAN COUNTY**
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Ada, MN 56510
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**Fax:** 218-784-4531

On the northwestern border of MN, north of Fargo, ND; established Feb 17, 1881 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For the many Norwegians, known locally as Normans (Norsemen), living in the area and serving in the state legislature when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 873.34 (land 872.79; water 0.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,852. **State rank:** 2716. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,003 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.0%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,817; median household $41,784; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,530 - $40,569.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OLMSTED COUNTY**
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Rochester, MN 55904
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**Fax:** 507-287-2693

In southeastern MN, southeast of Mankato; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For David Olmsted (1822-61), president of the first MN territorial legislature (1849-50) and first mayor of Saint Paul. Some claim S. Baldwin Olmstead (1810-78), a member of the territorial council (1854-55) when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 654.84 (land 653.35; water 1.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 220.8.

**Pop 2010:** 144,248. **State rank:** 429. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 135,189 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 5.4%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.4%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,704; median household $64,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,608 - $45,808.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rochester 🏛 (106,769).

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**OTTER TAIL COUNTY**
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Fergus Falls, MN 56537
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**Fax:** 218-998-8438

In west-central MN, southeast of Fargo, ND; established Mar 18, 1858 from Pembina and Cass counties. **Name Origin:** For Otter Tail lake and river. The lake was named by the Ojibway *nigigwanowe* 'otter tail,' referring to the shape of the lake.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,217.27 (land 1,972.07; water 245.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.1.

**Pop 2010:** 57,303. **State rank:** 882. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 57,658 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,445; median household $43,478; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,189 - $34,033.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fergus Falls (13,138).

**PENNINGTON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 218-683-7026

In northwestern MN, east of Grand Forks, ND; established Nov 23, 1910 from Red Lake County. **Name Origin:** For Edmund Pennington (1848-1926), president of the Saint Paul and Sault Sainte Marie Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.37 (land 616.57; water 1.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,930. **State rank:** 2166. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,608 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,687; median household $44,926; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,668 - $41,418.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PINE COUNTY**
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On the central eastern border of MN, northeast of Saint Paul; established Mar 1, 1856 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands; annexed Buchanan County in 1861. **Name Origin:** For the extensive forests of red (Norway) and white pine, and possibly for the Pine lakes and river in the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,434.81 (land 1,411.29; water 23.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.1.

**Pop 2010:** 29,750. **State rank:** 1472. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,485 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 3.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,328; median household $43,938; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,840 - $27,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIPESTONE COUNTY**
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Pipestone, MN 56164
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**Fax:** 507-825-6741

On the southwestern border of MN; established mistakenly as Rock County May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Murray County; name changed Feb 20, 1862. **Name Origin:** For the red stone (catlinite) quarried by Indians to make pipe bowls.

**Area (sq mi):** 465.32 (land 465.06; water 0.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,596. **State rank:** 2471. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,421 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,289; median household $40,589; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,113 - $41,287.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POLK COUNTY**
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Crookston, MN 56716
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**Fax:** 218-281-2204

In northwestern MN, east of Grand Forks, ND; established Jul 20, 1858 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,998.57 (land 1,971.13; water 27.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.

**Pop 2010:** 31,600. **State rank:** 1406. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 31,133 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.4%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,105; median household $47,233; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,227 - $36,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POPE COUNTY**
130 E Minnesota Ave
Glenwood, MN 56334
www.co.pope.mn.us
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In west-central MN, west of Saint Cloud; established Feb 20, 1862 from Pierce County, which was abolished the same year. **Name Origin:** For explorer Gen. John Pope (1822-92), career army officer in the

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Pope County (cont'd)

Mexican-American War and the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 716.86 (land 669.71; water 47.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.4.

**Pop 2010:** 10,995. **State rank:** 2363. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,252 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,935; median household $47,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,367 - $38,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RAMSEY COUNTY

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St Paul, MN 55102 **Fax:** 651-266-8039
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In east-central MN, west of Minneapolis; original county; established Oct 27, 1849 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alexander Ramsey (1815-1903), PA legislator, first MN territorial governor (1849-53), state governor (1860-63), U.S. senator (1863-75), and U.S. secretary of war (1879-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 166.57 (land 152.21; water 14.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 3341.7.

**Pop 2010:** 508,640. **State rank:** 127. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 494,920 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 11.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 11.7%; Others 7.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.0%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,956; median household $51,915; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,815 - $44,962.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 40 for cities).

### RED LAKE COUNTY

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In northwestern MN, southeast of Grand Forks, ND; established Dec 24, 1896 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For the Red Lake River, which flows through it; from a translation of the Ojibway word meaning 'red', referring to the color of the lake when the setting sun is reflected in it.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.49 (land 432.41; water 0.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,089. **State rank:** 2882. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,317 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,171; median household $47,835; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,825 - $32,695.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### REDWOOD COUNTY

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Redwood Falls, MN 56283 **Fax:** 507-637-4072
www.mncounties2.org/redwood

In southwestern MN, northwest of Mankato; established Feb 6, 1862 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the Redwood River, which flows through it; from a Dakota phrase *chan sha ayapi* 'wood-red-on the river,' which may refer to the red bark taken from a shrub, which the Indians dried and mixed with smoking tobacco; the red cedar trees lining the banks; or spots of red paint found on trees, marking an ancient trail for a war party.

**Area (sq mi):** 880.08 (land 878.57; water 1.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,059. **State rank:** 2069. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,022 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 3.2%; Others 2.1%, including 5.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,548; median household $44,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,635 - $43,159.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RENVILLE COUNTY

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Olivia, MN 56277 **Fax:** 320-523-3679
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In south-central MN, southwest of Minneapolis; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Renville (1779?-1846), captain in the British Army during the War of 1812, fur trader, and assistant to missionaries to the Sioux.

**Area (sq mi):** 987.21 (land 982.91; water 4.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.

**Pop 2010:** 15,730. **State rank:** 2057. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.2%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,764 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,956; median household $47,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,965 - $41,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RICE COUNTY

320 NW 3rd St **Ph:** 507-744-5185
Faribault, MN 55021 **Fax:** 507-332-5999
www.co.rice.mn.us

In south-central MN, south of Minneapolis; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from Nobles County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Mower Rice (1817-94), MN territorial delegate to Congress (1853-57) and one of its first two U.S. senators (1858-63).

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## Rice County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 514.24 (land 495.68; water 18.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.4.

**Pop 2010:** 64,142. **State rank:** 821. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 60,949 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 2.0%; Others 8.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,678; median household $58,771; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,626 - $31,509.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Faribault (23,352); Northfield (20,007).

**ROCK COUNTY**
204 E Brown St PO Box 745
Luverne, MN 56156
www.co.rock.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-283-5020
**Fax:** 507-283-5017

In the southwestern corner of MN; established mistakenly as Pipestone County May 23, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Nobles County; name changed Feb 20, 1862. **Name Origin:** For the Rock River, which runs through the county; named for the outcrop of quartzite about 3 sq. mi. in area and rising 175 ft. above this prairie region; now called 'the Mound.'

**Area (sq mi):** 482.69 (land 482.46; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,687. **State rank:** 2463. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,520 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,079; median household $45,411; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,918 - $40,299.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROSEAU COUNTY**
606 5th Ave SW Rm 20
Roseau, MN 56751
www.visitnwminnesota.com/Roseau.htm

**Ph:** 218-463-2541
**Fax:** 218-463-1889

On the northern border of MN, northeast of Grand Forks, ND; established Dec 31, 1894 from Kittson County. **Name Origin:** For Roseau lake and river, both in the northern part of the county; from French 'reed,' from a translation of an Ojibway word that refers to the coarse grass (Phragmites communis) growing along the banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,687.42 (land 1,671.60; water 15.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.3.

**Pop 2010:** 15,629. **State rank:** 2042. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 16,495 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 2.5%; Others 0.7%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,975; median household $49,400; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,891 - $37,173.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** -0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAINT LOUIS COUNTY**
100 North 5th Ave W, Rm 214
Duluth, MN 55802-2129
www.co.st-louis.mn.us

**Ph:** 218-726-2380
**Fax:** 218-725-5060

On the northeastern border of MN, bordered on the southeast by Lake Superior; established Mar 3, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Lake County (then called Doty County). **Name Origin:** For the Saint Louis River, which flows through the county; itself named for Louis IX of France (1215-70), who participated in the Sixth Crusade (1248-54) and was canonized in 1297.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,882.15 (land 6,247.40; water 634.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.

**Pop 2010:** 200,226. **State rank:** 311. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 197,179 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.2%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,014; median household $44,941; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,070 - $36,302.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Duluth (86,265); Hibbing (16,361).

**SCOTT COUNTY**
200 4th Ave W
Shakopee, MN 55379
www.co.scott.mn.us

**Ph:** 952-445-7750
**Fax:** 952-496-8257

In south-central MN, south of Minneapolis; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from Dakota County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Winfield Scott (1786-1866), officer in the War of 1812 and the Mexican-American War; general in chief of the U.S. Army (1841-61) and commander of the Union armies at the beginning of the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 368.36 (land 356.48; water 11.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 364.5.

**Pop 2010:** 129,928. **State rank:** 457. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 +33.9%. **Pop 2005:** 119,825 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 5.7%; Others 4.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,612; median household $82,190; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,666 - $42,714.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shakopee (37,076); Savage (26,911); Prior Lake (22,796).

**SHERBURNE COUNTY**
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Elk River, MN 55330
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**Fax:** 763-241-2816

In east-central MN, southeast of Saint Cloud; established Feb 25, 1856

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sherburne County (cont'd)

(prior to statehood) from Anoka County. **Name Origin:** For Moses Sherburne (1808-68), associate justice of the MN Territory supreme court (1853-57) and active in the formation of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 447.62 (land 432.92; water 14.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 204.4.

**Pop 2010:** 88,499. **State rank:** 639. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.3%; 2000-2005 +26.9%. **Pop 2005:** 81,752 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,376; median household $71,704; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,734 - $31,382.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elk River 🏛 (22,974); Big Lake (10,060).

**SIBLEY COUNTY**
400 Court St
Gaylord, MN 55334
www.co.sibley.mn.us
**Ph:** 507-237-4051
**Fax:** 507-237-4062

In south-central MN, southwest of Minneapolis; established Mar 5, 1853 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Henry Hastings Sibley (1811-91), delegate to the U.S. Congress from WI territory (1848-49) and from MN Territory (1849-53), and first governor of MN (1858-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 600.54 (land 588.78; water 11.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,226. **State rank:** 2099. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,237 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,073; median household $51,449; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,372 - $37,118.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STEARNS COUNTY**
705 Courthouse Sq, Rm 121
Saint Cloud, MN 56303
www.co.stearns.mn.us
**Ph:** 320-656-3601
**Fax:** 320-656-6393

In central MN, northwest of Minneapolis; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles Thomas Stearns (1807-98), territorial legislator (1854-55). In the original bill, the county was to be named for Isaac Ingalls Stevens (1818-62), first territorial governor of WA and surveyor for the Northern Pacific Railway, but apparently a clerical error was made and allowed to stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,388.54 (land 1,343.13; water 45.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.2.

**Pop 2010:** 150,642. **State rank:** 415. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 142,654 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 2.0%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 33.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,816; median household $51,779; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,119 - $34,147.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sartell (15,876).

**STEELE COUNTY**
111 E Main St
Owatonna, MN 55060
www.co.steele.mn.us
**Ph:** 507-444-7700
**Fax:** 507-444-7491

In southeastern MN, west of Rochester; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Franklin Steele (1813-80), prominent civic leader and member of the first board of regents of the University of Minnesota.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.27 (land 429.65; water 2.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.1.

**Pop 2010:** 36,576. **State rank:** 1246. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 35,755 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,062; median household $55,321; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,129 - $38,491.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Owatonna 🏛 (25,599).

**STEVENS COUNTY**
PO Box 530
Morris, MN 56267
www.co.stevens.mn.us
**Ph:** 320-589-7287
**Fax:** 320-589-7288

In west-central MN, west of Saint Cloud; established Feb 20, 1862 from Pierce County, which was abolished the same year. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Ingalls Stevens (1818-62), an officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War, first governor of WA Territory (1853-57) and surveyor for the Northern Pacific Railway.

**Area (sq mi):** 576.77 (land 563.60; water 13.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,726. **State rank:** 2456. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,826 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.5%; Others 3.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,585; median household $47,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,698 - $41,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SWIFT COUNTY**
301 14th St N PO Box 110
Benson, MN 56215
www.swiftcounty.com
**Ph:** 320-843-4069
**Fax:** 320-843-4124

In west-central MN, southwest of Saint Cloud; established Feb 18, 1870 from Chippewa County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Adoniram

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## Swift County (cont'd)

Swift (1823-69), MN legislator and governor (1863-64).

**Area (sq mi):** 750.90 (land 742.08; water 8.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.2.

**Pop 2010:** 9,783. **State rank:** 2366. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.6%; 2000-2005 -5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,324 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,571; median household $41,486; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,759 - $37,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TODD COUNTY

221 1st Ave S Suite 200
Long Prairie, MN 56347
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**Ph:** 320-732-4473
**Fax:** 320-732-4001

In central MN, northwest of Saint Cloud; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Stearns County. **Name Origin:** For John Blair Smith Todd (1814-72), army officer in the Seminole Wars, the Mexican-American War, and the Civil War; delegate to Congress for Dakota (1861-65), and Dakota Territory lawyer and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 982.30 (land 944.98; water 37.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,895. **State rank:** 1630. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,603 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,014; median household $42,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,132 - $29,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TRAVERSE COUNTY

PO Box 428
Wheaton, MN 56296
www.co.traverse.mn.us

**Ph:** 320-563-4242
**Fax:** 320-563-4424

On the central western border of MN, south of Fargo, ND; established Feb 20, 1862 from Wilkin County (then called Toombs County). **Name Origin:** For Lake Traverse on the southwestern border of the county; from the French *lac travers*, a translation of the Siouan name *Mdehdakinyan* 'lake lying crosswise' [to Big Stone and Lac Qui Parle lakes].

**Area (sq mi):** 585.77 (land 573.90; water 11.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,558. **State rank:** 2928. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,810 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 3.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,188; median household $41,287; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,283 - $46,652.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WABASHA COUNTY

625 Jefferson Ave
Wabasha, MN 55981
www.co.wabasha.mn.us

**Ph:** 651-565-2648
**Fax:** 651-565-2774

On the southeastern border of MN, north of Rochester; original county; established Oct 27, 1849 (prior to statehood); originally spelled Wabashaw. **Name Origin:** The name of hereditary Sioux chiefs. The name of the chiefs has been transliterated as *Wapashaw* and is said to mean 'red leaf,' 'red hat,' or 'red battle-standard.' The origin of the latter is probably a decoration or red uniform given by the British to one of the chiefs.

**Area (sq mi):** 547.80 (land 522.98; water 24.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.4.

**Pop 2010:** 21,676. **State rank:** 1725. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,200 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,282; median household $51,112; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,847 - $39,060.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WADENA COUNTY

415 S Jefferson St
Wadena, MN 56482
www.co.wadena.mn.us

**Ph:** 218-631-7634
**Fax:** 218-631-7635

In central MN, northwest of Saint Cloud; established Jun 11, 1858(1881) from Cass and Todd counties. **Name Origin:** For the Wadena trading post on the trail from Crow Wing to Otter Tail City; from an archaic Ojibway word meaning 'a little round hill,' possibly a reference to the Crow Wing bluffs, but also a common Ojibway personal name.

**Area (sq mi):** 544.25 (land 536.27; water 7.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,843. **State rank:** 2216. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,650 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,344; median household $34,686; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,044 - $29,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASECA COUNTY

307 N State St
Waseca, MN 56093
www.co.waseca.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-835-0630
**Fax:** 507-835-0633

In south-central MN, southeast of Mankato; established Feb 27, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Steele County. **Name Origin:** From Dakota 'rich,' referring either to provisions or the fertile soil.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Waseca County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 432.92 (land 423.36; water 9.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,136. **State rank:** 1872. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 19,330 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,121; median household $50,552; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,224 - $36,112.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

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Stillwater, MN 55082
www.co.washington.mn.us

**Ph:** 651-430-6001
**Fax:** 651-430-6017

On the central eastern border of MN, east of Saint Paul; original county; established Oct 27, 1849 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 415.74 (land 384.28; water 31.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 619.7.

**Pop 2010:** 238,136. **State rank:** 272. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 220,426 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 5.1%; Others 3.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,248; median household $79,109; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,728 - $47,588.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 40 for cities).

### WATONWAN COUNTY

710 7th Ave S
Saint James, MN 56081
www.co.watonwan.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-375-1236
**Fax:** 507-375-5010

In south-central MN, southwest of Mankato; established Feb 25, 1860 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the Watonwan River, whose head steams flow through the county; probably from a Dakota word meaning 'where fish bait can be found' or 'where fish abound.'

**Area (sq mi):** 440.35 (land 434.95; water 5.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.8.

**Pop 2010:** 11,211. **State rank:** 2358. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,234 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 20.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 20.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.0%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,334; median household $44,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,606 - $35,457.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WILKIN COUNTY

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On the central western border of MN, south of Fargo, ND; established Mar 8, 1858 from Cass County; name changed from Toombs County to Andy Johnson County in 1863 and from Andy Johnson County to present name Mar 6, 1868. **Name Origin:** For Col. Alexander Wilkin (1820-64), an officer in the Union army killed at the Battle of Tupelo. Originally for Robert Toombs (1810-85), U.S. senator from GA (1853-61), who became the Confederate secretary of state and thus angered the local residents. Changed to honor the seventeenth U.S. president, Andrew Johnson (1808-75), but his subsequent political stands also angered them.

**Area (sq mi):** 751.16 (land 750.96; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,576. **State rank:** 2739. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,802 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,447; median household $48,692; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,330 - $40,473.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WINONA COUNTY

177 Main St
Winona, MN 55987
www.co.winona.mn.us

**Ph:** 507-457-6350
**Fax:** 507-454-9365

On the southeastern border of MN, east of Rochester; established Feb 23, 1854 (prior to statehood) from unorganized lands. **Name Origin:** For the town that became the county seat, which was named for a Dakota Indian woman active in the removal of the Winnebagos from IA to MN. Name was also popularized by H.L. Gordon's poem, Winona (1881).

**Area (sq mi):** 641.50 (land 626.21; water 15.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.2.

**Pop 2010:** 51,461. **State rank:** 969. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 49,276 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 2.1%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 33.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,864; median household $44,217; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,931 - $34,350.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Winona 🏛 (27,592).

### WRIGHT COUNTY

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Buffalo, MN 55313
www.co.wright.mn.us

**Ph:** 763-682-7539
**Fax:** 763-682-7300

In east-central MN, northwest of Minneapolis; established Feb 20, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Silas Wright (1795-1847), NY governor (1845-47) and friend of a member of the county organization committee; his name was chosen as a compromise after a somewhat animated discussion.

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## Wright County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 715.09 (land 661.46; water 53.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 188.5.

**Pop 2010:** 124,700. **State rank:** 488. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.6%; 2000-2005 +23.1%. **Pop 2005:** 110,730 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,454; median household $67,963; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,418 - $34,697.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Buffalo 🏛 (15,453); Otsego (13,571); Monticello (12,759).

### YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY

415 9th Ave, Suite 102
Granite Falls, MN 56241
www.yellowmedicine.govoffice.com

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**Fax:** 320-564-3670

On the southwestern border of MN; established Mar 6, 1871 from Redwood County. **Name Origin:** For the Yellow Medicine River, which flows through it; from a translation of the Siouan name for moonseed, *Menispermum canadense*, a medicinal plant that grows abundantly in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 764.53 (land 759.10; water 5.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,438. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 10,449 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.8%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,171; median household $50,288; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,923 - $41,664.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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Jackson, MS 39205
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**Area (sq mi):** 48,430.20 (land 46,906.96; water 1,523.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,967,297. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,921,088 (White 59.1%; Black or African American 37%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,186; median household $37,881; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,568 - $31,071.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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Natchez, MS 39121 **Fax:** 601-445-7913
www.adamscountyms.net

On the southwestern border of MS; organized Apr 2, 1799 (prior to statehood) from Natchez District. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 488.40 (land 462.41; water 25.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.8.

**Pop 2010:** 32,297. **State rank:** 1408. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 32,099 (White 42.7%; Black or African American 53.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,473; median household $27,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,584 - $31,541.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Natchez 🏛 (15,792).

**ALCORN COUNTY**
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Corinth, MS 38835-5006 **Fax:** 662-286-7706
alcorncounty.org

On the northeastern border of MS, southeast of Memphis, TN; organized Apr 15, 1870 from Tippah, Tishomingo, and Wilkinson counties. **Name Origin:** For James Lusk Alcorn (1816-94), MS governor (1870-71) and U.S. senator (1871-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 401.50 (land 400.04; water 1.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 92.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,057. **State rank:** 1273. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 35,306 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,954; median household $32,342; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,198 - $27,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corinth 🏛 (14,573).

**AMITE COUNTY**
242 W Main St PO Box 680 **Ph:** 601-657-8022
Liberty, MS 39645 **Fax:** 601-657-8288
www.amitecounty.ms/index.php

On the southwestern border of MS, southeast of Natchez; organized Feb 24, 1809 (prior to statehood) from Wilkinson County. **Name Origin:** Adapted from *amitie*, the French word for 'friendship.'

**Area (sq mi):** 732.14 (land 730.10; water 2.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.

**Pop 2010:** 13,131. **State rank:** 2227. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,435 (White 57.7%; Black or African American 41.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,861; median household $27,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,823 - $27,854.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oxford (18,916).

**ATTALA COUNTY**
230 W Washington St **Ph:** 662-289-2921
Kosciusko, MS 39090 **Fax:** 662-289-7662
www.attalacounty.net

In central MS, southwest of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** Either from Cherokee *otale* 'mountain,' or *Attala*, an Indian heroine.

**Area (sq mi):** 736.95 (land 734.98; water 1.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,564. **State rank:** 1828. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 19,552 (White 56.2%; Black or African American 42.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.6.

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## Attala County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,659; median household $28,508; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,918 - $25,667.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENTON COUNTY**
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Ashland, MS 38603
bentoncountyms.gov
**Ph:** 662-224-6300
**Fax:** 662-224-6303

On the central northern border of MS, southeast of Memphis, TN; organized Jul 21, 1870 from Marshall and Tippah counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 408.48 (land 406.62; water 1.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,729. **State rank:** 2590. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,852 (White 60.5%; Black or African American 37.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,998; median household $29,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,985 - $20,705.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOLIVAR COUNTY**
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Cleveland, MS 38732
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**Ph:** 662-846-5877
**Fax:** 662-846-5880

On the northwestern border of MS, north of Greenville; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Simon Bolivar (1783-1830), Venezuelan leader of South American revolt against Spanish rule; known as the Liberator and George Washington to South America.

**Area (sq mi):** 906.04 (land 876.57; water 29.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.

**Pop 2010:** 34,145. **State rank:** 1247. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.6%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 38,641 (White 33.5%; Black or African American 64.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 34.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,051; median household $26,005; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,109 - $30,824.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cleveland (12,334).

**CALHOUN COUNTY**
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Pittsboro, MS 38951
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In north-central MS, northwest of Columbus; organized Mar 8, 1852 from Chickasaw, Lafayette, and Yalobusha counties. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 588 (land 586.57; water 1.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.5.

**Pop 2010:** 14,962. **State rank:** 2131. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,652 (White 67.5%; Black or African American 27.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 5.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,183; median household $28,484; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,848 - $25,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
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In north-central MS, east of Greenville; organized 1833 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 635.05 (land 628.24; water 6.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,597. **State rank:** 2407. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,397 (White 65.6%; Black or African American 32.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,025; median household $29,290; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,055 - $31,466.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHICKASAW COUNTY**
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Houston, MS 38851
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**Fax:** 662-456-5295

In east-central MS, northwest of Columbus; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession of 1832. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, closely connected with the Choctaw, of Muskhógean linguistic stock; meaning of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 504.49 (land 501.78; water 2.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,392. **State rank:** 1877. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.3%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,184 (White 54.0%; Black or African American 42.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,985; median household $30,092; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,797 - $26,368.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHOCTAW COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 662-285-3444

In east-central MS, west of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Chickasaw cession of 1832. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Muskhogean linguistic stock; meaning of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 418.89 (land 418.18; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,547. **State rank:** 2507. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.7%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,572 (White 68.4%; Black or African American 30.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,545; median household $30,994; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,612 - $24,624.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAIBORNE COUNTY**
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Port Gibson, MS 39150

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On the southwestern border of MS, south of Vicksburg; organized Jan 27, 1802 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For William Charles Cole Claiborne (1775-1817), governor of the Mississippi Territory (1801-05), of the Orleans Territory (1804-12), and of LA (1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 502 (land 487.41; water 14.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,604. **State rank:** 2372. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -16.4%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,492 (White 14.2%; Black or African American 84.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 33.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,571; median household $24,150; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,198 - $26,390.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLARKE COUNTY**
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Quitman, MS 39355
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**Fax:** 601-776-2756

On the central eastern border of MS, south of Meridian; organized Dec 10, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Joshua G. Clarke, first chancellor of MS.

**Area (sq mi):** 693.69 (land 691.55; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,732. **State rank:** 1951. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,670 (White 64.2%; Black or African American 34.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,467; median household $29,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,219 - $26,058.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAY COUNTY**
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West Point, MS 39773
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**Fax:** 662-492-4059

In east-central MS, northwest of Columbus; established as Colfax County May 12, 1871 from Chickasaw, Oktibbeha, and Lowndes counties; name changed Apr 10, 1876. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.54 (land 410.08; water 7.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.3.

**Pop 2010:** 20,634. **State rank:** 1778. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,223 (White 40.5%; Black or African American 58.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,604; median household $31,727; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,271 - $28,362.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** West Point 🏛 (11,307).

**COAHOMA COUNTY**
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Clarksdale, MS 38614
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**Fax:** 662-624-3040

On the northwestern border of MS, north of Greenville; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession of 1836. **Name Origin:** For Sweet Coahoma, known also as Coahoma Sheriff, daughter of the last Choctaw in the area. The name means red panther.

**Area (sq mi):** 581.43 (land 552.44; water 28.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.3.

**Pop 2010:** 26,151. **State rank:** 1520. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.8%; 2000-2005 -5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 29,002 (White 22.9%; Black or African American 75.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,687; median household $24,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,095 - $31,402.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clarksdale 🏛 (17,962).

**COPIAH COUNTY**
122 S Lowe St PO Box 507
Hazlehurst, MS 39083
www.copiahcounty.org

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**Fax:** 601-894-4081

In southwestern MS, southwest of Jackson; organized Jan 21, 1823 from Hinds County. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word, said to mean

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panther, but uncertain. It is believed locally to mean clear water.

**Area (sq mi):** 780.02 (land 777.24; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.9.

**Pop 2010:** 29,449. **State rank:** 1449. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 29,164 (White 46.3%; Black or African American 50.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,473; median household $36,637; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,305 - $24,538.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COVINGTON COUNTY

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Collins, MS 39428
www.msgw.org/covington

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**Fax:** 601-765-5016

In south-central MS, west of Laurel; organized Feb 5, 1819 from Lawrence and Wayne counties. **Name Origin:** For Leonard Wales Covington (1768-1813), general in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 414.94 (land 413.79; water 1.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.3.

**Pop 2010:** 19,568. **State rank:** 1791. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,273 (White 63.0%; Black or African American 34.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,713; median household $32,456; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,063 - $28,217.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DESOTO COUNTY

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Hernando, MS 38632
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In the northwestern corner of MS, south of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Hernando De Soto (c.1500-42), Spanish explorer of southern U.S.

**Area (sq mi):** 495.06 (land 476.15; water 18.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 338.7.

**Pop 2010:** 161,252. **State rank:** 382. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.7%; 2000-2005 +27.8%. **Pop 2005:** 137,004 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 21.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,531; median household $59,418; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,635 - $32,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Southaven (48,982); Olive Branch (33,484); Horn Lake (26,066); Hernando (14,090).

### FORREST COUNTY

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Hattiesburg, MS 39401
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**Fax:** 601-545-6065

In southeastern MS, southwest of Laurel; organized Apr 19, 1906 from Perry County. **Name Origin:** For Nathan Bedford Forrest (1821-77), Confederate general often quoted as saying Get there fustest with the mostest.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.90 (land 466.31; water 3.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 160.7.

**Pop 2010:** 74,934. **State rank:** 673. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 75,095 (White 59.7%; Black or African American 36.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 31.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,272; median household $34,448; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,824 - $29,739.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hattiesburg (45,989); Petal (10,454).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 601-384-5864

In southwestern MS, east of Natchez; organized Dec 21, 1809 (prior to statehood) from Adams County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.92 (land 563.78; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,118. **State rank:** 2564. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,411 (White 64.8%; Black or African American 34.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,583; median household $33,324; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,663 - $25,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 42.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GEORGE COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of MS, north of Pascagoula; organized Mar 16, 1810 (prior to statehood) from Greene and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Zachariah George (1826-97), Confederate army officer and U.S. senator from MS (1881-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 484.05 (land 478.71; water 5.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,578. **State rank:** 1689. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 21,259 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,452; median household $45,492; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## George County (cont'd)

$23,834 - $25,478.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of MS, east of Hattiesburg; organized Dec 9, 1811 (prior to statehood) from Amite, Franklin, and Wayne counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 718.63 (land 712.76; water 5.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,400. **State rank:** 2137. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,183 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 26.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,064; median household $40,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,645 - $22,117.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRENADA COUNTY

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**Fax:** 662-226-9745

In north-central MS, northwest of Columbus; organized May 9, 1870 from Carroll and Tallahatchie counties. **Name Origin:** Believed to have been named for the island in the West Indies, chosen when the towns of Pittsburg and Tullohoma united after some years of rivalry. There is also a theory that it is a form of Granada, Spain.

**Area (sq mi):** 449.69 (land 422.11; water 27.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.9.

**Pop 2010:** 21,906. **State rank:** 1670. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,861 (White 56.9%; Black or African American 41.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,701; median household $32,901; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,952 - $28,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grenada (13,092).

### HANCOCK COUNTY

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In the southwestern corner of MS, west of Gulfport; organized Dec 18, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Mobile District. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 549.40 (land 473.75; water 75.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 92.7.

**Pop 2010:** 43,929. **State rank:** 1146. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 46,711 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,935; median household $44,494; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,292 - $35,046.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARRISON COUNTY

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Gulfport, MS 39502
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**Fax:** 228-868-1480

On the southern border of MS, west of Pascagoula; organized Feb 5, 1841 from Hancock and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Harrison (1773-1841), ninth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 969.16 (land 573.99; water 395.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 326.

**Pop 2010:** 187,105. **State rank:** 338. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 193,810 (White 69.7%; Black or African American 22.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 2.8%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,880; median household $45,668; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,695 - $35,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gulfport (67,793); Biloxi (44,054); Long Beach (14,792).

### HINDS COUNTY

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Jackson, MS 39205
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**Fax:** 601-968-6794

In west-central MS, east of Vicksburg; organized Feb 12, 1821 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Hinds (1780-1840), officer during the War of 1812 and U.S. representative from MS (1828-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 877.90 (land 869.74; water 8.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 282.

**Pop 2010:** 245,285. **State rank:** 257. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 249,345 (White 28.4%; Black or African American 69.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 33.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,676; median household $39,215; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,511 - $34,721.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jackson (173,514); Clinton (25,216); Byram (11,489).

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In central MS, north of Jackson; organized Feb 19, 1833 from Yazoo County. **Name Origin:** For David Holmes (1769-1832), U.S. representative from VA (1797-1809), MS territorial governor (1809-17), state governor (1817-20; 1826), and U.S. senator (1820-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 764.88 (land 756.70; water 8.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.4.

**Pop 2010:** 19,198. **State rank:** 1802. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.0%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,099 (White 15.6%; Black or African American 83.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,585; median household $21,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 43.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,419 - $26,303.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In west-central MS, southeast of Greenville; organized Mar 28, 1918 from Holmes, Washington, Yazoo, and Sunflower counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Grubb Humphreys (1808-82), general in the Confederate army, MS legislator, and governor (1865-66).

**Area (sq mi):** 431.56 (land 418.49; water 13.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,375. **State rank:** 2442. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.9%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 10,527 (White 23.5%; Black or African American 74.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,282; median household $25,131; **Pop below poverty level:** 42.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,053 - $28,262.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ISSAQUENA COUNTY**
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On the central western border of MS, north of Vicksburg; organized Jan 23, 1844 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** From the Choctaw word probably meaning 'deer's head.'

**Area (sq mi):** 441.35 (land 413.05; water 28.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,406. **State rank:** 3078. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -26.3%; 2000-2005 -16.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,909 (White 34.6%; Black or African American 64.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,810; median household $21,360; **Pop below poverty level:** 39.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,247 - $36,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ITAWAMBA COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of MS, north of Columbus; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the personal name of an Indian chief; meaning uncertain.

**Area (sq mi):** 540.90 (land 532.79; water 8.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,401. **State rank:** 1674. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 23,359 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,517; median household $37,588; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,649 - $29,936.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood (15,205).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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In the southeastern corner of MS, east of Biloxi; organized Dec 18, 1812 (prior to statehood) from Mobile District. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,039.15 (land 722.75; water 316.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.2.

**Pop 2010:** 139,668. **State rank:** 454. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 135,940 (White 72.1%; Black or African American 21.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 2.2%; Others 4.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,655; median household $47,906; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,931 - $34,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pascagoula (22,392); Gautier (18,572); Ocean Springs (17,442); Moss Point (13,704).

**JASPER COUNTY**
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Bay Springs, MS 39422
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In east-central MS, north of Laurel; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), American Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 677.68 (land 676.24; water 1.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,062. **State rank:** 1915. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 18,162 (White 46.3%; Black or African American 52.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Jasper County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,268; median household $30,177; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,672 - $28,722.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of MS, north of Natchez; organized Apr 2, 1799 (prior to statehood) from Pickering County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 527.74 (land 519.93; water 7.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,726. **State rank:** 2517. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -18.1%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,432 (White 13.7%; Black or African American 85.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,534; median household $24,304; **Pop below poverty level:** 39.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,607 - $24,868.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON DAVIS COUNTY**
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In south-central MS, northwest of Hattiesburg; organized Mar 31, 1906 from Covington and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Davis (1808-89), president of the Confederate States of America (1862-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 409.14 (land 408.44; water 0.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,487. **State rank:** 2262. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,158 (White 38.7%; Black or African American 59.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,120; median household $25,986; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,188 - $25,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JONES COUNTY**
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In east-central MS, north of Hattiesburg; organized Jan 24, 1826 from Covington and Wayne counties. **Name Origin:** For John Paul Jones (1747-92), commander of the *Bonhomme Richard* in its victory over the British ship *Serapis* during the American Revolution. He later served as an admiral in the Russian Navy.

**Area (sq mi):** 700.71 (land 694.80; water 5.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.5.

**Pop 2010:** 67,761. **State rank:** 771. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 66,160 (White 67.2%; Black or African American 28.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,632; median household $36,017; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,510 - $32,865.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laurel 🏛 (18,540).

**KEMPER COUNTY**
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On the central eastern border of MS, north of Meridian; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Reuben Kemper (?-1827), hero of the Florida and Mexican Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 767.05 (land 766.18; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,456. **State rank:** 2441. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,246 (White 35.3%; Black or African American 60.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 3.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,903; median household $25,649; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,286 - $24,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cleveland (12,334).

**LAFAYETTE COUNTY**
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Oxford, MS 38655
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In north-central MS, southeast of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession of 1832. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 679.88 (land 631.71; water 48.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.

**Pop 2010:** 47,351. **State rank:** 1073. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.9%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 40,842 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 23.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 2.1%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 27.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,267; median household $39,080; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,105 - $32,264.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

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## Lafayette County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oxford (18,916).

**LAMAR COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 601-794-1049

In south-central MS, west of Hattiesburg; organized Feb 19, 1904 from Marion and Pearl River counties. **Name Origin:** For Lucius Quintus Cincinnatus Lamar (1825-93), U.S. statesman and a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1888-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 500.48 (land 497.06; water 3.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.

**Pop 2010:** 55,658. **State rank:** 960. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.7%; 2000-2005 +14.2%. **Pop 2005:** 44,616 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 19.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,052; median household $48,048; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,648 - $33,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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www.lauderdalecounty.org
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**Fax:** 601-486-4943

On the central eastern border of MS, south of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession. **Name Origin:** For Col. James Lauderdale (?-1814), soldier killed at the Battle of New Orleans during the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 715.40 (land 703.63; water 11.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 114.1.

**Pop 2010:** 80,261. **State rank:** 689. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 77,218 (White 54.8%; Black or African American 42.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,116; median household $33,926; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,222 - $31,695.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Meridian (41,148).

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
517 E Broad St PO Box 996
Monticello, MS 39654
www.lawrencecounty.org
**Ph:** 601-587-3007
**Fax:** 601-587-0765

In south-central MS, south of Jackson; organized Dec 22, 1814 (prior to statehood) from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. Navy commander in War of 1812 who said, Dont give up the ship

**Area (sq mi):** 435.78 (land 430.67; water 5.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.

**Pop 2010:** 12,929. **State rank:** 2214. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,502 (White 66.7%; Black or African American 30.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,142; median household $35,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,051 - $29,915.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEAKE COUNTY**
PO Box 72
Carthage, MS 39051
www.leakems.com
**Ph:** 601-267-7372
**Fax:** 601-267-6137

In central MS, northeast of Jackson; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession of 1830. **Name Origin:** For Walter Leake (1762-1825), VA legislator, judge of the MS Territory (1807), U.S. senator from MS (1817-20), and governor (1822-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 585.68 (land 583; water 2.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,805. **State rank:** 1664. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,453 (White 49.5%; Black or African American 40.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.3%, including 6.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,617; median household $31,986; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,149 - $24,727.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
PO Box 7127
Tupelo, MS 38802
**Ph:** 662-841-9100
**Fax:** 662-680-6091

In northeastern MS, north of Columbus; organized Oct 26, 1866 from Itawamba and Pontotoc counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 453.50 (land 449.95; water 3.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 184.3.

**Pop 2010:** 82,910. **State rank:** 667. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 78,793 (White 69.3%; Black or African American 27.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,831; median household $39,049; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,243 - $34,093.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tupelo (34,546).

**LEFLORE COUNTY**
306 W Market St
Greenwood, MS 38930
www.ms.gov
**Ph:** 662-453-1435
**Fax:** 662-455-1278

In west-central MS, northeast of Greenville; organized Mar 15, 1871

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Leflore County (cont'd)

from Carroll and Sunflower counties. **Name Origin:** For Greenwood LeFlore (1800-65), leader of a prominent Choctaw family of French ancestry, landowner, and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 606.96 (land 592.54; water 14.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.5.

**Pop 2010:** 32,317. **State rank:** 1299. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.3%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 36,431 (White 24.9%; Black or African American 72.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,957; median household $22,020; **Pop below poverty level:** 39.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,546 - $29,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood (15,205).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

PO Box 555 Courthouse
Brookhaven, MS 39602
www.co.lincoln.ms.us

**Ph:** 601-835-3479
**Fax:** 601-835-3423

In southwestern MS, east of Natchez; organized Apr 7, 1870 from Amite, Pike, Lawrence, and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 588.59 (land 586.12; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.5.

**Pop 2010:** 34,869. **State rank:** 1293. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 33,906 (White 68.4%; Black or African American 29.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,620; median household $38,405; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,390 - $26,999.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brookhaven (12,513).

### LOWNDES COUNTY

1121 Main St PO Box 1364
Columbus, MS 39703
www.lowndescountygov.com

**Ph:** 662-329-5896
**Fax:** 662-329-5870

On the central eastern border of MS, north of Meridian; organized Jan 30, 1830 from Monroe County. **Name Origin:** For William Jones Lowndes (1782-1822), SC legislator and U.S. representative (1811-22).

**Area (sq mi):** 519.66 (land 505.51; water 14.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 118.3.

**Pop 2010:** 59,779. **State rank:** 854. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 59,895 (White 54.0%; Black or African American 43.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,273; median household $37,607; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,988 - $32,364.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbus (23,640).

### MADISON COUNTY

146 W Center St PO Box 404
Canton, MS 39046
www.madison-co.com

**Ph:** 601-859-1177
**Fax:** 601-859-0795

In central MS, north of Jackson; organized Jan 29, 1828 from Yazoo County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 739.37 (land 714.51; water 24.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.2.

**Pop 2010:** 95,203. **State rank:** 608. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 84,286 (White 57.0%; Black or African American 38.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 2.1%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,517; median household $59,585; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,270 - $46,427.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Madison (24,149); Ridgeland (24,047); Canton (13,189).

### MARION COUNTY

215 Broad St Suite 2
Columbia, MS 39429
www.marioncounty-ms.us

**Ph:** 601-736-2691
**Fax:** 601-444-0206

On the central southern border of MS, west of Hattiesburg; organized Dec 9, 1811 (prior to statehood) from Amite, Wayne, and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as 'The Swamp Fox' for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 548.62 (land 542.38; water 6.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.9.

**Pop 2010:** 27,088. **State rank:** 1562. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 25,235 (White 65.8%; Black or African American 32.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,549; median household $31,332; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,444 - $26,949.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARSHALL COUNTY

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Holly Springs, MS 38635-5021
www.marshallcoms.org/index.php

**Ph:** 662-252-4431
**Fax:** 662-252-0004

On central northern border of MS, southeast of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist; fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 709.66 (land 706.19; water 3.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,144. **State rank:** 1239. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,659 (White 50.1%; Black or African American 46.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.2%,

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## Marshall County (cont'd)

including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,825; median household $34,183; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,041 - $25,618.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONROE COUNTY

PO Box 578
Aberdeen, MS 39730
www.gomonroe.org

**Ph:** 662-369-8143
**Fax:** 662-369-7928

On the central eastern border of MS, north of Columbus; organized Feb 9, 1821 from Chickasaw cession of 1821. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 772.96 (land 765.09; water 7.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.3.

**Pop 2010:** 36,989. **State rank:** 1238. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 37,704 (White 67.7%; Black or African American 30.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,884; median household $35,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,402 - $27,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Winona, MS 38967
www.ms-montgomerycounty.org

**Ph:** 662-283-2333
**Fax:** 662-283-2233

In central MS, west of Columbus; organized May 13, 1871 from Carroll and Choctaw counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 408 (land 406.98; water 1.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,925. **State rank:** 2342. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,829 (White 53.0%; Black or African American 45.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,584; median household $31,488; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,488 - $27,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NESHOBA COUNTY

401 Beacon St, Suite 107
Philadelphia, MS 39350
neshobacounty.net

**Ph:** 601-656-3581
**Fax:** 601-656-5915

In east-central MS, northwest of Meridian; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession in 1830. **Name Origin:** Choctaw, probably 'wolf,' but debatable.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.78 (land 570.14; water 1.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.1.

**Pop 2010:** 29,676. **State rank:** 1415. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 29,905 (White 60.6%; Black or African American 20.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 16.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,609; median household $34,905; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,052 - $33,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEWTON COUNTY

PO Box 68
Decatur, MS 39327
newton.msgen.info

**Ph:** 601-635-2368
**Fax:** 601-635-3210

In east-central MS, west of Meridian; organized Feb 25, 1836 from Neshoba County. **Name Origin:** For Sir Isaac Newton (1642-1727), English mathematician and natural philosopher, formulator of the law of gravitation.

**Area (sq mi):** 579.65 (land 578.10; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.6.

**Pop 2010:** 21,720. **State rank:** 1695. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,366 (White 63.2%; Black or African American 30.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 5.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,727; median household $36,154; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,015 - $27,512.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NOXUBEE COUNTY

PO Box 147
Macon, MS 39341
noxubeecountyms.com

**Ph:** 662-723-5181

On the central eastern border of MS, south of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1833 for Choctaw cession in 1830. **Name Origin:** For the Noxubee River, which runs through it; from Choctaw probably 'stinking water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 700.40 (land 695.14; water 5.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,545. **State rank:** 2310. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 12,202 (White 27.1%; Black or African American 71.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,759; median household $22,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Noxubee County (cont'd)

$22,934 - $24,915.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OKTIBBEHA COUNTY

101 E Main St
Starkville, MS 39759
www.gtpdd.com/counties/oktibbeha

**Ph:** 662-323-5834
**Fax:** 662-338-1064

In east-central MS, west of Columbus; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession 1830. **Name Origin:** For Choctaw, locally believed to mean 'pure water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 462.39 (land 458.20; water 4.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.

**Pop 2010:** 47,671. **State rank:** 1062. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.6%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 41,247 (White 59.2%; Black or African American 36.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 2.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 25.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,356; median household $30,320; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,328 - $27,285.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Starkville 🏛 (23,888).

### PANOLA COUNTY

151 Public Sq
Batesville, MS 38606
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**Ph:** 662-563-6205
**Fax:** 662-563-6277

In northwestern MS, south of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** From the Choctaw word probably meaning 'cotton.'

**Area (sq mi):** 706.08 (land 685.14; water 20.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,707. **State rank:** 1288. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 35,331 (White 49.4%; Black or African American 48.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,987; median household $34,030; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,090 - $26,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PEARL RIVER COUNTY

PO Box 431
Poplarville, MS 39470
www.pearlrivercounty.net

**Ph:** 601-403-2300
**Fax:** 601-795-3093

In south-central MS, northwest of Biloxi; organized Feb 22, 1890 from Hancock and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For the river, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 818.46 (land 810.86; water 7.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.9.

**Pop 2010:** 55,834. **State rank:** 872. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 52,659 (White 84.0%; Black or African American 12.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,014; median household $40,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,797 - $27,377.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Picayune (10,878).

### PERRY COUNTY

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New Augusta, MS 39462
www.perrycountyms.com

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**Fax:** 601-964-8746

In southeastern MS, southeast of Hattiesburg; organized Feb 3, 1820 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, 'We have met the enemy and they are ours.'

**Area (sq mi):** 650.27 (land 647.25; water 3.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,250. **State rank:** 2288. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,160 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 20.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,238; median household $38,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,542 - $22,756.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corinth (14,573).

### PIKE COUNTY

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Magnolia, MS 39652
www.co.pike.ms.us

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**Fax:** 601-783-5982

On the central southern border of MS; organized Dec 9, 1815 (prior to statehood) from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak in CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 410.91 (land 409.02; water 1.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.8.

**Pop 2010:** 40,404. **State rank:** 1174. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 39,426 (White 46.4%; Black or African American 51.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,620; median household $30,779; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,625 - $27,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** McComb (12,790).

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**PONTOTOC COUNTY**
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In north-central MS, northwest of Columbus; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession. **Name Origin:** From the Chickasaw term probably meaning 'cattails growing on the prairie.'

**Area (sq mi):** 501.33 (land 497.69; water 3.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.2.

**Pop 2010:** 29,957. **State rank:** 1442. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,208 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,820; median household $38,420; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,115 - $25,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRENTISS COUNTY**
PO Box 477
Booneville, MS 38829
**Ph:** 662-728-8151
**Fax:** 662-728-2007

In northeastern MS, south of Corinth; organized Apr 15, 1870 from Tishomingo County. **Name Origin:** For Seargeant Smith Prentiss (1808-50), MS legislator and U.S. representative (1838-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 418.30 (land 414.98; water 3.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,276. **State rank:** 1565. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 25,593 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,068; median household $31,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,430 - $24,339.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**QUITMAN COUNTY**
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Marks, MS 38646
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**Fax:** 662-326-8004

In northwestern MS, southwest of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 1, 1877 from Panola and Coahoma counties. **Name Origin:** For John Anthony Quitman (1799-1858), tenth and sixteenth governor of MS (1835-36; 1850-51) and U.S. representative (1855-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 406.67 (land 405.01; water 1.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,223. **State rank:** 2560. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.6%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,512 (White 29.0%; Black or African American 69.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,080; median household $24,169; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,541 - $27,674.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RANKIN COUNTY**
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Brandon, MS 39042
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**Fax:** 601-825-9600

In central MS, east of Jackson; organized Feb 4, 1828 from Hinds County. **Name Origin:** For Christopher Rankin (1788-1826), MS legislator and U.S. representative (1819-26).

**Area (sq mi):** 807.06 (land 775.49; water 31.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 182.6.

**Pop 2010:** 141,617. **State rank:** 432. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +14.3%. **Pop 2005:** 131,841 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 18.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,637; median household $54,028; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,387 - $35,510.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pearl (25,092); Brandon (21,705).

**SCOTT COUNTY**
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Forest, MS 39074
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**Fax:** 601-469-5180

In central MS, east of Jackson; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession in 1832. **Name Origin:** For Abram M. Scott (?-1833), governor of MS (1832-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 610.49 (land 609.19; water 1.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.4.

**Pop 2010:** 28,264. **State rank:** 1437. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 28,739 (White 53.3%; Black or African American 37.5%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 10.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,608; median household $35,765; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,268 - $26,044.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHARKEY COUNTY**
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Rolling Fork, MS 39159
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**Fax:** 662-873-6045

In central western MS, north of Vicksburg; organized Mar 29, 1876 from Warren, Washington, and Issaquena counties. **Name Origin:** For William Lewis Sharkey (1798-1873), MS legislator, circuit court judge (1832), and provisional governor (1865).

**Area (sq mi):** 438.89 (land 431.72; water 7.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,916. **State rank:** 2797. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -17.6%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,967 (White 27.9%; Black or African American 71.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,322; median household $30,129; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sharkey County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 34.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,934 - $29,560.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SIMPSON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 601-847-7004

In south-central MS, south of Jackson; organized Jan 23, 1824 from Copiah County. **Name Origin:** For Josiah Simpson, a judge in the Mississippi Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 590.96 (land 589.16; water 1.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.7.

**Pop 2010:** 27,503. **State rank:** 1488. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,944 (White 62.8%; Black or African American 35.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,397; median household $36,739; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,924 - $31,285.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pearl (25,092).

**SMITH COUNTY**
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Raleigh, MS 39153
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**Fax:** 601-782-4007

In east-central MS, southeast of Jackson; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For a David Smith; other information has been lost.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.63 (land 636.25; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,491. **State rank:** 2048. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,058 (White 75.8%; Black or African American 22.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,686; median household $37,176; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,267 - $26,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STONE COUNTY**
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Wiggins, MS 39577
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**Fax:** 601-928-6464

In southeastern MS, north of Gulfport; organized Apr 3, 1916 from Harrison County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Marshall Stone (1830-1900), acting governor (1876-82) and governor (1890-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 448.20 (land 445.49; water 2.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.9.

**Pop 2010:** 17,786. **State rank:** 1986. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.7%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,862 (White 78.6%; Black or African American 19.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,691; median household $43,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,939 - $28,570.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SUNFLOWER COUNTY**
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Indianola, MS 38751
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**Fax:** 662-887-7054

In west-central MS, northeast of Greenville; organized Feb 15, 1844 from Bolivar County. **Name Origin:** For the Sunflower River, which runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 711.18 (land 697.75; water 13.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.2.

**Pop 2010:** 29,450. **State rank:** 1431. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.9%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 32,311 (White 25.4%; Black or African American 72.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,993; median household $25,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,421 - $26,110.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Indianola (10,683).

**TALLAHATCHIE COUNTY**
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Charleston, MS 38921
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In north-central MS, northeast of Greenville; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Tallahatchie River, which runs through it; possibly from Cree *talwa* 'town,' and *hachi* 'river': 'river town.'

**Area (sq mi):** 653.45 (land 645.29; water 8.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,378. **State rank:** 2258. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,191 (White 38.9%; Black or African American 56.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,687; median household $24,668; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,171 - $24,015.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TATE COUNTY**
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Senatobia, MS 38668
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In northwestern MS, south of Memphis, TN; organized Apr 15, 1873 from DeSoto, Marshall, and Tunica counties. **Name Origin:** Named by

*County Seat*

## Tate County (cont'd)

T.S. Tate, an early settler, for his family.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.23 (land 404.76; water 6.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.4.

**Pop 2010:** 28,886. **State rank:** 1508. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 26,548 (White 66.9%; Black or African American 30.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,318; median household $41,102; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,654 - $28,079.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TIPPAH COUNTY**
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Ripley, MS 38663
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**Ph:** 662-837-3353
**Fax:** 662-837-3006

On the northern border of MS; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession. **Name Origin:** For the wife of a Chickasaw chief; name is thought to mean 'cut-off.'

**Area (sq mi):** 459.89 (land 457.82; water 2.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,232. **State rank:** 1737. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 21,212 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 15.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,365; median household $32,109; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,000 - $25,357.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TISHOMINGO COUNTY**
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Iuka, MS 38852
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**Fax:** 662-423-7005

On northeastern corner of MS; organized Feb 9, 1836 from Chickasaw cession, divided in 1870 into Alcorn, Prentiss, and Tishomingo counties. **Name Origin:** For Tishomingo (1733-1837), last full-blooded war chief of the Chickasaw Indians. Name means 'assistant chief': at this time he was the principal leader next to Ishtehotopa, the Chickasaw king.

**Area (sq mi):** 444.66 (land 424.25; water 20.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,593. **State rank:** 1857. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 19,202 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,017; median household $30,211; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,322 - $24,501.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TUNICA COUNTY**
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Tunica, MS 38676-6938
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**Fax:** 662-357-5934

On the northwestern border of MS, southwest of Memphis, TN; organized Feb 9, 1836 by the Treaty of Pontotoc from Chickasaw cession of 1832. **Name Origin:** For a tribe of Tunican linguistic stock located on the lower Yazoo River in MS. Their name probably means 'the people' or 'those who are the people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 480.64 (land 454.67; water 25.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,778. **State rank:** 2398. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +11.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,321 (White 23.7%; Black or African American 73.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,711; median household $29,994; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,913 - $29,093.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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New Albany, MS 38652
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In north-central MS, northwest of Tupelo; organized Jul 7, 1870 from Pontotoc and Tippah counties. **Name Origin:** Possibly for its establishment from parts of two counties or for the union of the north and south following the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.04 (land 415.60; water 1.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,134. **State rank:** 1510. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 26,784 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 14.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,945; median household $35,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,900 - $26,380.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALTHALL COUNTY**
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Tylertown, MS 39667
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**Fax:** 601-876-6026

On the central southern border of MS, west of Hattiesburg; organized Mar 16, 1910 from Marion and Pike counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Edward Cary Walthall (1831-98), Confederate army officer and U.S. senator from MS (1885-86; 1895-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 404.56 (land 403.94; water 0.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,443. **State rank:** 2078. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,460 (White 53.4%; Black or African American 44.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Walthall County (cont'd)

including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,157; median household $33,054; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,471 - $24,847.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WARREN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 601-630-4100

On the central western border of MS, west of Jackson; organized Dec 22, 1809 (prior to statehood) from Natchez District. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 620.65 (land 588.50; water 32.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.9.

**Pop 2010:** 48,773. **State rank:** 993. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 49,131 (White 50.3%; Black or African American 47.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,079; median household $40,404; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,604 - $35,896.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vicksburg 🏛 (23,856).

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

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On the central western border of MS, north of Vicksburg; organized Jan 29, 1827 from Warren and Yazoo counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 762.01 (land 724.74; water 37.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.6.

**Pop 2010:** 51,137. **State rank:** 907. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.6%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 59,220 (White 27.0%; Black or African American 71.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,946; median household $27,797; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,893 - $29,221.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenville 🏛 (34,400).

### WAYNE COUNTY

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Waynesboro, MS 39367
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On the central eastern border of MS, east of Laurel; organized Dec 21, 1809 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.93 (land 810.75; water 3.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.6.

**Pop 2010:** 20,747. **State rank:** 1782. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 21,291 (White 59.3%; Black or African American 38.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,099; median household $31,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,183 - $27,173.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WEBSTER COUNTY

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In east-central MS, west of Columbus; organized as Sumner County Apr 6, 1874 from Montgomery County; name changed Jan 20, 1882. Originally named for an early settler. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 421.79 (land 420.94; water 0.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.4.

**Pop 2010:** 10,253. **State rank:** 2440. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,092 (White 78.7%; Black or African American 19.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,888; median household $34,107; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,360 - $24,965.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WILKINSON COUNTY

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On the southwestern border of MS, south of Natchez; organized Jan 30, 1802 (prior to statehood) from Adams County. **Name Origin:** For James Wilkinson (1757-1825), officer under Washington, negotiator for the Louisiana Purchase, and first governor of the Louisiana Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 689.06 (land 678.11; water 10.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,878. **State rank:** 2416. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,269 (White 28.7%; Black or African American 70.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian Z%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,333; median household $28,066; **Pop**

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## Wilkinson County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 28.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,437 - $24,297.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINSTON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 662-773-8814

In east-central MS, northwest of Meridian; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Louis Winston (?-1824), judge on the MS supreme court (1821).

**Area (sq mi):** 610.39 (land 607.25; water 3.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,198. **State rank:** 1845. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,870 (White 51.9%; Black or African American 45.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,244; median household $30,738; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,084 - $25,302.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.1%. **Change from 2007:** +11.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YALOBUSHA COUNTY**
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Water Valley, MS 38965

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In north-central MS; organized Dec 23, 1833 from Choctaw cession in 1830. **Name Origin:** For the Yalobusha River, which flows through a nearby county; from Choctaw, probably 'tadpole-place.'

**Area (sq mi):** 495.01 (land 467.13; water 27.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.1.

**Pop 2010:** 12,678. **State rank:** 2172. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,417 (White 60.5%; Black or African American 37.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,623; median household $29,911; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,184 - $28,932.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YAZOO COUNTY**
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Yazoo City, MS 39194
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**Fax:** 662-746-3893

In west-central MS, north of Jackson; organized 1823 from Hinds County. **Name Origin:** For the Yazoo River, which forms its western border; named for the Indian tribe that inhabited the lower part of the river. The meaning and origin of the name are unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 937.59 (land 922.95; water 14.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.4.

**Pop 2010:** 28,065. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 28,195 (White 40.0%; Black or African American 57.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,339; median household $27,356; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,765 - $23,918.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yazoo City (11,403).

*Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Area (sq mi):** 69,704.32 (land 68,885.93; water 818.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,988,927. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,800,310 (White 82.8%; Black or African American 11.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,979; median household $46,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.00%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,521 - $36,799.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

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**ADAIR COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 660-665-3420

In north-central MO; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Macon County. **Name Origin:** For John Adair (1757-1840), governor of KY (1820-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 569.63 (land 567.32; water 2.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.1.

**Pop 2010:** 25,607. **State rank:** 1587. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 24,509 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 28.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,098; median household $31,176; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,374 - $27,214.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kirksville 🏛 (17,505).

**ANDREW COUNTY**
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On northwestern border of MO, north of Saint Joseph; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Platte Purchase. **Name Origin:** For either Andrew Jackson, seventh U.S. president, or Andrew Jackson Davis, a distinguished lawyer from Saint Louis.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.02 (land 432.70; water 1.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.

**Pop 2010:** 17,291. **State rank:** 1960. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,899 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,009; median household $52,720; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,483 - $42,758.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ATCHISON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 660-744-5499

At the northwestern tip of MO, northwest of Saint Joseph; established Feb 3, 1843 from Holt County. **Name Origin:** For David Rice Atchison (1807-86), MO statesman and U.S. senator (1843-55)

**Area (sq mi):** 549.94 (land 547.30; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,685. **State rank:** 2755. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.0%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,246 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,659; median household $42,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,931 - $36,540.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AUDRAIN COUNTY**
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Mexico, MO 65265
www.audraincounty.org
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**Fax:** 573-581-2380

In east-central MO, northeast of Columbia; established Jan 12, 1831 from Pike, Callaway, and Ralls counties. **Name Origin:** For James H. Audrain (1782-1831), MO legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 695.93 (land 692.24; water 3.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,529. **State rank:** 1573. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 25,759 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,800; median household $40,935; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Audrain County (cont'd)

$29,048 - $31,764.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mexico (11,543).

**BARRY COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of MO, southwest of Springfield; organized Jan 5, 1835 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For William Taylor Barry (1784-1835), KY legislator, U.S. senator (1814-16), and U.S. Postmaster General (1829-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 790.08 (land 778.25; water 11.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.7.

**Pop 2010:** 35,597. **State rank:** 1270. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 35,599 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 7.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,363; median household $36,143; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,874 - $29,294.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BARTON COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of MO, north of Joplin; organized Dec 12, 1855 from Jasper County. **Name Origin:** For David Barton (1788-1837), MO jurist, legislator, and U.S. senator (1821-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 594.39 (land 591.92; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.

**Pop 2010:** 12,402. **State rank:** 2268. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,057 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,117; median household $39,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,913 - $29,231.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BATES COUNTY**
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On the central western border of MO, south of Kansas City; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Cooper County. **Name Origin:** For Frederick Bates (1777-1825), secretary of LA Territory (1806), governor of MO Territory (1809-10), and state governor (1824-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 839.59 (land 836.69; water 2.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,049. **State rank:** 1976. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 17,027 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,056; median household $38,882; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,274 - $31,856.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENTON COUNTY**
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In west-central MO, southwest of Jefferson City; organized Jan 3, 1835 from Cooper County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 751.03 (land 704.06; water 46.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.1.

**Pop 2010:** 19,056. **State rank:** 1889. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 18,854 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 51.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,955; median household $33,305; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,720 - $28,149.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOLLINGER COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 573-238-4511

In southeastern MO, west of Cape Girardeau; organized Mar 1, 1851 from Cape Girardeau, Madison, Stoddard, and Wayne counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. George Frederick Bollinger (1770-1842), who led German settlers into MO in 1800.

**Area (sq mi):** 618.37 (land 617.91; water 0.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.

**Pop 2010:** 12,363. **State rank:** 2298. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,325 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,172; median household $33,938; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,810 - $26,509.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 33 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**BOONE COUNTY**
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In central MO, north of Jefferson City; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Howard County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 691.29 (land 685.41; water 5.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 237.3.

**Pop 2010:** 162,642. **State rank:** 393. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 143,326 (White 82.8%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 3.8%; Others 3.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,124; median household $45,786; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,818 - $36,269.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbia (108,500).

**BUCHANAN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 816-271-1535

On the northwestern border of MO, northwest of Kansas City; organized Dec 31, 1838 from Platte Purchase. **Name Origin:** For James Buchanan (1791-1868), fifteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 412.87 (land 408.03; water 4.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 218.6.

**Pop 2010:** 89,201. **State rank:** 628. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 84,904 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,638; median household $42,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,494 - $32,594.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 573-686-8066

On the southeastern border of MO, southwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 27, 1849 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. William Orlando Butler (1791-1880), officer in the War of 1812 and Mexican- American War, U.S. representative from KY (1839-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 696.10 (land 694.67; water 1.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.6.

**Pop 2010:** 42,794. **State rank:** 1123. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 41,338 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,368; median household $33,525; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,584 - $33,336.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Poplar Bluff (17,023).

**CALDWELL COUNTY**
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In northwestern MO, east of Saint Joseph; organized Dec 29, 1836 from Ray County. **Name Origin:** For Matthew Caldwell, an officer of the KY Volunteers in the War of 1812, or for Gen. John Caldwell (?-1804), KY Indian fighter and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 426.77 (land 426.39; water 0.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,424. **State rank:** 2497. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,307 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,499; median household $39,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,899 - $33,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALLAWAY COUNTY**
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In east-central MO, east of Columbia; organized Nov 25, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Howard, Boone, and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Callaway (1783-1815), grandson of Daniel Boone, killed in a battle with Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 842.77 (land 834.58; water 8.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 44,332. **State rank:** 1077. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 42,541 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,602; median household $49,544; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,665 - $27,941.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (16,421); Fulton (12,790).

**CAMDEN COUNTY**
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In central MO, southwest of Jefferson City; organized Jan 29, 1841 as Kinderhook County from Pulaski, Morgan, and Benton counties; name changed Feb 23, 1843. **Name Origin:** For Charles Pratt (1714-94), 1st Earl of Camden, English statesman who supported the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 709.63 (land 655.92; water 53.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.1.

**Pop 2010:** 44,002. **State rank:** 1154. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 39,432 (White 96.5%; Black or African

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American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,509; median household $44,617; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,831 - $31,936.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of MO, original county; organized Oct 1, 1812 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Jean Girardot, a French naval officer stationed at Kaskaskia, IL (1704-20), later a trading-post operator. No explanation for the spelling variance.

**Area (sq mi):** 586.21 (land 578.54; water 7.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 130.8.

**Pop 2010:** 75,674. **State rank:** 725. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 71,161 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,014; median household $44,479; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,317 - $34,781.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cape Girardeau (37,941); Jackson (13,758).

### CARROLL COUNTY

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In north-central MO, northeast of Kansas City; organized Jan 2, 1833 from Ray County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 702.19 (land 694.62; water 7.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,295. **State rank:** 2461. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.8%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,193 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,021; median household $41,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,675 - $34,104.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARTER COUNTY

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In southeastern MO, southwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Mar 10, 1859 from Ripley, Reynolds, Shannon, and Oregon counties. **Name Origin:** For Zimri A. Carter, a settler from SC in 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 508.80 (land 507.36; water 1.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,265. **State rank:** 2766. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,910 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,881; median household $28,408; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,550 - $26,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CASS COUNTY

102 E Wall St **Ph:** 816-380-8102
Harrisonville, MO 64701 **Fax:** 816-380-8101
www.casscounty.com

On the central western border of MO, south of Kansas City; organized as Van Buren County Mar 3, 1835 from Jackson County; name changed in 1849. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 700.52 (land 696.84; water 3.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 142.8.

**Pop 2010:** 99,478. **State rank:** 572. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +14.8%. **Pop 2005:** 94,232 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,326; median household $60,097; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,916 - $34,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Belton (23,116); Raymore (19,206); Harrisonville (10,019).

### CEDAR COUNTY

113 South St PO Box 126 **Ph:** 417-276-6700
Stockton, MO 65785 **Fax:** 417-276-3461
www.courts.mo.gov

In southwestern MO, northwest of Springfield; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Dade and Saint Clair counties. **Name Origin:** For the many cedar trees found by early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 497.05 (land 474.48; water 22.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,982. **State rank:** 2197. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,160 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,432; median household $32,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Cedar County (cont'd)

$23,544 - $26,638.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHARITON COUNTY**
306 S Cherry St
Keytesville, MO 65261
**Ph:** 660-288-3273
**Fax:** 660-288-3403

In north-central MO, northwest of Columbia; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Howard County. **Name Origin:** For a French fur trader, probably Jean Chariton, who was also called Joseph or John Chorette. During the 1700s he established a trading post on the north bank of the Missouri River in what is now IA.

**Area (sq mi):** 763.56 (land 751.18; water 12.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,831. **State rank:** 2614. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,124 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,978; median household $41,558; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,175 - $35,288.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHRISTIAN COUNTY**
100 W Church St, Suite 301
Ozark, MO 65721
www.christiancountymo.gov
**Ph:** 417-581-6360
**Fax:** 417-581-8331

In southwestern MO, south of Springfield; organized Mar 8, 1859 from Taney, Greene, and Webster counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Christian (1743-86), army officer, Indian fighter, and legislator; brother-in-law of Revolutionary leader Patrick Henry (1736-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 563.54 (land 562.65; water 0.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 137.6.

**Pop 2010:** 77,422. **State rank:** 698. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.1%; 2000-2005 +23.9%. **Pop 2005:** 67,266 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,720; median household $51,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,614 - $30,017.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Nixa (19,022); Ozark 🏛 (17,820).

**CLARK COUNTY**
111 E Court St, Suite 1
Kahoka, MO 63445
**Ph:** 660-727-3283
**Fax:** 660-727-1051

On the northeastern tip of MO; organized Dec 16, 1836 from Lewis County. **Name Origin:** For William Clark (1770-1838), explorer and co-leader of the Lewis and Clark Expedition (1803-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 509.28 (land 504.69; water 4.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,139. **State rank:** 2654. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,323 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,114; median household $38,133; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,382 - $28,651.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAY COUNTY**
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Liberty, MO 64068
www.claycogov.com
**Ph:** 816-792-7733
**Fax:** 816-792-7777

In west-central MO, north of Kansas City; organized Jun 2, 1822 from Ray County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.82 (land 397.30; water 12.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 558.6.

**Pop 2010:** 221,939. **State rank:** 277. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 202,078 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 2.1%; Others 5.9%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,204; median household $58,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,307 - $36,830.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Liberty 🏛 (29,149); Gladstone (25,410); Excelsior Springs (11,084).

**CLINTON COUNTY**
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Plattsburg, MO 64477
**Ph:** 816-539-3713
**Fax:** 816-539-3072

In west-central MO, north of Kansas City; organized Jan 2, 1833 from Clay and Ray counties. **Name Origin:** For DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY (1817-21; 1825-28) and supporter of the Erie Canal.

**Area (sq mi):** 423.67 (land 418.96; water 4.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.5.

**Pop 2010:** 20,743. **State rank:** 1763. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 20,715 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,629; median household $51,915; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,875 - $34,480.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**COLE COUNTY**
311 E High St Rm 201
Jefferson City, MO 65101
www.colecounty.org
**Ph:** 573-634-9101
**Fax:** 573-681-9678

In central MO, south of Columbia; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Cooper county. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Stephen Cole (1807-1822), an Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 401.39 (land 393.75; water 7.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.

**Pop 2010:** 75,990. **State rank:** 717. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 72,757 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 11.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,935; median household $53,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,643 - $39,755.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jefferson City (43,079).

**COOPER COUNTY**
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Boonville, MO 65233
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**Ph:** 660-882-2114
**Fax:** 660-882-5645

In central MO, west of Columbia; organized Dec 17, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Howard County. **Name Origin:** For Sarshel Cooper (?-1814), an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 569.96 (land 564.77; water 5.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,601. **State rank:** 1948. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,294 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,234; median household $42,586; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,214 - $29,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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Steelville, MO 65565
www.crawfordcountymo.net
**Ph:** 573-775-2376
**Fax:** 573-775-3066

In east-central MO, southwest of Saint Louis; organized Jan 23, 1829 from Gasconade County. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Crawford (1772-1834), U.S. senator from GA (1807-13), U.S. Secretary of War (1815-16), and U.S. Secretary of Treasury (1816-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 743.79 (land 742.52; water 1.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,696. **State rank:** 1628. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 23,932 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,317; median household $34,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,435 - $29,151.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DADE COUNTY**
300 W Water St
Greenfield, MO 65661
www.dadecountymissouri.20m.com/index.html
**Ph:** 417-637-2121
**Fax:** 417-637-2508

In southwestern MO, northwest of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Polk and Barry counties. **Name Origin:** For Francis Langhorne Dade (1793-1835), officer killed in the Seminole War (1835-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 505.97 (land 490.01; water 15.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,883. **State rank:** 2641. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,830 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,638; median household $32,714; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,370 - $25,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DALLAS COUNTY**
102 Cedar St
Buffalo, MO 65622
**Ph:** 417-345-2632
**Fax:** 417-345-5321

In south-central MO, northeast of Springfield; organized as Niangua County Jan 29, 1841 from Polk County; name changed Dec 16, 1844. **Name Origin:** For George Mifflin Dallas (1792-1864), U.S. senator from PA (1831-33), U.S. vice president (1845-49), and U.S. Minister to Russia (1837-39) and Great Britain (1856-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 542.06 (land 540.77; water 1.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.

**Pop 2010:** 16,777. **State rank:** 1983. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 16,437 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,400; median household $38,101; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,939 - $26,948.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAVIESS COUNTY**
102 N Main St
Gallatin, MO 64640
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**Ph:** 660-663-2641
**Fax:** 660-663-3075

In north-central MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; organized Dec 29, 1836 from Ray County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Joseph Hamilton Daviess (1774-1811), VA soldier and jurist who unsuccessfully attempted to indict Aaron Burr for treason (1806). According to Jacob Piatt Dunn, The Colonel's name was Daveiss and he always wrote it that way, however, the name is sometimes spelled 'Daviess' in biographical entries and in places named for him.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Daviess County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 565.35 (land 563.24; water 2.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.

**Pop 2010:** 8,433. **State rank:** 2581. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,121 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,900; median household $39,925; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,182 - $27,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DEKALB COUNTY

109 W. Main St PO Box 248 **Ph:** 816-449-5402
Maysville, MO 64469 **Fax:** 816-449-2440

In northwestern MO, east of Saint Joseph; organized Feb 25, 1845 from Clinton County. **Name Origin:** For Johann, Baron de Kalb (1721-1780), German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.93 (land 421.36; water 1.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,892. **State rank:** 2283. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,342 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 11.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,916; median household $43,267; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,238 - $22,742.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DENT COUNTY

400 N Main St **Ph:** 573-729-4144
Salem, MO 65560 **Fax:** 573-729-3350
www.salemmo.com/county/DentCounty.asp

In south-central MO, northwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 10, 1851 from Shannon and Crawford counties. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Dent (1808-80), landowner and MO legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 753.76 (land 752.79; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,657. **State rank:** 2091. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,083 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,111; median household $36,118; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,743 - $28,024.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DOUGLAS COUNTY

283 SE 2nd Ave **Ph:** 417-683-4714
Ava, MO 65608 **Fax:** 417-683-1017

In south-central MO, southeast of Springfield; organized Oct 29, 1857 from Ozark County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.70 (land 813.63; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,684. **State rank:** 2188. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,594 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,117; median household $30,968; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,205 - $24,193.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DUNKLIN COUNTY

Courthouse Sq Rm 201 PO Box 188 **Ph:** 573-888-1374
Kennett, MO 63857 **Fax:** 573-888-2832

On the southern border of MO, southwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Stoddard County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Dunklin (1790-1844), governor of MO (1833-36) and surveyor-general of MO, IL, and AR.

**Area (sq mi):** 542.56 (land 541.07; water 1.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.1.

**Pop 2010:** 31,953. **State rank:** 1400. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 32,545 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,619; median household $29,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,912 - $29,844.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kennett 🏛 (10,932).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

400 E Locust **Ph:** 636-583-6355
Union, MO 63084 **Fax:** 636-583-7320
www.franklinmo.org

In central-eastern MO, west of Saint Louis; organized Dec 11, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Saint Louis County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 930.52 (land 922.68; water 7.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 110.

**Pop 2010:** 101,492. **State rank:** 566. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 99,090 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,365; median household $49,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,997 - $34,762.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

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## Franklin County (cont'd)

40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Washington (13,982); Union (10,204).

**GASCONADE COUNTY**
119 E 1st St Ste 2
Hermann, MO 65041
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**Fax:** 573-486-8893

In east-central MO, west of Saint Louis; organized Nov 25, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For the Gasconade River, which runs through it. It is believed that French residents of Saint Louis gave this name to the river and general area for the bragging of the inhabitants when they went to Saint Louis; an allusion to the residents of the French province of Gascony, supposed to be boastful.

**Area (sq mi):** 523.23 (land 517.80; water 5.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,222. **State rank:** 2086. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,745 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,240; median household $40,837; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,118 - $30,922.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GENTRY COUNTY**
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Albany, MO 64402
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**Fax:** 660-726-4102

In northwestern MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; established Feb 12, 1841 from Clinton County. **Name Origin:** For Richard Gentry (1788-1837), officer in the Black Hawk War who died fighting the Seminoles in Florida.

**Area (sq mi):** 491.71 (land 491.42; water 0.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,738. **State rank:** 2751. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,555 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,021; median household $35,556; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,020 - $32,855.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENE COUNTY**
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Springfield, MO 65802
www.greenecountymo.org
**Ph:** 417-868-4055
**Fax:** 417-868-4170

In south-central MO, northeast of Joplin; organized Jan 2, 1833 from Wayne and Crawford counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-1786), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South.

**Area (sq mi):** 678.12 (land 675.30; water 2.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 407.5.

**Pop 2010:** 275,174. **State rank:** 237. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 250,784 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,443; median household $41,059; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,666 - $35,362.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield (159,498); Republic (14,751).

**GRUNDY COUNTY**
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Trenton, MO 64683
www.grundycountymo.com
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**Fax:** 660-359-6786

In north-central MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Livingston and Ray counties. **Name Origin:** For Felix Grundy (1777-1840), chief justice of KY supreme court, U.S. senator from TN (1829-38; 1839-40), and U.S. Attorney General (1838-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 437.44 (land 435.28; water 2.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,261. **State rank:** 2429. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,327 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,148; median household $35,239; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,036 - $29,775.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARRISON COUNTY**
PO Box 525
Bethany, MO 64424
**Ph:** 660-425-6424
**Fax:** 660-425-3772

On the central northern border of MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Daviess and Ray counties. **Name Origin:** For Albert Galliton Harrison (1800-39), U.S. representative from MO (1835-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 723.82 (land 722.50; water 1.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,957. **State rank:** 2530. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,876 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,967; median household $35,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,978 - $28,820.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wildwood (35,517).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**HENRY COUNTY**
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Clinton, MO 64735
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**Ph:** 660-885-7204
**Fax:** 660-890-2693

In west-central MO, southeast of Kansas City; organized as Rives County Dec 13, 1834 from Lafayette County; name changed Feb 15, 1841. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 727.02 (land 696.95; water 30.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.

**Pop 2010:** 22,272. **State rank:** 1714. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 22,577 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,304; median household $35,706; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,800 - $32,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HICKORY COUNTY**
PO Box 3
Hermitage, MO 65668
www.courts.mo.gov
**Ph:** 417-745-6450
**Fax:** 417-745-6057

In west-central MO, north of Springfield; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Benton and Polk counties. **Name Origin:** For Old Hickory, the nickname of Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 412.20 (land 399.09; water 13.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,627. **State rank:** 2521. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,271 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 53.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,215; median household $28,097; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,983 - $22,204.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOLT COUNTY**
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Oregon, MO 64473
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**Fax:** 660-446-3353

On northwestern border of MO, northwest of Saint Joseph; organized as Nodaway County Jan 29, 1841 from Platte Purchase; name changed Feb 15, 1841. **Name Origin:** For David Rice Holt (1803-40), MO legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.87 (land 462.69; water 7.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,912. **State rank:** 2838. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 5,081 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,666; median household $40,261; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,316 - $33,979.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOWARD COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 660-248-1075

In north-central MO, northwest of Columbia; organized Jan 13, 1816 (prior to statehood) from Saint Louis and Saint Charles counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Howard (1760-1814), KY legislator and U.S. representative (1807-10), governor of LA Territory (1810-12), and commander of the Eighth Military Department, territory west of the Mississippi River.

**Area (sq mi):** 468.67 (land 463.85; water 4.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,144. **State rank:** 2439. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,957 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,829; median household $42,067; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,633 - $34,116.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOWELL COUNTY**
35 Court Sq Rm 200
West Plains, MO 65775
www.howellcounty.net
**Ph:** 417-256-2591
**Fax:** 417-256-2512

On the central southern border of MO; organized Mar 2, 1857 from Oregon County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson Howell, MO legislator; or for James Howell, a prominent citizen; or for Josiah Howell.

**Area (sq mi):** 927.84 (land 927.25; water 0.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.6.

**Pop 2010:** 40,400. **State rank:** 1192. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 38,400 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,135; median household $35,282; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,896 - $27,307.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** West Plains 🏛 (11,986).

**IRON COUNTY**
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In southeastern MO, northwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 17, 1857 from Madison, Saint Francois, Wayne, Washington, and Reynolds counties. **Name Origin:** For the rich iron deposits.

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## Iron County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 550.97 (land 550.26; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,630. **State rank:** 2434. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,273 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,200; median household $29,803; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,933 - $26,314.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JACKSON COUNTY

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Kansas City, MO 64106
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On central western border of MO; organized Dec 15, 1826 from Lafayette County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 616.03 (land 604.46; water 11.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 1115.3.

**Pop 2010:** 674,158. **State rank:** 86. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 662,959 (White 66.9%; Black or African American 23.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 8.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,213; median household $46,252; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,217 - $39,536.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 40 for cities).

### JASPER COUNTY

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Carthage, MO 64836
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On the southwestern border of MO, west of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Barry County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 640.08 (land 638.49; water 1.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 183.9.

**Pop 2010:** 117,404. **State rank:** 501. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 110,624 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,899; median household $37,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,219 - $29,468.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Joplin (50,150); Carthage (14,378); Webb City (10,996).

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

729 Maple St
Hillsboro, MO 63050
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**Fax:** 636-797-5360

On the central eastern border of MO, south of Saint Louis; organized Dec 8, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Saint Genevieve and Saint Louis counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman, third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 663.92 (land 656.63; water 7.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 333.1.

**Pop 2010:** 218,733. **State rank:** 286. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 213,669 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,586; median household $56,756; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,242 - $33,917.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Arnold (20,808); Festus (11,602).

### JOHNSON COUNTY

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Warrensburg, MO 64093
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**Fax:** 660-747-9332

In west-central MO, southeast of Kansas City; organized Dec 13, 1834 from Lafayette County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Richard Mentor Johnson (1781-1850), officer in the War of 1812, U.S. senator from KY (1819-29), and U.S. vice president under Van Buren (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 831.87 (land 829.28; water 2.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.4.

**Pop 2010:** 52,595. **State rank:** 930. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 50,784 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 29.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,405; median household $44,985; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,680 - $28,809.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Warrensburg (18,838).

### KNOX COUNTY

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Edina, MO 63537
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In northeastern MO, north of Columbia; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Scotland County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. Secretary of War (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 505.08 (land 504.01; water 1.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,131. **State rank:** 2898. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,171 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including Z% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,481; median household $33,029; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Knox County (cont'd)

$27,836 - $30,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LACLEDE COUNTY

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Lebanon, MO 65536
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**Fax:** 417-588-9288

In south-central MO, northeast of Springfield; organized Feb 24, 1849 from Pulaski, Wright, and Camden counties. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Laclede Liguest (1724-78), French fur trader who established the site of Saint Louis (Dec 1763).

**Area (sq mi):** 766.86 (land 764.72; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.5.

**Pop 2010:** 35,571. **State rank:** 1279. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 34,492 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,858; median household $37,294; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,435 - $26,783.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon 🏛 (14,474).

### LAFAYETTE COUNTY

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Lexington, MO 64067
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**Ph:** 660-259-4315
**Fax:** 660-259-6109

In west-central MO, east of Kansas City; organized as Lillard County Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Cooper County; name changed Feb 16, 1825. **Name Origin:** For Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.98 (land 628.43; water 9.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 33,381. **State rank:** 1355. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 33,108 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,043; median household $48,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,963 - $36,405.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

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Mount Vernon, MO 65712

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In southwestern MO, west of Springfield; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Dade and Barry counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. naval officer in the war with Barbary pirates near Tripoli and commander of the U.S.S. Chesapeake in the War of 1812, who said, Don't give up the ship!

**Area (sq mi):** 612.04 (land 611.74; water 0.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.2.

**Pop 2010:** 38,634. **State rank:** 1224. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 37,127 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,777; median household $38,350; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,527 - $25,897.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEWIS COUNTY

100 E Lafayette St
Monticello, MO 63457

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On the northeastern border of MO, northeast of Columbia; organized Jan 2, 1833 from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809), co-leader of the Lewis and Clark Expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 510.89 (land 505.04; water 5.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,211. **State rank:** 2443. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,186 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,973; median household $40,399; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,068 - $27,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Troy, MO 63379
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**Fax:** 636-528-5528

On the central eastern border of MO, north of Saint Louis; organized Dec 14, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Saint Charles County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), Revolutionary War officer, U.S. Secretary of War (1781-83), and Lt. Gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 636.48 (land 626.56; water 9.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.9.

**Pop 2010:** 52,566. **State rank:** 919. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 +22.6%. **Pop 2005:** 47,727 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,862; median household $52,897; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,876 - $28,920.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Troy (10,540).

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**LINN COUNTY**
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In north-central MO, east of Saint Joseph; organized Jan 6, 1837 from Chariton County. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Fields Linn (1795-1843), U.S. senator from MO (1833-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 616.67 (land 615.56; water 1.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,761. **State rank:** 2261. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,133 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,742; median household $37,706; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,141 - $30,897.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
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Chillicothe, MO 64601
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In north-central MO, east of Saint Joseph; organized Jan 6, 1837 from Carroll County. **Name Origin:** For Edward Livingston (1764-1836), NY legislator, LA legislator and U.S. senator (1829-31), and U.S. Secretary of State (1831-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 536.28 (land 532.33; water 3.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.5.

**Pop 2010:** 15,195. **State rank:** 2144. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,291 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,295; median household $39,683; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,502 - $31,328.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MACON COUNTY**
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In north-central MO, northwest of Columbia; organized Jan 6, 1837 from Randolph and Chariton counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), Revolutionary War soldier, NC legislator, U.S. representative (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 809.99 (land 801.23; water 8.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,566. **State rank:** 2074. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,600 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,411; median household $36,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,738 - $30,501.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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In southeastern MO, northwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Dec 14, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Sainte Genevieve and Cape Girardeau counties. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 495.26 (land 494.39; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,226. **State rank:** 2270. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,151 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,239; median household $33,456; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,535 - $26,443.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARIES COUNTY**
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Vienna, MO 65582
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In east-central MO, southwest of Saint Louis; established Mar 2, 1855 from Osage and Pulaski counties. **Name Origin:** For the Maries River, which runs through it; a corruption of French *marais* 'swamp.'

**Area (sq mi):** 529.23 (land 526.98; water 2.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,176. **State rank:** 2525. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,989 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,155; median household $40,185; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,636 - $29,829.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARION COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of MO, north of Saint Louis; established Dec 14, 1822 from Ralls County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics in the Carolina swamps during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 442.89 (land 436.92; water 5.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.9.

**Pop 2010:** 28,781. **State rank:** 1470. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 28,375 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,718; median household $40,859; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,018 - $32,661.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hannibal (17,916).

### MCDONALD COUNTY

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In southwestern corner of MO, south of Joplin; organized Mar 3, 1849 from Newton County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. Alexander McDonald, a soldier in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 539.67 (land 539.48; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,083. **State rank:** 1669. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,844 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 11.2%, including 1.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,070; median household $36,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,554 - $24,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MERCER COUNTY

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Princeton, MO 64673

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On the central northern border of MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Grundy and Livingston counties. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. John Francis Mercer (1759-1821), officer in the Revolutionary War, MD legislator, and governor of MD (1801-13); or possibly for Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 454.84 (land 453.84; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,785. **State rank:** 2931. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,595 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,031; median household $34,008; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,837 - $26,151.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MILLER COUNTY

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**Fax:** 573-369-1905

In central MO, south of Jefferson City; organized Feb 6, 1837 from Cole and Pulaski counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Miller (1781-1846), officer in the War of 1812, governor of MO (1825-32), and U.S. representative (1837-43).

**Area (sq mi):** 600.29 (land 592.60; water 7.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.8.

**Pop 2010:** 24,748. **State rank:** 1601. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 24,712 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,202; median household $35,838; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,820 - $26,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MISSISSIPPI COUNTY

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Charleston, MO 63834
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On the southeastern border of MO, south of Cape Girardeau; established Feb 14, 1845 from Scott County. **Name Origin:** For its location on the Mississippi River.

**Area (sq mi):** 427.33 (land 411.58; water 15.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,358. **State rank:** 2217. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,599 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 24.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,927; median household $29,586; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,502 - $27,157.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONITEAU COUNTY

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California, MO 65018
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In central MO, west of Jefferson City; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Cole and Morgan counties, annexed small part of Morgan County in 1881. **Name Origin:** A French transliteration of an Algonquian word meaning 'God spirit' or 'great spirit.'

**Area (sq mi):** 417.36 (land 415.03; water 2.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,607. **State rank:** 2085. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,084 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,267; median household $47,162; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Moniteau County (cont'd)

$28,765 - $31,192.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
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Paris, MO 65275
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In northeastern MO, northeast of Columbia; organized Jan 6, 1831 from Ralls County. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 671.89 (land 647.65; water 24.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,840. **State rank:** 2510. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,379 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,834; median household $38,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,674 - $29,867.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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In east-central MO, northwest of Saint Louis; organized 1776 (prior to statehood) from Saint Charles County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 539.13 (land 536.25; water 2.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.8.

**Pop 2010:** 12,236. **State rank:** 2307. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,166 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,634; median household $39,369; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,086 - $31,958.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORGAN COUNTY**
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In central MO, west of Jefferson City; organized Jan 5, 1833 from Cooper County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 614.11 (land 597.63; water 16.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,565. **State rank:** 1792. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 20,436 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,789; median household $36,696; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,925 - $29,662.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEW MADRID COUNTY**
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On the southeastern border of MO, south of Cape Girardeau; original county; organized Oct 1, 1812 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city, named for the capital of Spain. Originally called *Nuevo Madrid* by Col. George Morgan, who founded the city in 1788.

**Area (sq mi):** 694.85 (land 674.84; water 20.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.1.

**Pop 2010:** 18,956. **State rank:** 1938. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,566 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 15.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,811; median household $32,895; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,729 - $29,808.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the southwestern border of MO, south of Joplin; organized Dec 30, 1838 from Barry County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. John Newton (1752-80); soldier under Gen. Francis Marion in the Revolutionary War, who saved several colonial patriots from execution by surprising and capturing the British soldiers guarding them.

**Area (sq mi):** 625.01 (land 624.77; water 0.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.

**Pop 2010:** 58,114. **State rank:** 890. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 55,554 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 4.4%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,832; median household $41,163; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,888 - $32,648.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Neosho (11,835).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**NODAWAY COUNTY**
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On the northwestern border of MO, north of Saint Joseph; established Jan 29, 1841 from Andrew County. **Name Origin:** A Potawatomi Indian word whose meaning is unclear, possibly placid.

**Area (sq mi):** 878.09 (land 876.96; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,370. **State rank:** 1716. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 21,710 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1.6%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 28.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,909; median household $38,621; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,205 - $26,203.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Maryville 🏛 (11,972).

**OREGON COUNTY**
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On the central southern border of MO, southwest of Cape Giradeau; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Ripley County. **Name Origin:** For OR Territory, named during the dispute with Great Britain over its possession.

**Area (sq mi):** 789.98 (land 789.80; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,881. **State rank:** 2406. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,403 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,093; median household $26,144; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,789 - $23,720.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OSAGE COUNTY**
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In east-central MO, west of Saint Louis; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Gasconade County. **Name Origin:** For the Osage Indians, a tribe of Siouan linguistic stock. Name is a corruption of their name in their language, *Wazhazhe*, meaning unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 611.65 (land 604.35; water 7.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.

**Pop 2010:** 13,878. **State rank:** 2192. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,485 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,484; median household $45,746; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,534 - $34,164.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OZARK COUNTY**
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On the central southern border of MO, southeast of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Taney County. **Name Origin:** For the Ozark Mountains, whose name derives from the anglicized phonetic spelling of French *aux arcs* or *aux Arks* 'in the country of the Arkansas Indians.'

**Area (sq mi):** 757.89 (land 744.97; water 12.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,723. **State rank:** 2476. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,490 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 48.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,298; median household $31,960; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,082 - $23,280.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On southeastern tip of MO, south of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 19, 1851 from New Madrid County. **Name Origin:** From an Indian name of uncertain origin and meaning 'at the long place,' 'running beside,' and 'liquid mud' have been suggested.

**Area (sq mi):** 511.87 (land 492.54; water 19.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.1.

**Pop 2010:** 18,296. **State rank:** 1900. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 19,412 (White 70.4%; Black or African American 26.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,841; median household $30,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,079 - $31,015.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oakville (36,143); Concord (16,421).

**PERRY COUNTY**
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On the southeastern border of MO, north of Cape Girardeau; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Sainte Genevieve County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer who won the Battle of Lake Erie during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 483.96 (land 474.35; water 9.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.

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## Perry County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 18,971. **State rank:** 1868. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 18,571 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,200; median household $45,713; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,566 - $30,173.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PETTIS COUNTY**
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Sedalia, MO 65301
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**Ph:** 660-826-5000
**Fax:** 660-829-0717

In west-central MO, southwest of Columbia; organized Jan 26, 1833 from Saline and Cooper counties. **Name Origin:** For Spencer Darwin Pettis (1802-31), U.S. representative from MO (1829-31) killed in a duel with Maj. Thomas Biddle.

**Area (sq mi):** 683.74 (land 682.22; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.9.

**Pop 2010:** 42,201. **State rank:** 1126. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 40,121 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,351; median household $37,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,508 - $31,393.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sedalia (21,387).

**PHELPS COUNTY**
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In south-central MO, southwest of Saint Louis; organized Nov 13, 1857 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For John Smith Phelps (1814-86), MO legislator, U.S. representative (1845-63), and governor (1876-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 673.21 (land 671.78; water 1.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.2.

**Pop 2010:** 45,156. **State rank:** 1105. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 42,125 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 2.9%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 33.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,817; median household $40,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,970 - $30,017.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rolla (19,559).

**PIKE COUNTY**
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On the central eastern border of MO, north of Saint Louis; organized Dec 14, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Saint Charles County. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak, CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 682.43 (land 670.44; water 11.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.6.

**Pop 2010:** 18,516. **State rank:** 1892. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,762 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,769; median household $42,082; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,998 - $28,610.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the northwestern border of MO, northwest of Kansas City; organized Dec 31, 1838 from Platte Purchase. **Name Origin:** For the Platte River, which runs through it; French 'flat' or 'shallow.'

**Area (sq mi):** 427.08 (land 420.19; water 6.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 212.6.

**Pop 2010:** 89,322. **State rank:** 620. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 82,085 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 2.3%; Others 5.0%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,037; median household $65,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,857 - $43,303.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POLK COUNTY**
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Bolivar, MO 65613
www.polkcountymo.org
**Ph:** 417-326-4031
**Fax:** 417-326-3525

In south-central MO, north of Springfield; organized Jan 5, 1835 from Greene and Laclede counties. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 640.78 (land 635.52; water 5.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.

**Pop 2010:** 31,137. **State rank:** 1411. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.8%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,892 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,138; median household $35,831; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,099 - $26,331.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bolivar (10,325).

### PULASKI COUNTY

301 Historic Rt 66 E Suite 101
Waynesville, MO 65583
www.visitpulaskicounty.org

**Ph:** 573-774-4701
**Fax:** 573-774-5601

In south-central MO, northeast of Springfield; organized Jan 19, 1833 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 551.49 (land 547.10; water 4.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.5.

**Pop 2010:** 52,274. **State rank:** 1018. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.3%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 44,187 (White 77.5%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 2.6%; Others 9.0%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 26.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,800; median household $43,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,938 - $38,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PUTNAM COUNTY

County Courthouse, Rm 204
Unionville, MO 63565

**Ph:** 660-947-2674
**Fax:** 660-947-4214

On the central northern border of MO; established Feb 22, 1843 from Adair, Sullivan, and Linn counties, annexed Dodge County in 1853. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 519.08 (land 517.32; water 1.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,979. **State rank:** 2845. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,168 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,005; median household $34,545; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,464 - $25,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RALLS COUNTY

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New London, MO 63459
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**Ph:** 573-985-7111
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On northeastern border of MO; northeast of Columbia; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Ralls (1785-1820) a MO legislator who died the year the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 482.60 (land 469.78; water 12.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,167. **State rank:** 2454. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,761 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,605; median household $45,194; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,900 - $31,793.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RANDOLPH COUNTY

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Huntsville, MO 65259
www.randolphcounty-mo.com

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**Fax:** 660-277-3246

In north-central MO, north of Columbia; organized Jan 22, 1829 from Chariton and Ralls counties. **Name Origin:** For John Randolph (1773-1833), VA statesman and U.S. Minister to Russia (1830).

**Area (sq mi):** 488.01 (land 482.68; water 5.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.7.

**Pop 2010:** 25,414. **State rank:** 1575. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 25,336 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,049; median household $36,458; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,175 - $29,213.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moberly (13,974).

### RAY COUNTY

100 W Main St County Courthouse
Richmond, MO 64085
www.courts.mo.gov

**Ph:** 816-776-4502
**Fax:** 816-776-4512

In west-central MO, northeast of Kansas City; organized Nov 16, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Howard County. **Name Origin:** For John Ray, a MO legislator when the county was named.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.92 (land 568.81; water 4.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,494. **State rank:** 1653. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 24,101 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,244; median household $53,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,890 - $35,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**REYNOLDS COUNTY**
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In southeastern MO, west of Cape Girardeau; organized Feb 25, 1845 from Shannon County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Reynolds (1796-1844), IL legislator, MO legislator, and governor (1840-440.

**Area (sq mi):** 811.69 (land 808.48; water 3.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,696. **State rank:** 2745. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,585 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,964; median household $32,059; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,725 - $25,834.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RIPLEY COUNTY**
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Doniphan, MO 63935
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On the southeastern border of MO, southwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Jan 5, 1833 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Eleazar Wheelock Ripley (1782-1839), officer in the War of 1812, MA legislator, and U.S. representative from LA (1835-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 631.74 (land 629.54; water 2.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.4.

**Pop 2010:** 14,100. **State rank:** 2207. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,851 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,115; median household $29,369; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,188 - $25,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAINT CHARLES COUNTY**
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On central eastern border of MO, north of Saint Louis; original county; organized Oct 1, 1812 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Saint Carlo Borromeo (1538-84), archbishop of Milan and founder of the religious order of the Oblates of Saint Ambrose.

**Area (sq mi):** 592.37 (land 560.44; water 31.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 643.2.

**Pop 2010:** 360,485. **State rank:** 182. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 +16.2%. **Pop 2005:** 329,940 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,664; median household $70,331; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,929 - $39,441.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wentzville (29,070); Dardenne Prairie (11,494).

**SAINT CLAIR COUNTY**
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stclaircountymissouri.com
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**Fax:** 417-646-8080

In west-central MO, northwest of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Rives County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Arthur Saint Clair (1736-1818), an officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War, president of the Continental Congress (1787), and governor of the Northwest Territory (1788-1802).

**Area (sq mi):** 695.23 (land 669.98; water 25.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,805. **State rank:** 2484. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,686 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,309; median household $32,217; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,375 - $26,412.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAINT FRANCOIS COUNTY**
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Farmington, MO 63640
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**Fax:** 573-431-6967

In southeastern MO, south of Saint Louis; established Dec 19, 1821 from Sainte Genevieve, Jefferson, and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For the Saint Francois Mountains, part of which are in the county; French for Saint Francis.

**Area (sq mi):** 454.83 (land 451.89; water 2.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 144.6.

**Pop 2010:** 65,359. **State rank:** 804. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 61,661 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,852; median household $38,589; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,102 - $26,677.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Farmington (16,240).

**SAINT LOUIS COUNTY**
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Clayton, MO 63105
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**Fax:** 314-615-7890

On the central-eastern border of MO on the Mississippi River, 11 mi. below its confluence with the Missouri River. Organized 1812; original county. **Name Origin:** For Louis IX (1214-70), crusader king

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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of France, canonized in 1297.

**Area (sq mi):** 523.69 (land 507.80; water 15.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 1967.2.

**Pop 2010:** 998,954. **State rank:** 42. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,004,666 (White 70.3%; Black or African American 23.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 3.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,344; median household $57,561; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,370 - $51,512.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 26 (see page 40 for cities).

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On the central-eastern border of MO on the Mississippi River, 11 mi. below its confluence with the Missouri River. In 1763 site was selected by Pierre Laclede Liguest (1724?-78), partner in Maxent, Laclede and Company; settled 1764; chartered as city 1822. Busiest inland port on the Mississippi River; in early 1800s known as the Gateway to the West. Manufacturing city (transportation equipment, automobile production); home of Anheuser-Busch, largest beer-producer in U.S. **Name Origin:** For Louis IX (1214-70), crusader king of France, canonized in 1297.

**Area (sq mi):** 66.14 (land 61.91; water 4.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 5157.5.

**Pop 2010:** 319,294. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.3%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 344,362 (White 43.9%; Black or African American 49.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 2.9%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,406; median household $33,652; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,362 - $35,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SAINTE GENEVIEVE COUNTY**
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Sainte Genevieve, MO 63670
www.stegencounty.org
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**Fax:** 573-883-5312

On southeastern border of MO, south of Saint Louis; original county; organized Oct 1, 1812 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the city, the oldest white settlement in MO; itself named for Sainte Genevieve (c. 422-c. 500), French nun and patron saint of Paris.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.70 (land 499.15; water 6.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.4.

**Pop 2010:** 18,145. **State rank:** 1936. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,198 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,665; median household $46,911; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,584 - $32,558.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SALINE COUNTY**
101 E Arrow St, Rm 202 County Courthouse
Marshall, MO 65340
www.moclerkselections.com
**Ph:** 660-886-3331
**Fax:** 660-886-2644

In central MO, east of Kansas City; organized Nov 25, 1820 (prior to statehood) from Cooper County. **Name Origin:** French 'salt spring' or 'lick.'

**Area (sq mi):** 764.54 (land 755.50; water 9.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,370. **State rank:** 1683. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 23,075 (White 86.2%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.2%, including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,581; median household $38,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,326 - $32,782.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marshall (13,065).

**SCHUYLER COUNTY**
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Lancaster, MO 63548
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On the northeastern border of MO; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Adair County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip John Schuyler (1733-1804), an officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the Continental Congress (1775-77; 1778-81), and U.S. senator from NY (1789-91; 1797-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 307.59 (land 307.30; water 0.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,431. **State rank:** 2886. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,308 (White 98.6%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,410; median household $31,358; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,549 - $23,910.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTLAND COUNTY**
117 S Market St, Suite 100 County Courthouse
Memphis, MO 63555
www.scotlandcounty.net
**Ph:** 660-465-7027
**Fax:** 660-465-7785

On the northeastern border of MO; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Clark, Lewis and Shelby counties. **Name Origin:** For the country, the former home of early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 437.46 (land 436.67; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.1.

**Pop 2010:** 4,843. **State rank:** 2841. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,928 (White 98.6%; Black or African

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American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,895; median household $39,722; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,800 - $27,808.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTT COUNTY**
131 S Winchester St
Benton, MO 63736
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**Ph:** 573-545-3549
**Fax:** 573-545-3540

On the southeastern border of MO, south of Cape Girardeau; established Dec 28,1821 from New Madrid County. **Name Origin:** For John Scott (1785-1861), lawyer and U.S. representative from MO (1821-27).

**Area (sq mi):** 425.02 (land 419.99; water 5.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.3.

**Pop 2010:** 39,191. **State rank:** 1150. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.7%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 41,143 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,566; median household $37,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,666 - $33,917.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sikeston (16,318).

**SHANNON COUNTY**
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Eminence, MO 65466
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In south-central MO, east of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Ripley County. **Name Origin:** For George F. Peg-leg Shannon (1785-1836), a member of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,003.97 (land 1,003.82; water 0.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,441. **State rank:** 2563. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 8,367 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,309; median household $30,766; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,322 - $21,015.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHELBY COUNTY**
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Shelbyville, MO 63469
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**Fax:** 573-633-1004

In northeastern MO, northeast of Columbia; organized Jan 2, 1835 from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 502.35 (land 500.86; water 1.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,373. **State rank:** 2728. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,744 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,056; median household $35,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,223 - $31,754.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STODDARD COUNTY**
316 S Prairie St PO Box 110
Bloomfield, MO 63825
**Ph:** 573-568-3339
**Fax:** 573-568-2194

In southeastern MO, southwest of Cape Girardeau; organized Jun 21, 1835 from Cape Girardeau County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Amos Stoddard (1762-1813), an officer in the Revolutionary War and acting governor of LA Territory (1804-05).

**Area (sq mi):** 825.04 (land 823.22; water 1.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.4.

**Pop 2010:** 29,968. **State rank:** 1451. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 29,714 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,911; median household $35,932; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,567 - $31,763.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STONE COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of MO, south of Springfield; organized Feb 10, 1851 from Taney County. **Name Origin:** For either William Stone, a prominent judge, or John W. Stone, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 511.71 (land 464.03; water 47.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.4.

**Pop 2010:** 32,202. **State rank:** 1392. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 30,931 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 49.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,748; median household $41,351; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,173 - $31,444.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Stone County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**
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In north-central MO; organized Feb 14, 1845 from Linn County. **Name Origin:** For either James Sullivan, a prominent local resident, or for Sullivan County, TN, which was named for Gen. John Sullivan (1740-95), Revolutionary War officer, member of the Continental Congress, chief executive and governor (1786-87, 1789) of NH.

**Area (sq mi):** 648.46 (land 647.98; water 0.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.4.

**Pop 2010:** 6,714. **State rank:** 2683. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,907 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 18.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 18.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,633; median household $30,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,480 - $32,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TANEY COUNTY**
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On southwestern border of MO, south of Springfield; organized Jan 6, 1837 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For Roger Brooke Taney (1777-1864), Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1836-64), who wrote the decision in the Dred Scott Case.

**Area (sq mi):** 651.56 (land 632.44; water 19.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.7.

**Pop 2010:** 51,675. **State rank:** 997. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.2%; 2000-2005 +8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 42,985 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,474; median household $39,026; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,416 - $26,891.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Branson (10,520).

**TEXAS COUNTY**
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In south-central MO, east of Springfield; organized as Ashley County Feb 17, 1843 from Shannon and Wright counties; name changed Feb 14, 1845. **Name Origin:** Probably in honor of the admission of the state of TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,177.97 (land 1,177.27; water 0.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.1.

**Pop 2010:** 26,008. **State rank:** 1608. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,614 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,790; median household $31,552; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,431 - $22,891.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VERNON COUNTY**
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On central western border of MO, north of Joplin; organized Feb 17, 1851 from Bates County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Miles Vernon (1786-1866), veteran of the Battle of New Orleans and MO legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 829.49 (land 826.40; water 3.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.6.

**Pop 2010:** 21,159. **State rank:** 1807. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 20,441 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,314; median household $34,387; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,253 - $29,610.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
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In east-central MO, west of Saint Louis; organized Jan 5, 1833 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride (1775).

**Area (sq mi):** 435.03 (land 428.60; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.9.

**Pop 2010:** 32,513. **State rank:** 1389. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +17.3%. **Pop 2005:** 28,764 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,358; median household $50,231; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,086 - $32,689.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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In east-central MO, southwest of Saint Louis; organized Aug 21, 1813 (prior to statehood) from Sainte Genevieve County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 762.78 (land 759.91; water 2.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.2.

**Pop 2010:** 25,195. **State rank:** 1614. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 24,032 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,867; median household $35,901; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,492 - $24,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In southeastern MO, southwest of Cape Giradeau; organized Dec 11, 1818 (prior to statehood) from Cape Girardeau and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 772.23 (land 759.18; water 13.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,521. **State rank:** 2267. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,097 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,105; median household $30,621; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,131 - $24,862.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In south-central MO, east of Springfield; organized Mar 3, 1855 from Greene County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 592.93 (land 592.56; water 0.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.1.

**Pop 2010:** 36,202. **State rank:** 1252. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +11.9%. **Pop 2005:** 34,745 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,699; median household $40,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,721 - $26,172.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the northwestern border of MO, northeast of Saint Joseph; organized Feb 8, 1861 from Gentry County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Jenkins Worth (1794-1849), officer in the War of 1812, Seminole War, and the Mexican-American War; cited by Congress for bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 266.84 (land 266.61; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,171. **State rank:** 3046. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,174 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,229; median household $38,220; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,380 - $28,086.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In south-central MO, east of Springfield; organized Jan 29, 1841 from Pulaski County. **Name Origin:** For Silas Wright (1795-1847), NY governor (1844-46), U.S. representative, and senator (1833-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 682.82 (land 681.77; water 1.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.6.

**Pop 2010:** 18,815. **State rank:** 1917. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,306 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,413; median household $29,636; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,787 - $22,780.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Area (sq mi):** 147,042.39 (land 145,552.43; water 1,489.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.8.

**Pop 2010:** 989,415. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 935,670 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.9%, including 6.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,317; median household $43,872; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,651 - $35,053.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.3%.

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In southwestern MT, west of Butte; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Descriptive of the area where deer came to the salt licks.

**Area (sq mi):** 740.72 (land 736.53; water 4.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,298. **State rank:** 2527. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,948 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.9%, including 3.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,921; median household $35,310; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,470 - $29,701.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEAVERHEAD COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of MT, south of Butte; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood); annexed part of Madison County in 1911. **Name Origin:** For the Beaverhead River, which contains a rock formation that the Indians thought resembled a beaver's head.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,571.35 (land 5,541.62; water 29.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,246. **State rank:** 2513. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,773 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,110; median household $38,264; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,420 - $33,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BIG HORN COUNTY**
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On the central southern border of MT, south of Billings; organized Jan 13, 1913 from Rosebud and Yellowstone counties. **Name Origin:** For the Big Horn and Little Big Horn rivers that flow through it; the rivers named for the great droves of bighorn sheep on the hillsides.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,015.30 (land 4,995.46; water 19.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 12,865. **State rank:** 2229. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,149 (White 31.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 64.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 30.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,066; median household $36,550; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,600 - $25,966.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLAINE COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of MT, northeast of Great Falls; organized Feb 29, 1912 from Chouteau County. **Name Origin:** For James Gillespie Blaine (1830-93), U.S. representative from ME (1863-76), U.S. senator (1876-81), and U.S. secretary of state (1881; 1889-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,240.29 (land 4,227.55; water 12.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

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## Blaine County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 6,491. **State rank:** 2713. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,629 (White 48.2%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 49.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,813; median household $37,034; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,625 - $26,949.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BROADWATER COUNTY

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In west-central MT, east of Helena; organized Feb 9, 1895 from Jefferson and Meagher counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Charles A. Broadwater (1840-92), miner, businessman, president of the Montana Central Railroad, and local resort proprietor.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,240.13 (land 1,192.54; water 47.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,612. **State rank:** 2843. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.2%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,517 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,606; median household $44,667; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,459 - $27,150.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUTTE-SILVER BOW COUNTY

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In southwestern MT, southwest of Helena; organized Feb 16, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Deer Lodge County. **Name Origin:** For Silver Bow Creek, which runs through the county; named by prospectors who saw the sun shining like a silver bow on its waters.

**Area (sq mi):** 719.14 (land 718.48; water 0.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 34,200. **State rank:** 1343. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 32,982 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,357; median household $37,986; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,764 - $36,707.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARBON COUNTY

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On the central southern border of MT, southwest of Billings; organized Mar 4, 1895 from Park and Yellowstone counties. **Name Origin:** For the abundant coal deposits within its borders.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,062.99 (land 2,048.79; water 14.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,078. **State rank:** 2447. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,902 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,983; median household $49,010; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,212 - $33,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARTER COUNTY

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In the southeastern corner of MT; organized Feb 22, 1917 from Fallon County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Henry Carter (1854-1911), first U.S. senator from MT (1895-1901; 1905-11).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,349.48 (land 3,340.75; water 8.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 1,160. **State rank:** 3100. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.1%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,320 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 50.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,681; median household $35,703; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,364 - $31,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 13 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In central MT, northeast of Helena; organized Sep 12, 1887 (prior to statehood) from Chouteau and Meagher counties. **Name Origin:** For the falls in the Missouri River, which runs through the northern part of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,711.91 (land 2,698.16; water 13.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.1.

**Pop 2010:** 81,327. **State rank:** 666. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 79,569 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,963; median household $42,389; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Cascade County (cont'd)

$35,943 - $38,790.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Great Falls (58,505).

### CHOUTEAU COUNTY

1308 Franklin St
Fort Benton, MT 59442
www.co.chouteau.mt.us

**Ph:** 406-622-5024
**Fax:** 406-622-3012

In north-central MT, north of Great Falls; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Chouteau family, whose members included Auguste (1749-1829) and Pierre (1758-1849), fur traders.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,996.25 (land 3,972.49; water 23.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,813. **State rank:** 2815. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 -8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,463 (White 75.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,202; median household $41,064; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,049 - $34,033.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CUSTER COUNTY

1010 Main St
Miles City, MT 59301
www.co.chouteau.mt.us

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**Fax:** 406-874-3452

In southeastern MT; original county; organized as Big Horn County Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood); name changed Feb 16, 1877. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. army officer defeated at the Battle of Little Bighorn (1876).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,793.45 (land 3,783.36; water 10.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,699. **State rank:** 2339. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,267 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,676; median household $38,913; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,558 - $35,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DANIELS COUNTY

213 Main St
Scobey, MT 59263
www.scobey.org

**Ph:** 406-487-5561
**Fax:** 406-487-5583

On the northeastern border of MT; organized Aug 30, 1920 from Sheridan and Valley counties. **Name Origin:** For Mansfield A. Daniels, an early rancher and storekeeper.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,426.54 (land 1,426.11; water 0.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,751. **State rank:** 3072. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,836 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 2.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 50.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,737; median household $38,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,994 - $50,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DAWSON COUNTY

207 W Bell St
Glendive, MT 59330
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**Ph:** 406-377-3058
**Fax:** 406-377-1717

In central eastern MT; original county, organized Jan 15, 1869 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Maj. Andrew Dawson, commander of Fort Benton for the American Fur Company.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,381.86 (land 2,371.87; water 9.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,966. **State rank:** 2546. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,688 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,602; median household $50,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,893 - $32,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FALLON COUNTY

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Baker, MT 59313
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**Fax:** 406-778-2815

On southeastern border of MT; organized Dec 9, 1913 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin O'Fallon (1793-1842), army officer, Indian agent, and nephew of the explorer William Clark (1770-1838).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,623.46 (land 1,620.77; water 2.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,890. **State rank:** 2990. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,717 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,819; median household $52,529; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,354 - $40,491.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**FERGUS COUNTY**
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In central MT, northwest of Billings; organized Mar 12, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Meagher County. Its county seat is in the exact center of MT. **Name Origin:** For James Fergus (1813-97), cattleman, miner, and a MT territorial legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,351 (land 4,339.80; water 11.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,586. **State rank:** 2338. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,551 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,295; median household $37,607; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,286 - $34,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FLATHEAD COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 406-758-5861

On the northwestern border of MT, north of Missoula; organized Feb 6, 1893 from Missoula County; annexed part of Deer Lodge County before 1900. **Name Origin:** For the Salish or Flathead Indians of the Catawba group; there is no evidence that they flattened the heads of their infants, as some other tribes did. It has been suggested the name comes from their home at the 'flat' head of the Columbia River rather than in the deep canyons below.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,245.77 (land 5,087.66; water 158.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.9.

**Pop 2010:** 90,928. **State rank:** 629. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 83,172 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,721; median household $44,998; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,843 - $34,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kalispell (19,927).

**GALLATIN COUNTY**
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Bozeman, MT 59715
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**Fax:** 406-582-3068

On the southwestern border of MT, east of Butte; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). Annexed populated portion of deleted Yellowstone National Park (county equivalent) effective November 7, 1997. **Name Origin:** For the Gallatin River, which flows through the county; itself named by Lewis and Clark in 1805 for Abraham Alfonse Albert Gallatin (1761-1849), U.S. secretary of the treasury (1802-14) at the time.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,628.69 (land 2,602.69; water 26). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 89,513. **State rank:** 622. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.5%; 2000-2005 +15.3%. **Pop 2005:** 78,210 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,423; median household $50,136; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,844 - $35,953.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bozeman (37,280).

**GARFIELD COUNTY**
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Jordan, MT 59337
www.garfieldcounty.com
**Ph:** 406-557-6254
**Fax:** 406-557-2567

In east-central MT, northeast of Billings; organized Feb 7, 1919 from Valley and McCone counties. **Name Origin:** For James Abram Garfield (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,854.84 (land 4,675.36; water 179.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 1,206. **State rank:** 3101. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,199 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,424; median household $42,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,823 - $31,722.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GLACIER COUNTY**
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Cut Bank, MT 59427
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**Fax:** 406-873-2125

On the northwestern border of MT, northwest of Great Falls, bordering Alberta province, Canada and Glacier National Park; organized Feb 17, 1919 from Flathead and Teton counties. **Name Origin:** For Glacier National Park on the county's western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,038.33 (land 2,995.94; water 42.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,399. **State rank:** 2196. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,552 (White 31.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 65.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,053; median household $38,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,720 - $29,527.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. - See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**GOLDEN VALLEY COUNTY**
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In south-central MT, northwest of Billings; organized Oct 4, 1920 from Musselshell and Sweet Grass counties. **Name Origin:** For the rich soil and plentiful streams.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,176.44 (land 1,175.34; water 1.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 884. **State rank:** 3105. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -23.7%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,159 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.5%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 48.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,319; median household $35,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,773 - $37,893.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANITE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 406-859-3817

In west-central MT, northwest of Butte; organized Mar 2, 1893 from Deer Lodge County. **Name Origin:** For the Granite Mountain Silver Mine, itself named for the granite rock within the mine.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,733.09 (land 1,727.42; water 5.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,079. **State rank:** 2976. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,965 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 52.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,222; median household $36,052; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,302 - $29,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HILL COUNTY**
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Havre, MT 59501
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**Fax:** 406-265-3693

On the central northern border of MT, northeast of Great Falls; organized Feb 28, 1912 from Chouteau County. **Name Origin:** For James Jerome Hill (1838-1916), president and developer of the Great Northern Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,918.65 (land 2,898.96; water 19.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,096. **State rank:** 1984. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,304 (White 73.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 21.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,420; median household $43,606; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,878 - $37,968.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Boulder, MT 59632
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In west-central MT, east of Butte; original county, organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Jefferson River, which forms part of the county's southern border; itself named by Lewis and Clark for Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,658.45 (land 1,656.26; water 2.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,406. **State rank:** 2324. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,170 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,437; median household $56,695; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,250 - $36,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JUDITH BASIN COUNTY**
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Stanford, MT 59479
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**Ph:** 406-566-2277
**Fax:** 406-566-2211

In central MT, southeast of Great Falls; organized Dec 10, 1920 from Fergus and Cascade counties. **Name Origin:** For the basin of the Judith River, which flows through the county; named by Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809) for his cousin, Judith Hancock, who later married Lt. William Clark (1770-1838).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,870.68 (land 1,869.82; water 0.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,072. **State rank:** 3043. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,198 (White 98.3%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,029; median household $41,473; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,828 - $35,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAKE COUNTY**
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Polson, MT 59860
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**Fax:** 406-883-7283

In northwestern MT, north of Missoula; organized May 11, 1923 from Flathead and Missoula counties. **Name Origin:** For Flathead Lake, which comprises most of the northern part of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,650.10 (land 1,490.15; water 159.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.3.

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## Lake County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 28,746. **State rank:** 1465. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,297 (White 69.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,164; median household $37,274; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,978 - $27,194.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEWIS & CLARK COUNTY**
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Helena, MT 59623
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**Ph:** 406-447-8200
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In west-central MT in the Helena metro area. **Name Origin:** For the Lewis & Clark Expedition.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,495.43 (land 3,458.83; water 36.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.3.

**Pop 2010:** 63,395. **State rank:** 828. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.5%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 58,449 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,894; median household $50,238; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,602 - $38,238.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Helena (28,190).

**LIBERTY COUNTY**
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Chester, MT 59522
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On the central northern border of MT, north of Great Falls; organized Feb 11, 1920 from Chouteau and Hill counties. **Name Origin:** For the inhabitants freedom from Hill County.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,447.49 (land 1,430.05; water 17.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,339. **State rank:** 3063. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.8%; 2000-2005 -7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,003 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,097; median household $40,212; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,963 - $32,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
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Libby, MT 59923
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On the northwestern corner of MT; organized Mar 9, 1909 from Flathead County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,675.36 (land 3,612.92; water 62.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.4.

**Pop 2010:** 19,687. **State rank:** 1876. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 19,193 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 48.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,626; median household $30,823; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,604 - $27,535.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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In southwestern MT, southeast of Butte; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Madison River, which flows through the county; itself named by Lewis and Clark for James Madison (1751-1836), then secretary of state (1801-09), later fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,603.79 (land 3,587.48; water 16.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,691. **State rank:** 2625. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,274 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,205; median household $42,998; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,509 - $35,274.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCCONE COUNTY**
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Circle, MT 59215
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**Fax:** 406-485-2689

In east-central MT; organized Feb 20, 1919 from Dawson and Richland counties. **Name Origin:** For George McCone, a MT state legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,683.42 (land 2,643.17; water 40.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,734. **State rank:** 3076. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 1,805 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 48.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Income 2007:** per capita $23,265; median household $48,167; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,020 - $37,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MEAGHER COUNTY

15 W Main St
White Sulphur Springs, MT 59645
meaghercounty.mt.gov

**Ph:** 406-547-3612
**Fax:** 406-547-3388

In central MT, east of Helena; original county; organized Nov 16, 1867 (prior to statehood) from Chouteau and Gallatin counties; annexed part of Fergus County in 1911. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Francis Meagher (1823-67), Irish revolutionary tried for sedition and banished to Tasmania. He escaped to New York Cilty, where he practiced law. He became a brigadier general in the Civil War and led the 'Irish Brigade.' He was acting governor of MT Territory (1865-66).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,394.93 (land 2,391.91; water 3.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,891. **State rank:** 3051. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,999 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,318; median household $31,577; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,510 - $32,620.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MINERAL COUNTY

300 River St
Superior, MT 59872
www.co.mineral.mt.us

**Ph:** 406-822-3520
**Fax:** 406-822-3579

On the central western border of MT, west of Missoula; organized Aug 7, 1914 from Missoula County. **Name Origin:** For its many mines.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,223 (land 1,219.44; water 3.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,223. **State rank:** 2911. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,014 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.9%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,209; median household $37,256; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,090 - $27,360.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MISSOULA COUNTY

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Missoula, MT 59802
www.co.missoula.mt.us

**Ph:** 406-721-5700
**Fax:** 406-258-4700

In west-central MT; original county; organized Feb 2, 1865 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From a Salish (Flathead) Indian word whose meaning is in dispute; possibly 'feared water,' 'at the stream of surprise and ambush,' or 'river of awe'; believed to refer to Hell Gate Canyon where Blackfeet Indians ambushed the Salish.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,613.79 (land 2,593.42; water 20.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.1.

**Pop 2010:** 109,299. **State rank:** 538. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 100,086 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,343; median household $42,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,366 - $34,766.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Missoula 🏛 (66,788).

### MUSSELSHELL COUNTY

506 Main St
Roundup, MT 59072
www.musselshell.countycriminal.com/court-records-search/MT

**Ph:** 406-323-1104
**Fax:** 406-323-3303

In south-central MT, north of Billings; organized Feb 11, 1911 from Fergus, Yellowstone, and Meagher counties. **Name Origin:** For the Musselshell River, which forms part of the county's eastern border, the river was named for the mussel shells found on its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,871.92 (land 1,868.16; water 3.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,538. **State rank:** 2853. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 4,497 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 49.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,875; median household $37,033; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,014 - $30,436.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PARK COUNTY

414 E Callender St
Livingston, MT 59047
www.parkcounty.org

**Ph:** 406-222-4110
**Fax:** 406-222-4193

On the southern border of MT, east of Bozeman; organized Feb 23, 1887 (prior to statehood) from Gallatin County. Annexed unpopulated portion of deleted Yellowstone National Park (county equivalent) effective November 7, 1997. **Name Origin:** For Yellowstone National Park, which is on the county's southern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,814.24 (land 2,803.06; water 11.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,636. **State rank:** 2039. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,968 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%,

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## Park County (cont'd)

including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,717; median household $38,830; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,175 - $34,316.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PETROLEUM COUNTY**
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Winnett, MT 59087
www.petroleumcountymt.com
**Ph:** 406-429-5311
**Fax:** 406-429-6328

In central MT, north of Billings; organized Feb 22, 1925 from Fergus County. **Name Origin:** For the petroleum production in the Cat Creek fields.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,674.98 (land 1,654.87; water 20.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 494. **State rank:** 3138. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 470 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.0%). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,008; median household $36,875; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,179 - $28,276.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 9.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PHILLIPS COUNTY**
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Malta, MT 59538
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**Fax:** 406-654-2429

On central northern border of MT; organized Feb 5, 1915 from Blaine and Valley counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin D. Phillips, a local landowner and prominent citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,212.64 (land 5,140.04; water 72.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,253. **State rank:** 2901. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,179 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 8.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,227; median household $36,453; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,595 - $32,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PONDERA COUNTY**
20 4th Ave SW
Conrad, MT 59425
www.ponderacountymontana.org
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**Fax:** 406-271-4070

In northwest-central MT, northwest of Great Falls; organized Feb 17, 1919 from Chouteau and Teton counties. **Name Origin:** From French *pend d'oreille* 'hanging ear,' first applied to a lake in ID, thought to resemble an earlobe. To avoid confusion with the lake and town, name was changed to Pondera.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,638.02 (land 1,622.86; water 15.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,153. **State rank:** 2771. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,087 (White 82.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 14.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,989; median household $36,419; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,419 - $35,272.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POWDER RIVER COUNTY**
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Broadus, MT 59317
prco.mt.gov
**Ph:** 406-436-2657
**Fax:** 406-436-2151

On the southeastern border of MT, southeast of Billings; organized Mar 7, 1919 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For the river, which runs diagonally through the county; the river's name comes either from the fine black sand resembling gunpowder that is found along its banks, or from an incident when a group of soldiers were attacked by Indians, and one yelled hide the powder!

**Area (sq mi):** 3,298.06 (land 3,297.30; water 0.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,743. **State rank:** 3073. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,705 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 49.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,543; median household $37,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,224 - $27,135.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POWELL COUNTY**
409 Missouri Ave Ste 203
Deer Lodge, MT 59722
www.powellcountymt.gov
**Ph:** 406-846-9786
**Fax:** 406-846-3891

In west-central MT, west of Helena; organized Jan 31, 1901 from Deer Lodge County. **Name Origin:** For John Wesley Powell (1834-1902), geologist and explorer of the Grand Canyon (1870), director of the U.S. Geological Survey, and first head of the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,333.13 (land 2,326.39; water 6.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,027. **State rank:** 2660. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,999 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.7%, including 4.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,849; median household $39,851; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Powell County (cont'd)

$22,976 - $26,014.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRAIRIE COUNTY**
217 W Park St
Terry, MT 59349
prairie.mt.gov/

**Ph:** 406-635-5575
**Fax:** 406-635-5576

In east-central MT, north of Miles City; organized Feb 5, 1915 from Custer, Dawson, and Fallon counties. **Name Origin:** For the topography of most of the eastern half of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,742.74 (land 1,736.74; water 6). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,179. **State rank:** 3104. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,105 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 53.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,296; median household $34,896; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,312 - $29,451.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RAVALLI COUNTY**
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Hamilton, MT 59840
www.rc.mt.gov

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**Fax:** 406-375-6554

On the central western border of MT, west of Butte; organized Feb 16, 1893 from Missoula County. **Name Origin:** For Father Anthony Ravalli (1812-84), Jesuit missionary to the Salish (Flathead) Indians at Saint Mary's Mission, Stevensville, MT, the first white settlement in MT.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,396.93 (land 2,390.82; water 6.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.8.

**Pop 2010:** 40,212. **State rank:** 1165. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 39,940 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,908; median household $43,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,929 - $30,115.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICHLAND COUNTY**
201 W Main St
Sidney, MT 59270
www.richland.org

**Ph:** 406-433-1708
**Fax:** 406-482-3731

On the northeastern border of MT; organized May 27, 1914 from Dawson County. **Name Origin:** Promotional, to attract new visitors.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,103.07 (land 2,084.14; water 18.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,746. **State rank:** 2477. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,096 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,888; median household $52,516; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,583 - $45,502.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROOSEVELT COUNTY**
400 2nd Ave S, Suite 210
Wolf Point, MT 59201

**Ph:** 406-653-6250
**Fax:** 406-653-6289

On the northeastern border of MT; organized Feb 18, 1919 from Sheridan County. **Name Origin:** For Theodore Roosevelt (1858-1919), twenty-sixth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,368.84 (land 2,354.79; water 14.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 10,425. **State rank:** 2405. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,524 (White 35.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 60.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,821; median household $37,451; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,879 - $29,634.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROSEBUD COUNTY**
1200 Main St
Forsyth, MT 59327

**Ph:** 406-346-2251
**Fax:** 406-356-7551

In south-central MT, east of Billling; organized Feb 11, 1901 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For Rosebud Creek, which runs through the county; named for the profusion of wild roses along its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,024.97 (land 5,010.40; water 14.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 9,233. **State rank:** 2486. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,212 (White 61.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.4%, including 34.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,844; median household $44,776; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,178 - $35,110.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**SANDERS COUNTY**
111 Main St
Thompson Falls, MT 59873
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**Ph:** 406-827-6942
**Fax:** 406-827-4388

On the northwestern border of MT, northwest of Missoula; organized Feb 5, 1907 from Missoula County. **Name Origin:** For Wilbur Fisk Sanders (1834-1905), officer in the Civil War and U.S. senator from MT (1890-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,788.38 (land 2,760.52; water 27.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,413. **State rank:** 2345. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,057 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 4.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,472; median household $30,622; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,083 - $26,060.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHERIDAN COUNTY**
100 W Laurel Ave
Plentywood, MT 59254
www.co.sheridan.mt.us
**Ph:** 406-765-2310
**Fax:** 406-765-2609

In the northeastern corner of MT; organized Mar 4, 1913 from Valley County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-88), Union officer during the Civil War and commander in chief of the U.S. army (1883-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,706.81 (land 1,677.08; water 29.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,384. **State rank:** 2947. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 -14.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,524 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 50.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,537; median household $39,578; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,694 - $46,457.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STILLWATER COUNTY**
400 3rd Ave N PO Box 149
Columbus, MT 59019
www.stillwater.mt.gov
**Ph:** 406-322-8000
**Fax:** 406-322-8007

In south-central MT, west of Billlings; organized Mar 24, 1913 from Carbon, Sweet Grass, and Yellowstone counties. **Name Origin:** For the Stillwater River, which runs through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,804.87 (land 1,795.35; water 9.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,117. **State rank:** 2529. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 8,493 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,168; median household $57,227; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,044 - $34,716.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SWEET GRASS COUNTY**
200 W 1st Ave PO Box 888
Big Timber, MT 59011
www.co.sweetgrass.mt.us
**Ph:** 406-932-5152
**Fax:** 406-932-3026

In south-central MT, west of Billings; organized Mar 5, 1895 from Meagher, Park, and Yellowstone counties. **Name Origin:** For the abundant fragrant grass of the genus *Glyceria*, at the suggestion of Mrs. Paul Van Cleve, Sr.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,862.13 (land 1,855.21; water 6.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,651. **State rank:** 2922. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,672 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,785; median household $43,723; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,061 - $28,031.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TETON COUNTY**
110 S Main St PO Box 610
Choteau, MT 59422
www.tetoncomt.org
**Ph:** 406-466-2151
**Fax:** 406-466-2138

In west-central MT, northwest of Great Falls; organized Feb 7, 1893 from Chouteau County. **Name Origin:** For the Teton River and Teton Peak in the Teton Mountains or for the Teton Indian tribe.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,292.35 (land 2,272.38; water 19.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,073. **State rank:** 2753. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,240 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,509; median household $39,516; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,677 - $38,166.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TOOLE COUNTY**
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Shelby, MT 59474
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**Fax:** 406-424-8301

On the central northern border of MT, north of Great Falls; organized May 7, 1914 from Hill and Teton counties. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Kemp Toole (1851-1929), governor of MT (1889-93; 1901-08).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,950.56 (land 1,915.65; water 34.91). **Pop per sq mi:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Pop 2010:** 5,324. **State rank:** 2818. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,031 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 4.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,464; median household $42,949; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,051 - $36,617.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TREASURE COUNTY

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Hysham, MT 59038

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In south-central MT, northeast of Billings; organized Feb 7, 1919 from Rosebud County. **Name Origin:** For the nickname of MT, the Treasure State.

**Area (sq mi):** 982.64 (land 977.40; water 5.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 718. **State rank:** 3131. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -20.0%. **Pop 2005:** 689 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 51.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,882; median household $37,969; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,112 - $33,323.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VALLEY COUNTY

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Glasgow, MT 59230

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On the northern border of MT with the province of Saskatchewan, Canada; organized Feb 6, 1893 from Dawson County. **Name Origin:** For the Milk and Missouri river valleys.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,066.80 (land 4,925.82; water 140.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,369. **State rank:** 2693. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,143 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 9.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,305; median household $42,050; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,169 - $38,806.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WHEATLAND COUNTY

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wheatlandcountymt.org

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**Fax:** 406-632-4880

In south-central MT, northwest of Billlings; organized Feb 22, 1917 from Meagher and Sweet Grass counties. **Name Origin:** For the major crop in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,428.39 (land 1,423.20; water 5.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,168. **State rank:** 3044. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 -9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,037 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,474; median household $30,321; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,354 - $27,996.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WIBAUX COUNTY

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Wibaux, MT 59353

**Ph:** 406-796-2484

On the central eastern border of MT; organized Aug 17, 1914 from Dawson, Fallon, and Richland counties. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Wibaux, a Huguenot immigrant who owned one of the largest herds of cattle in MT.

**Area (sq mi):** 890.05 (land 889.27; water 0.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,017. **State rank:** 3114. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 -11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 951 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,579; median household $40,417; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,193 - $28,085.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### YELLOWSTONE COUNTY

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**Fax:** 406-256-2736

In south-central MT; organized Feb 26, 1883 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For the Yellowstone River, which flows through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,647.19 (land 2,633.29; water 13.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.2.

**Pop 2010:** 147,972. **State rank:** 426. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.3%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 136,691 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,152; median household $48,641; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,999 - $38,488.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Billings (104,170).

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# Nebraska

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**Area (sq mi):** 77,353.72 (land 76,872.41; water 481.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,826,341. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,758,787 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 1.8%; Others 9.2%, including 1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,557; median household $49,342; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,887 - $39,534.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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In south-central NE, south of Grand Island; organized Feb 16, 1867 from Clay County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 564.03 (land 563.27; water 0.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.7.

**Pop 2010:** 31,364. **State rank:** 1333. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 33,070 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 1.4%; Others 8.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,084; median household $44,443; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,473 - $36,668.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hastings 🏛 (24,907).

**ANTELOPE COUNTY**
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In east-central NE, southwest of Sioux City, IA; organized Jun 15, 1871 from Pierce County. **Name Origin:** The bill for establishment of the county was introduced by Leander Gerrard who once shot an antelope for food while on the trail of Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 858.59 (land 857.22; water 1.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,685. **State rank:** 2701. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,004 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,419; median household $37,058; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,087 - $48,727.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ARTHUR COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 308-764-2216

In west-central NE, northwest of North Platte; county approved Mar 31, 1887 from unattached lands; formed Jun 7, 1913. **Name Origin:** For Chester A. Arthur (1830-86), twenty-first U.S. presidesnt.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.31 (land 715.36; water 2.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 460. **State rank:** 3140. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.7%; 2000-2005 -14.9%. **Pop 2005:** 378 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,722; median household $43,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,899 - $27,445.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BANNER COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of NE, south of Scottsbluff; organized Nov 6, 1888 from Cheyenne County. **Name Origin:** Named by the citizens who wanted the county to be the banner county of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 746.26 (land 746.11; water 0.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 690. **State rank:** 3129. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.9%; 2000-2005 -10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 733 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.0%; Others 3.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 48.1.

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## Banner County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,042; median household $34,063; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,217 - $38,961.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLAINE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 308-547-2228

In central NE, northeast of North Platte; organized Mar 5, 1885 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For James Gillespie Blaine (1830-93), U.S. representative from ME (1863-76), U.S. senator (1876-81), and U.S. secretary of state (1881; 1889-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 714.46 (land 710.87; water 3.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 478. **State rank:** 3137. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -17.0%. **Pop 2005:** 484 (White 99.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.0%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.0%). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,586; median household $39,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,289 - $33,739.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOONE COUNTY**
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Albion, NE 68620
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**Fax:** 402-395-2055

In east-central NE, northeast of Grand Island; organized Mar 28, 1871 from Platte County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 687.11 (land 686.55; water 0.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,505. **State rank:** 2796. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,772 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian Z%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,790; median household $40,703; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,913 - $43,107.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOX BUTTE COUNTY**
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Alliance, NE 69301
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**Fax:** 308-762-2867

In northwestern NE, northeast of Scottsbluff; organized Nov 2, 1886 from Dawes County. **Name Origin:** Descriptive of the rectangular-shaped butte near Alliance.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,077.83 (land 1,075.29; water 2.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,308. **State rank:** 2361. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,374 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 10.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 10.2%, including 3.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,434; median household $44,404; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,151 - $34,552.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOYD COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 402-775-2146

On the northern border of NE; organized Mar 20, 1891 from Holt County. **Name Origin:** For James E. Boyd (1834-1906), NE governor (1891, 1892-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 544.48 (land 539.94; water 4.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,099. **State rank:** 3041. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.2%; 2000-2005 -7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 2,261 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 50.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,003; median household $34,906; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,870 - $38,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROWN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 402-387-0918

In north-central NE; organized Feb 19, 1883 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** Possibly for two state legislators named Brown who sponsored the bill for organization of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,225.13 (land 1,221.33; water 3.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,145. **State rank:** 2962. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,328 (White 98.2%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,330; median household $28,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,516 - $35,833.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**BUFFALO COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 308-236-1223

In south-central NE, west of Grand Island; original county; organized Mar 14, 1855 (prior to statehood); not officially recognized until Jan 20, 1870. **Name Origin:** For the former feeding grounds of the buffalo.

**Area (sq mi):** 975.39 (land 968.11; water 7.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,102. **State rank:** 1035. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 43,572 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 7.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,616; median household $47,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,457 - $37,190.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kearney 🏛 (30,787).

**BURT COUNTY**
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On the central eastern border of NE, north of Omaha; original county; organized Feb 18, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Francis Burt (1807-54), SC legislator, editor, and first territorial governor of NE (1854).

**Area (sq mi):** 495.91 (land 491.58; water 4.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.

**Pop 2010:** 6,858. **State rank:** 2673. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.0%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,455 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,302; median household $43,817; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,753 - $39,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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In east-central NE, west of Omaha; organized Jun 26, 1856 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For David Butler (1829-91), first governor of NE (1867-71).

**Area (sq mi):** 585.73 (land 584.91; water 0.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,395. **State rank:** 2559. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 8,720 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,494; median household $44,595; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,785 - $40,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CASS COUNTY**
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Plattsmouth, NE 68048
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On the southeastern border of NE, northeast of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 7, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, military and civil governor of MI Territory (1813-31), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 564.48 (land 557.45; water 7.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,241. **State rank:** 1576. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 25,734 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,584; median household $62,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,753 - $39,025.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CEDAR COUNTY**
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Hartington, NE 68739
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**Fax:** 402-254-7410

On the northeastern border of NE, west of Sioux City, IA; original county; organized Feb 12, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the cedar trees that are abundant locally.

**Area (sq mi):** 745.90 (land 740.31; water 5.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.

**Pop 2010:** 8,852. **State rank:** 2562. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,066 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,595; median household $40,497; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,986 - $44,207.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHASE COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of NE, southwest of North Platte; organized Apr 24, 1886 from Keith County. **Name Origin:** For Champion S. Chase (?-1898), mayor of Omaha, NE, and first attorney general of NE.

**Area (sq mi):** 897.56 (land 894.42; water 3.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,966. **State rank:** 2925. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%;

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## Chase County (cont'd)

2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,866 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 11.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 11.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,730; median household $38,314; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,583 - $44,688.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHERRY COUNTY

PO Box 120
Valentine, NE 69201
www.co.cherry.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-376-2771
**Fax:** 402-376-3095

On the central northern border of NE; organized Feb 23, 1883 from unorganized territory. Claims to be the largest county in the U.S. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Samuel A. Cherry (?-1881), an army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,009.44 (land 5,960.42; water 49.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,713. **State rank:** 2794. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,098 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 5.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,601; median household $43,431; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,729 - $35,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHEYENNE COUNTY

PO Box 217
Sidney, NE 69162
www.co.cheyenne.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-254-2141
**Fax:** 308-254-6943

On the southwestern border of NE, west of North Platte; organized Jun 6, 1871 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For the Cheyenne Indians who once lived in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,196.40 (land 1,196.29; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.4.

**Pop 2010:** 9,998. **State rank:** 2450. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,993 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 6.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,983; median household $49,493; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,319 - $43,170.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAY COUNTY

111 W Fairfield St PO Box 67
Clay Center, NE 68933
www.claycounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 402-762-3595
**Fax:** 402-762-3604

In south-central NE, southeast of Grand Island; original county, organized Mar 7, 1855 (prior to statehood). According to Thorndale and Dollarhide's *Map Guide to the U.S. Federal Censuses, 1790-1920*, area originally called Clay County is now part of Lancaster and Gage counties, while present-day Clay county occupies area which was unattached in 1860. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.78 (land 572.29; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.4.

**Pop 2010:** 6,542. **State rank:** 2744. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,733 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 7.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,147; median household $42,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,161 - $40,599.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COLFAX COUNTY

411 E 11th St
Schuyler, NE 68661
www.colfaxcounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 402-352-8504
**Fax:** 402-352-8515

In east-central NE, northwest of Omaha; organized Feb 15, 1869 from Platte County. **Name Origin:** For Schuyler Colfax (1823-85), U.S. vice president under Ulysses S. Grant (1869-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 417.10 (land 411.66; water 5.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,515. **State rank:** 2400. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 10,433 (White 72.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 41.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 41.0%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 21.3%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,872; median household $48,133; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,022 - $34,774.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CUMING COUNTY

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West Point, NE 68788
cumingcounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 402-372-6002
**Fax:** 402-372-6013

In east-central NE; northwest of Omaha; organized Mar 16, 1855 from Burt County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas B. Cuming (?-1858), acting governor of NE Territory (1854-55; 1857-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 573.16 (land 570.62; water 2.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.

**Pop 2010:** 9,139. **State rank:** 2498. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,688 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Income 2007:** per capita $22,783; median household $44,278; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,173 - $46,130.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUSTER COUNTY**
431 S 10th St
Broken Bow, NE 68822
www.co.custer.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-872-5701
**Fax:** 308-872-6139

In south-central NE, east of North Platte; organized as Kountze County Feb 17, 1877 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. army officer and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,575.89 (land 2,575.52; water 0.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,939. **State rank:** 2370. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,410 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,685; median household $42,364; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,360 - $38,565.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAKOTA COUNTY**
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Dakota City, NE 68731-1003
www.dakotacountyne.org

**Ph:** 402-987-2151
**Fax:** 402-987-2186

On the northeastern border of NE, south of Sioux City, IA; original county, organized Mar 7, 1855. **Name Origin:** For the Dakota (also called the Sioux) Indian tribe.

**Area (sq mi):** 267.86 (land 264.26; water 3.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,006. **State rank:** 1783. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,349 (White 70.5%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 35.3%; Asian 3.0%; Others 35.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.6%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,048; median household $43,729; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,455 - $28,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** South Sioux City (13,353).

**DAWES COUNTY**
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Chadron, NE 69337
www.co.dawes.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-432-0100
**Fax:** 308-432-5179

On the northwestern border of NE, northeast of Scottsbluff; organized Feb 19, 1885 from Sioux County. **Name Origin:** For James William Dawes (1845-87), governor of NE (1883-87).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,401.08 (land 1,396.46; water 4.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 9,182. **State rank:** 2532. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,636 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.3%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,573; median household $34,937; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,243 - $28,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAWSON COUNTY**
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Lexington, NE 68850
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**Ph:** 308-324-2127
**Fax:** 308-324-6106

In south-central NE, west of Grand Island; organized Jan 11, 1860 from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Jacob Dawson, first postmaster of Lancaster (now Lincoln).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,019.47 (land 1,013.10; water 6.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.

**Pop 2010:** 24,326. **State rank:** 1590. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,617 (White 78.0%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 31.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 31.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.1%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,384; median household $41,830; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,712 - $31,048.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lexington 🏛 (10,230).

**DEUEL COUNTY**
PO Box 327
Chappell, NE 69129
www.co.deuel.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-874-3308
**Fax:** 308-874-3472

On the southern border of NE, west of North Platte; organized Jan 1889 from Cheyenne County. **Name Origin:** For Henry (or Harry) Porter Deuel (1836-1914), an early settler of Omaha and later a local railroad official.

**Area (sq mi):** 440.75 (land 439.85; water 0.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,941. **State rank:** 3058. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,004 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,758; median household $37,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,706 - $32,037.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**DIXON COUNTY**
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Ponca, NE 68770
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**Ph:** 402-755-5604
**Fax:** 402-755-5651

On the northeastern border of NE, west of Sioux City, IA; original county, organized Dec 1858 (prior to statehood) from Dakota County. **Name Origin:** For an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 482.56 (land 476.23; water 6.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,000. **State rank:** 2733. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,155 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 10.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 10.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,478; median household $42,388; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,407 - $34,560.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DODGE COUNTY**
435 N Park Ave
Fremont, NE 68025
www.dodgecounty.ne.gov
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**Fax:** 402-727-2764

In east-central NE, northwest of Omaha; original county, organized Mar 6, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Augustus Caesar Dodge (1812-83), son of Henry Dodge. First U.S. senator from IA (1848-55) and an active supporter of the Kansas-Nebraska bill.

**Area (sq mi):** 538.24 (land 528.71; water 9.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,691. **State rank:** 1276. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 36,078 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 10.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,049; median household $42,849; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,556 - $36,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fremont (26,397).

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
1819 Farnam St
Omaha, NE 68183
www.co.douglas.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-444-6762
**Fax:** 402-444-6456

On the eastern border of NE, west of Council Bluffs, IA; original county; organized 1854 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 337.08 (land 328.46; water 8.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 1574.4.

**Pop 2010:** 517,110. **State rank:** 125. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 486,929 (White 76.4%; Black or African American 11.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 2.7%; Others 11.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,092; median household $51,878; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,338 - $44,368.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Omaha (408,958).

**DUNDY COUNTY**
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Benkelman, NE 69021
www.co.dundy.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-423-2058

On the southern border of NE, west of McCook; organized Feb 27, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Elmer S. Dundy (1830-96), NE territorial legislator and jurist of the U.S. circuit court.

**Area (sq mi):** 920.61 (land 919.68; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,008. **State rank:** 3048. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.9%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,133 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,701; median household $37,031; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,526 - $50,582.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FILLMORE COUNTY**
900 G St PO Box 307
Geneva, NE 68361
www.fillmorecounty.org
**Ph:** 402-759-4931
**Fax:** 402-759-4307

In southeastern NE, southwest of Lincoln; established Jan 26, 1856 from unorganized territory, organized 1871. **Name Origin:** For Millard Fillmore (1800-74), thirteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.53 (land 575.37; water 0.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.2.

**Pop 2010:** 5,890. **State rank:** 2763. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,385 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,990; median household $43,167; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,016 - $44,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
405 15th Ave
Franklin, NE 68939
www.co.franklin.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-425-6202
**Fax:** 308-425-6093

On central southern border of NE, southwest of Grand Island; organized Mar 9, 1871 from Kearney County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 576.01 (land 575.82; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,225. **State rank:** 2960. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,421 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Franklin County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,764; median household $37,220; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,178 - $37,831.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRONTIER COUNTY**
PO Box 40
Stockville, NE 69042
www.co.frontier.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-367-8637
**Fax:** 308-367-8730

In south-central NE, south of North Platter; organized Jan 17, 1872 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For its location on the NE frontier at the time of naming.

**Area (sq mi):** 980.10 (land 974.59; water 5.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,756. **State rank:** 3001. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,795 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,374; median household $42,009; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,919 - $41,214.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FURNAS COUNTY**
912 R St
Beaver City, NE 68926
www.furnascounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 308-268-4145
**Fax:** 308-268-3205

On the central southern border of NE, east of McCook; organized Feb 27, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert Wilkinson Furnas (1824-1905), an officer in the Civil War and governor of NE (1873-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 721.55 (land 719.13; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,959. **State rank:** 2859. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,019 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,644; median household $37,938; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,860 - $38,328.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GAGE COUNTY**
PO Box 429
Beatrice, NE 68310
www.co.gage.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-223-1300
**Fax:** 402-223-1371

On the southern border of NE, south of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 16, 1855 ( prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For William D. Gage (1803-85). Methodist minister and a local official.

**Area (sq mi):** 856.14 (land 851.49; water 4.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,311. **State rank:** 1690. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,306 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,619; median household $43,311; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,723 - $37,470.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beatrice 🏛 (12,459).

**GARDEN COUNTY**
PO Box 486
Oshkosh, NE 69154
www.co.garden.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-772-3924
**Fax:** 308-772-0124

In west-central NE, southeast of Scottsbluff; organized Nov 2, 1909 from Devel County. **Name Origin:** Named by John T. and William R. Twiford, the developers who thought it would become the garden spot of the west.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,730.88 (land 1,704.28; water 26.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,057. **State rank:** 3068. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,997 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 3.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,740; median household $32,962; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,156 - $40,845.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GARFIELD COUNTY**
PO Box 218
Burwell, NE 68823
www.garfieldcounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 308-346-4161

In east-central NE, northwest of Grand Island; organized Nov 8, 1881 from Wheeler County. **Name Origin:** For James Abram Garfield (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.10 (land 569.79; water 1.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,049. **State rank:** 3070. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.8%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,816 (White 99.2%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 50.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,235; median household $38,709; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,363 - $32,150.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**GOSPER COUNTY**
507 Smith Ave E PO Box 136
Elwood, NE 68937
www.co.gosper.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-785-2611
**Fax:** 308-785-2300

In south-central NE, organized Aug 29, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For John J. Gosper, NE secretary of state (1873-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 462.73 (land 458.16; water 4.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,044. **State rank:** 3057. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,020 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,132; median household $41,442; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,423 - $45,607.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT COUNTY**
105 E Harrison St
Hyannis, NE 69350
**Ph:** 308-458-2488
**Fax:** 308-458-2780

In west-central NE, northwest of North Platte; organized Mar 31, 1888 from unorganized territory. In 1870 a paper county called Grant covered parts of present-day Lincoln, Frontier, Red Willow, Furnas, Gosper, Dawson, Hayes, and Hitchcock counties, much of which was known as Shorter County in 1860. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 783.22 (land 776.22; water 7). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 614. **State rank:** 3134. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.4%; 2000-2005 -10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 670 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,518; median household $39,261; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,839 - $28,279.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREELEY COUNTY**
PO Box 287
Greeley, NE 68842
www.greeleycounty.ne.gov
**Ph:** 308-428-3625
**Fax:** 308-428-3022

In east-central NE, north of Grand Island; organized Mar 1, 1871 from Boone County. **Name Origin:** For Horace Greeley (1811-72), editor who championed westward expansion.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.66 (land 569.81; water 0.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,538. **State rank:** 3022. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,512 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,235; median household $41,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,210 - $32,221.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HALL COUNTY**
121 S Pine St
Grand Island, NE 68801
www.hcgi.org
**Ph:** 308-385-5080
**Fax:** 308-385-5184

In south-central NE, west of Lincoln; original county; organized Nov 4, 1858 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Augustus Hall (1814-61), U.S. representative from IA (1855-57) and chief justice of NE Territory (1858-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 552.12 (land 546.29; water 5.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 107.3.

**Pop 2010:** 58,607. **State rank:** 876. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 55,104 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 23.3%; Asian 1.0%; Others 23.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.9%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,552; median household $46,138; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,311 - $36,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grand Island (48,520).

**HAMILTON COUNTY**
1111 13th St
Aurora, NE 68818
www.co.hamilton.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-694-4366
**Fax:** 402-694-2397

In south-central NE, east of Grand Island; organized Feb 16, 1867 from York County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 545.97 (land 542.88; water 3.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.8.

**Pop 2010:** 9,124. **State rank:** 2482. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,568 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,240; median household $50,702; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,215 - $42,379.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARLAN COUNTY**
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Alma, NE 68920
**Ph:** 308-928-2173
**Fax:** 308-928-2079

On the central southern border of NE, southwest of Kearney; organized Jun 3, 1871 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For either Thomas Harlan, a local official, or for his uncle, James Harlan (1820-99), U.S. senator from IA (1855-65; 1867-73) and U.S. secretary of the interior (1865-66).

**Area (sq mi):** 574.87 (land 553.47; water 21.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.2.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Harlan County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 3,423. **State rank:** 2950. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,462 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,050; median household $44,656; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,379 - $39,004.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAYES COUNTY

505 Troth St PO Box 370 **Ph:** 308-286-3413
Hayes Center, NE 69032 **Fax:** 308-286-3208
www.hayescounty.ne.gov

In south-central NE, southwest of North Platte; organized Feb 19, 1877 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Rutherford Birchard Hayes (1822-93), nineteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 713.28 (land 713.06; water 0.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 967. **State rank:** 3109. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.8%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,027 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,977; median household $45,595; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,312 - $54,966.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HITCHCOCK COUNTY

PO Box 248 **Ph:** 308-334-5646
Trenton, NE 69044 **Fax:** 308-334-5398
www.co.hitchcock.ne.us

On the central southern border of NE, south of North Platte; organized Feb 27, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Phineas Warrener Hitchcock (1831-81), U.S. senator from NE (1871-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 718.48 (land 709.94; water 8.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,908. **State rank:** 2982. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,970 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,853; median household $35,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,389 - $36,325.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOLT COUNTY

PO Box 329 **Ph:** 402-336-1762
O'Neill, NE 68763
www.co.holt.ne.us

In north-central NE; organized Jan 9, 1862 from Elkhorn County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Holt (1807-94), U.S. Postmaster General (1859-61); secretary of war (1861), and judge advocate general for the U.S. army (1862-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,417.39 (land 2,412.40; water 4.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,435. **State rank:** 2431. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,784 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,498; median household $43,452; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,172 - $40,404.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOOKER COUNTY

PO Box 184 **Ph:** 308-546-2245
Mullen, NE 69152 **Fax:** 308-546-2490
www.co.hooker.ne.us

In west-central NE, northwest of North Platte; organized Mar 29, 1889 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Hooker (1814-79), famous Union general during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.46 (land 721.12; water 0.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 736. **State rank:** 3123. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 744 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,197; median household $38,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,861 - $28,971.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOWARD COUNTY

612 Indian St PO Box 25 **Ph:** 308-754-4343
Saint Paul, NE 68873 **Fax:** 308-754-4266
www.howardcounty.ne.gov

In east-central NE, north of Grand Island; organized Mar 1, 1871 from Hall County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Oliver Otis Howard (1830-1909), Union officer in the Seminole War and the Civil War; president of Howard University (1869-73). Others believe it was for Howard Paul, son of an early settler, whose family founded Saint Paul, the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.61 (land 569.34; water 6.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.

**Pop 2010:** 6,274. **State rank:** 2718. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,708 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.3.

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## Howard County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,325; median household $45,453; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,631 - $36,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

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Fairbury, NE 68352
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On the southern border of NE, southwest of Lincoln. Organized 1864; combined with Jones County 1867; both counties dissolved 1871 and eastern part (Jones County) named Jefferson. Original Jones County probably established Jan 26, 1856. Jefferson County attached to Gage County for judicial purposes between 1857 and 1864. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.67 (land 570.19; water 2.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,547. **State rank:** 2646. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,925 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,976; median household $42,665; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,532 - $36,115.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JOHNSON COUNTY

PO Box 416
Tecumseh, NE 68450
www.co.johnson.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-335-6300
**Fax:** 402-335-6311

In southeastern NE, southeast of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 2, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Col. Richard Mentor Johnson (1781-1850), officer in the War of 1812, U.S. senator from KY (1819-29), and U.S. vice president under Van Buren (1837-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 376.74 (land 376.05; water 0.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.9.

**Pop 2010:** 5,217. **State rank:** 2821. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.1%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,695 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 1.4%; Others 8.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,606; median household $42,083; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,807 - $31,839.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KEARNEY COUNTY

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Minden, NE 68959
www.kearneycounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 308-832-2723
**Fax:** 308-832-2729

In south-central NE, southwest of Grand Island; original county; organized Jan 10, 1860 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Fort Kearny, itself named for Gen. Stephen Watts Kearny (1794-1848), officer in the War of 1812 and the Mexican-American War. The *e* in the last syllable was added in 1857, reason unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 516.35 (land 516.24; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,489. **State rank:** 2715. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,774 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,227; median household $54,518; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,209 - $44,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KEITH COUNTY

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Ogallala, NE 69153
www.co.keith.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-284-4726
**Fax:** 308-284-6277

In west-central NE, west of North Platte; organized May 3, 1873 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For either Morrill C. Keith, the grandfather of NE governor Keith Morrill (1917-19), or John Keith, a prominent citizen of North Platte.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,110.11 (land 1,061.60; water 48.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,368. **State rank:** 2607. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,330 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,315; median household $42,898; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,286 - $32,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KEYA PAHA COUNTY

310 Courthouse Dr PO Box 349
Springview, NE 68778
www.co.keya-paha.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-497-3791
**Fax:** 402-497-3799

On the central northern border of NE; organized Nov 4, 1884 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the Keya Paha River, which flows through the northeastern part of the county. From Dakota Indian *keya* 'turtle' and *paha* 'hill,' for a turtle-shaped hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 773.96 (land 773.07; water 0.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 824. **State rank:** 3120. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.6%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 902 (White 99.2%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 50.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Keya Paha County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,691; median household $32,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,252 - $37,823.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KIMBALL COUNTY

114 E 3rd St, Suite 6
Kimball, NE 69145
www.co.kimball.ne.us

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**Fax:** 308-235-3654

In the southwestern corner of NE, south of Scottsbluff; organized Nov 6, 1888 from Cheyenne County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Lord Kimball (1831-99), vice president of the Union Pacific Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 952.43 (land 951.85; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,821. **State rank:** 2927. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,782 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.4%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,263; median household $42,010; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,298 - $37,123.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KNOX COUNTY

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Center, NE 68724
www.co.knox.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-288-5604
**Fax:** 402-288-5605

On the northeastern border of NE, northwest of Sioux City, IA. Original county; organized as L'Eau Qui Court County, Feb 10, 1857 (prior to statehood); name changed to Emmett County; then to present name Feb 21, 1873. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,139.88 (land 1,108.35; water 31.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,701. **State rank:** 2561. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,916 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 9.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,894; median household $36,798; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,636 - $33,932.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LANCASTER COUNTY

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Lincoln, NE 68508
www.lancaster.ne.gov

**Ph:** 402-441-7484
**Fax:** 402-441-8728

In southeastern NE, southwest of Omaha; original county, organized Mar 6, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lancaster County, PA, former home of many settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 845.38 (land 837.55; water 7.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 340.8.

**Pop 2010:** 285,407. **State rank:** 227. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.8%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 264,814 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 3.5%; Others 5.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 32.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,949; median household $50,849; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,680 - $37,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lincoln 🏛 (258,379).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

301 N Jeffers St
North Platte, NE 69101
www.co.lincoln.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-534-4350
**Fax:** 308-535-3527

In south-central NE, north of McCook; organized as Shorter County Jan 7, 1860 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory (contained the paper counties of Grant and Jackson in 1870); name changed 1866. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,575.19 (land 2,564.07; water 11.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.2.

**Pop 2010:** 36,288. **State rank:** 1275. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,636 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.2%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,319; median household $45,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,271 - $38,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** North Platte 🏛 (24,733).

### LOGAN COUNTY

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Stapleton, NE 69163
www.co.logan.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-636-2311
**Fax:** 308-636-2333

In central NE, north of North Platte; organized Feb 24, 1885 from Custer County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Alexander Logan (1826-86), officer in the Mexican-American War and Civil War; U.S. senator from IL (1871-77; 1879-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 571.12 (land 570.66; water 0.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 763. **State rank:** 3122. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 740 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 43.3.

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## Logan County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,320; median household $45,192; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,827 - $37,558.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOUP COUNTY**
408 4th St
Taylor, NE 68879
www.co.loup.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-942-3135
**Fax:** 308-942-3103

In central NE, northeast of North Platte; organized as Taylor County Mar 6, 1855 from unorganized territory (prior to statehood); name changed Jul 23, 1883. **Name Origin:** For the Loup River, which flows through the county; itself named for the Pawnee Loup Indians. Name is French translation of Pawnee *skidi* 'wolf.'

**Area (sq mi):** 569.60 (land 568.29; water 1.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 632. **State rank:** 3127. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.9%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 686 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.0%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 48.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,004; median household $34,219; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,521 - $23,009.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
1313 N Main St
Madison, NE 68748
www.co.madison.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-454-3311
**Fax:** 402-454-6682

In east-central NE, northwest of Omaha; organized Dec 1867 from Platte County. **Name Origin:** For either James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president, or for Madison County, WI, former home of early German settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.23 (land 572.74; water 2.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.9.

**Pop 2010:** 34,876. **State rank:** 1301. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 35,488 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 12.9%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,157; median household $44,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,064 - $35,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Norfolk (24,210).

**MCPHERSON COUNTY**
500 Anderson PO Box 122
Tryon, NE 69167

**Ph:** 308-587-2363

In central NE, north of North Platte; boundaries set Mar 31, 1887 from Lincoln and Keith counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Birdseye McPherson (1828-64), commander of the Union army in Tennessee during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 860.02 (land 858.98; water 1.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 539. **State rank:** 3136. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 507 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.4%). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,000; median household $50,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,415 - $19,800.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MERRICK COUNTY**
1510 18th St PO Box 27
Central City, NE 68826
www.merrickcounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 308-946-2881
**Fax:** 308-946-2332

In east-central NE, northeast of Grand Island; original county; organized Nov 4, 1858 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Elvira Merrick De Puy, wife of Rep. Henry W. De Puy, who introduced the bill for the county's establishment.

**Area (sq mi):** 494.73 (land 484.88; water 9.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,845. **State rank:** 2612. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,066 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,819; median household $46,116; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,408 - $36,058.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORRILL COUNTY**
PO Box 610
Bridgeport, NE 69336
www.co.morrill.ne.us

**Ph:** 308-262-0860
**Fax:** 308-262-1469

In western NE, east of Scottsbluff; organized Nov 3, 1908 from Cheyenne County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Henry Morrill, regent of the University of Nebraska (1890-1903).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,429.90 (land 1,423.84; water 6.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,042. **State rank:** 2836. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,165 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 13.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,367; median household $37,717; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,739 - $40,939.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**NANCE COUNTY**
209 Esther St PO Box 338
Fullerton, NE 68638
www.co.nance.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-536-2331
**Fax:** 308-536-2742

In east-central NE, northeast of Grand Island; organized Feb 4, 1879 from Merrick County, encompassing the entire former Pawnee Reservation. **Name Origin:** For Albinus Nance (1848-1911), governor of NE (1879-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 448.36 (land 441.63; water 6.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,735. **State rank:** 2933. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,666 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,457; median household $41,610; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,232 - $37,236.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEMAHA COUNTY**
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Auburn, NE 68305
www.visitnemahacounty.org
**Ph:** 402-274-4285
**Fax:** 402-274-4389

On the southeastern border of NE, southeast of Lincoln; original county, organized Mar 7, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Nemaha River, which flows through the county; itself named from the Otoe Indian word *nimaha* 'murky water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 409.96 (land 407.38; water 2.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.8.

**Pop 2010:** 7,248. **State rank:** 2681. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,965 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,151; median household $42,534; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,363 - $36,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NUCKOLLS COUNTY**
150 S Main PO Box 366
Nelson, NE 68961
www.nuckollscounty.ne.gov
**Ph:** 402-225-4361
**Fax:** 402-225-4301

On the southern border of NE, southeast of Grand Island; organized Jun 27, 1871 from unorganized territory; a county originally named Nuckolls is now Thayer County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Friel Nuckolls (1825-79), pioneer, NE territorial legislator (1859), and U.S. representative from WY (1869-71).

**Area (sq mi):** 575.82 (land 575.16; water 0.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,500. **State rank:** 2872. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.0%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,739 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 49.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,299; median household $31,761; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,822 - $37,302.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OTOE COUNTY**
PO Box 249
Nebraska City, NE 68410
www.co.otoe.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-873-9505
**Fax:** 402-873-9506

On the southeastern border of NE, southeast of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 2, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Siouan linguistic stock; meaning uncertain, but said to be 'lechers,' either as 'lovers' or in the pejorative sense. The name seems to be a shortened version of a Siouan or possibly French name.

**Area (sq mi):** 619.03 (land 615.63; water 3.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,740. **State rank:** 2082. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,509 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,773; median household $47,493; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,599 - $36,308.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PAWNEE COUNTY**
625 6th St PO Box 431
Pawnee City, NE 68420
www.co.pawnee.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-852-2962
**Fax:** 402-852-2963

In southeastern NE, southeast of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 6, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Caddoan linguistic stock. The name may mean 'horn,' for the shape of their forelock; they called themselves 'civilized people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 432.46 (land 431.08; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,773. **State rank:** 2996. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,878 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 49.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,865; median household $41,969; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,414 - $34,963.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PERKINS COUNTY**
PO Box 156
Grant, NE 69140
www.co.perkins.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-352-4643
**Fax:** 308-352-2455

In west-central NE, west of North Platte; organized Nov 8, 1887 from

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## Perkins County (cont'd)

Keith County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Elliott Perkins (1807-1907), president of the Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy Railroad. Locally it is also said to be for Joseph Perkins, an early resident.

**Area (sq mi):** 884.44 (land 883.34; water 1.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,970. **State rank:** 2986. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,057 (White 97.1%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,542; median household $47,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,405 - $41,551.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PHELPS COUNTY**
PO Box 404
Holdrege, NE 68949
www.phelpsgov.org
**Ph:** 308-995-4469
**Fax:** 308-995-4368

In south-central NE, southwest of Grand Island; organized Feb 11, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Capt. William Phelps (1808-?), an early settler and former Missouri River steamboat captain.

**Area (sq mi):** 540.43 (land 539.79; water 0.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 9,188. **State rank:** 2506. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,449 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,951; median household $45,221; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,483 - $42,828.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIERCE COUNTY**
111 W Court St, Rm 1
Pierce, NE 68767
www.co.pierce.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-329-4225
**Fax:** 402-329-6439

In northeast NE, southwest of Sioux City, IA; organized Jan 26, 1856 from Madison County. **Name Origin:** For Franklin Pierce (1804-69), fourteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.59 (land 573.25; water 1.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,266. **State rank:** 2651. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,600 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,419; median household $48,318; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,455 - $37,314.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PLATTE COUNTY**
2610 14th St
Columbus, NE 68601
www.plattecounty.net
**Ph:** 402-563-4904
**Fax:** 402-564-4164

In east-central NE, northwest of Omaha; original county; organized as Loup County Jan 26, 1856 (prior to statehood); name changed 1859. **Name Origin:** For the Platte River, which forms part of its southern border; from French for 'flat' or 'still.'

**Area (sq mi):** 685.07 (land 674.06; water 11.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.8.

**Pop 2010:** 32,237. **State rank:** 1360. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 31,262 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 13.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 13.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,358; median household $49,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,602 - $37,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbus (22,111).

**POLK COUNTY**
PO Box 276
Osceola, NE 68651
www.polkcounty.ne.gov
**Ph:** 402-747-5431
**Fax:** 402-747-2656

In east-central NE, west of Omaha; boundaries established Jan 26, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Butler County. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 440.23 (land 438.35; water 1.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,406. **State rank:** 2820. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,421 (White 97.9%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,831; median household $48,444; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,627 - $44,265.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RED WILLOW COUNTY**
502 Norris Ave
McCook, NE 69001
www.co.red-willow.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-345-1552
**Fax:** 308-345-4460

On the central southern border of NE, south of North Platte; organized Feb 27, 1873 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Red Willow Creek, which runs through the county; a mistranslation of the Dakota term for 'Red Dogwood Creek,' for the trees that grow there.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.39 (land 716.99; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,055. **State rank:** 2379. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,060 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Red Willow County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,246; median household $41,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,580 - $37,090.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RICHARDSON COUNTY

1700 Stone St
Falls City, NE 68355
www.co.richardson.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-245-2911
**Fax:** 402-245-2946

In the southeastern corner of NE, southeast of Lincoln; original county; organized Mar 7, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Maj. William A. Richardson (1811-75), officer in the Mexican-American War, U.S. senator from IL (1863-65), and governor of NE Territory (1858).

**Area (sq mi):** 554.54 (land 551.84; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,363. **State rank:** 2578. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,732 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,516; median household $35,165; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,887 - $35,827.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROCK COUNTY

400 State St
Bassett, NE 68714
www.co.rock.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-684-3933
**Fax:** 402-684-2741

In north-central NE; organized Nov 6, 1888 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the rocky soil.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,011.72 (land 1,008.32; water 3.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,526. **State rank:** 3081. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,567 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 49.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,871; median household $39,159; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,313 - $34,418.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SALINE COUNTY

215 S Court St PO Box 865
Wilber, NE 68465
www.co.saline.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-821-2374
**Fax:** 402-821-3381

In southeastern NE, southwest of Lincoln; organized Feb 18, 1867 from Gage and Lancaster counties. **Name Origin:** In the unfounded belief that extensive salt springs or deposits could be found within its boundaries.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.75 (land 574.02; water 0.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,200. **State rank:** 2164. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 14,195 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 20.2%; Asian 1.6%; Others 20.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,431; median household $45,469; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,567 - $33,232.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SARPY COUNTY

1210 Golden Gate Dr, Suite 1118
Papillion, NE 68046
www.co.sarpy.ne.us

**Ph:** 402-593-2105
**Fax:** 402-593-4360

On the central eastern border of NE, south of Omaha; organized Feb 7, 1857 from Douglas County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Peter A. Sarpy (1805-65), an early settler, trader and quartermaster for NE volunteer regiment (1855).

**Area (sq mi):** 245.75 (land 238.99; water 6.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 664.6.

**Pop 2010:** 158,840. **State rank:** 402. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.0%; 2000-2005 +13.7%. **Pop 2005:** 139,371 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 2.1%; Others 7.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 32.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,212; median household $68,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,632 - $39,548.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bellevue (50,137); Papillion 🏛 (18,894); La Vista (15,758); Chalco (10,994).

### SAUNDERS COUNTY

433 N Chestnut St, Suite 300 PO Box 61
Wahoo, NE 68066
www.saunderscounty.ne.gov

**Ph:** 402-443-8101
**Fax:** 402-443-8174

In east-central NE, west of Omaha; organized as Calhoun County Jan 26, 1856 (prior to statehood); name changed Jan 8, 1862. **Name Origin:** For Alvin Saunders (1817-99), NE Territory governor (1861-67) and U.S. senator from NE (1877-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 755.15 (land 750.23; water 4.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,780. **State rank:** 1813. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,458 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,898; median household $57,699; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,722 - $39,411.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

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57.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTTS BLUFF COUNTY**
1825 10th St
Gering, NE 69341
www.scottsbluffcounty.org
**Ph:** 308-436-6600
**Fax:** 308-436-3178

On western border of NE; organized Nov 6, 1888 from Cheyenne County. **Name Origin:** For the prominent bluff on the North Platte River, named for Hiram Scott, a member of the Bonneville expedition of 1832, who died there.

**Area (sq mi):** 745.62 (land 739.40; water 6.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.

**Pop 2010:** 36,970. **State rank:** 1241. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 36,752 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 21.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 21.1%, including 2.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,212; median household $39,004; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,495 - $35,375.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Scottsbluff (15,039).

**SEWARD COUNTY**
529 Seward St PO Box 190
Seward, NE 68434
www.connectseward.org/cgov
**Ph:** 402-643-2883
**Fax:** 402-643-9243

In east-central NE, west of Lincoln; organized as Greene County Jan 26, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Lancaster County; name changed Jan 3, 1862 when Gen. Greene of Missouri joined the Confederacy. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Seward (1801-72), U.S. secretary of state (1861-69) who negotiated the purchase of Alaska (1867).

**Area (sq mi):** 572.40 (land 571.43; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,750. **State rank:** 1997. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,739 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,386; median household $55,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,698 - $38,799.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHERIDAN COUNTY**
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Rushville, NE 69360
www.sheridancountynebraska.com
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**Fax:** 308-327-5624

On the northern border of NE, northeast of Scottsbluff; organized Feb 25, 1885 from Sioux County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-88), Union officer during the Civil War and commander in chief of the U.S. army (1883-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,469.81 (land 2,440.86; water 28.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 5,469. **State rank:** 2805. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,668 (White 84.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 11.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,066; median household $33,608; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,719 - $32,315.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHERMAN COUNTY**
PO Box 456
Loup City, NE 68853
www.co.sherman.ne.us
**Ph:** 308-745-1513
**Fax:** 308-745-0297

In central NE, northwest of Grand Island; organized Mar 1, 1871 from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman (1820-91), officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War, remembered for his march to the sea through the South.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.61 (land 565.83; water 5.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,152. **State rank:** 2975. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,112 (White 99.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,900; median household $38,631; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,837 - $31,185.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SIOUX COUNTY**
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Harrison, NE 69346
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**Ph:** 308-668-2443
**Fax:** 308-668-2443

On the northwestern border of NE, north of Scottsbluff; organized Feb 19, 1877 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the Sioux Indian tribe, also known as the Dakotas.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,067.47 (land 2,066.74; water 0.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,311. **State rank:** 3094. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.1%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,458 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,824; median household $42,386; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,449 - $38,362.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**STANTON COUNTY**
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Stanton, NE 68779
www.co.stanton.ne.us
**Ph:** 402-439-2222
**Fax:** 402-439-2200

In east-central NE, west of Norfolk; organized Jan 10, 1862 from Dodge County; previously called Izard County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin McMasters Stanton (1814-69), U.S. secretary of war under Abraham Lincoln and Andrew Johnson (1862-68).

**Area (sq mi):** 429.18 (land 427.95; water 1.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,129. **State rank:** 2730. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,534 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 4.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,018; median household $47,713; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,326 - $37,104.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**THAYER COUNTY**
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Hebron, NE 68370
www.thayercounty.ne.go
**Ph:** 402-768-6126
**Fax:** 402-768-2129

On the southern border of NE, southwest of Lincoln; organized as Jefferson County 1867; name changed 1871. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Milton Thayer (1820-1906), an officer in the Civil War, U.S. senator from NE (1867-71), and governor (1887-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 574.56 (land 573.81; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,228. **State rank:** 2825. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 -10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,436 (White 97.9%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,648; median household $39,159; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,050 - $38,864.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**THOMAS COUNTY**
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Thedford, NE 69166
www.thomascountynebraska.us
**Ph:** 308-645-2261
**Fax:** 308-645-2623

In central NE, north of North Platte; organized Mar 31, 1887 from Blaine County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Henry Thomas (1816-70), Union commander of the Army of the Cumberland.

**Area (sq mi):** 714.03 (land 713.24; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 647. **State rank:** 3133. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -14.5%. **Pop 2005:** 623 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,499; median household $48,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,453 - $36,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**THURSTON COUNTY**
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Pender, NE 68047
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**Fax:** 402-385-3544

On the northeastern border of NE, south of Sioux City, IA; organized as Blackbird County Mar 7, 1865 from Burt County; name changed in 1889. **Name Origin:** For John Mellen Thurston (1847-1916), U.S. senator from NE (1895-1901), active in establishing the county. Originally named for either Chief Blackbird of the Omaha Indians, or Black Bird, for their mythological Thunder Bird.

**Area (sq mi):** 396.02 (land 393.58; water 2.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,940. **State rank:** 2642. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.8%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,365 (White 40.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.7%, including 57.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 29.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,686; median household $39,048; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,677 - $34,494.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VALLEY COUNTY**
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Ord, NE 68862
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**Fax:** 308-728-7725

In central NE, northwest of Grand Island; organized Mar 1, 1871 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the North Loup River valley, which comprises the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.46 (land 568.05; water 2.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,260. **State rank:** 2887. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 -5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,402 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,058; median household $38,588; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,971 - $39,677.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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Blair, NE 68008
www.co.washington.ne.us
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**Fax:** 402-426-6825

On the central eastern border of NE, north of Omaha; original county; organized at 1854 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.23 (land 389.96; water 3.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.9.

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**Pop 2010:** 20,234. **State rank:** 1834. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,772 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,884; median household $61,940; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,836 - $42,788.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
510 Pearl St PO Box 248 **Ph:** 402-375-2288
Wayne, NE 68787 **Fax:** 402-375-4137
www.waynecountyne.org

In northeastern NE, southwest of Sioux City, IA; organized 1870 from Thurston County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 442.97 (land 442.92; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,595. **State rank:** 2490. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,211 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 29.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,681; median household $45,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,617 - $34,286.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEBSTER COUNTY**
PO Box 250 **Ph:** 402-746-2716
Red Cloud, NE 68970 **Fax:** 402-746-2710
www.co.webster.ne.us

On the central southern border of NE, south of Grand Island; organized Feb 16, 1867 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.04 (land 574.91; water 0.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,812. **State rank:** 2935. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,762 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,906; median household $38,015; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,215 - $34,314.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WHEELER COUNTY**
301 3rd St PO Box 127 **Ph:** 308-654-3235
Bartlett, NE 68622 **Fax:** 308-654-3470
www.wheelercounty.ne.gov

In north-central NE, north of Grand Island; organized Feb 17, 1877 from Boone County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel H. Wheeler (1834-1912), a state official.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.59 (land 575.18; water 0.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 818. **State rank:** 3121. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 820 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,614; median household $37,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,080 - $38,878.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YORK COUNTY**
510 Lincoln Ave **Ph:** 402-362-7759
York, NE 68467 **Fax:** 402-362-7558
www.yorkcounty.ne.gov

In south-central NE, west of Lincoln; original county; boundaries defined Mar 13, 1855 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Either for York, England, named by Alfred D. Jones. Or for York County, PA, former home of early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.87 (land 572.51; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,665. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,397 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,412; median household $47,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,607 - $40,395.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**Area (sq mi):** 110,560.70 (land 109,825.99; water 734.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,700,551. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.8%; 2000-2005 +20.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,414,807 (White 66.2%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 26.5%; Asian 7.2%; Others 26.5%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,997; median household $55,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.90%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,872 - $36,938.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.2%.

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**CARSON CITY (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Carson City, NV 89701
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In western NV near the Carson River and Lake Tahoe, 28 mi. south of Reno. Laid out 1858 by Maj. William M. Omsby; county seat since 1861; independent city 1969; state capital. City government consolidated with county. **Name Origin:** For frontiersman Christopher Kit Carson (1809-68). Previously called Eagle Station.

**Area (sq mi):** 156.97 (land 144.66; water 12.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 382.1.

**Pop 2010:** 55,274. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 56,062 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 21.3%; Asian 2.1%; Others 21.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.6%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,568; median household $52,067; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,386 - $40,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHURCHILL COUNTY**
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In west-central NV, east of Reno; original county, organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Fort Churchill, which was named for either Charles C. Churchill, an officer of the Third U.S. Artillery Regiment, or possibly Gen. Sylvester Churchill (1783-1862), an officer in the War of 1812 and the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,024.76 (land 4,930.46; water 94.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.

**Pop 2010:** 24,877. **State rank:** 1597. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,556 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 2.7%; Others 12.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,997; median household $51,597; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,915 - $40,581.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLARK COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 702-455-4626

In the southeastern corner of NV; organized Feb 5, 1908 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For William Andrews Clark (1839-1925), U.S. senator from MT (1899-1900; 1901-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 8,071.75 (land 7,891.43; water 180.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 247.3.

**Pop 2010:** 1,951,269. **State rank:** 15. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.1%; 2000-2005 +24.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,710,551 (White 60.9%; Black or African American 10.5%; Hispanic or Latino 29.1%; Asian 8.7%; Others 29.1%, including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 22.1%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,422; median household $56,258; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,105 - $35,723.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +10.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 1.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 40 for cities).

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
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Minden, NV 89423
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On the southwestern border of NV, south of Reno; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 737.52 (land 709.72; water 27.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.2.

**Pop 2010:** 46,997. **State rank:** 1044. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +14.0%. **Pop 2005:** 47,017 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 10.9%; Asian 1.5%; Others 10.9%,

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including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,239; median household $60,721; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,518 - $52,084.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.9%. **Change from 2007:** +10.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gardnerville Ranchos (11,312).

**ELKO COUNTY**
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Elko, NV 89801
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**Fax:** 775-753-8535

On the northeastern border of NV; organized Mar 5, 1869 from Lander County. **Name Origin:** For the town; meaning of name is undetermined, possibly *elk* plus *-o*, a typical railroad name. It has been suggested that the town was named for elk (the animal) or that the word is an Indian term meaning 'first white woman.'

**Area (sq mi):** 17,193.74 (land 17,169.83; water 23.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 48,818. **State rank:** 1000. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 45,570 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 22.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 22.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.3%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,879; median household $67,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,318 - $37,869.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elko (18,297); Spring Creek (12,361).

**ESMERALDA COUNTY**
PO Box 547
Goldfield, NV 89013
**Ph:** 775-485-6309
**Fax:** 775-485-6376

On the central southern border of NV with CA; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Esmeralda Mining District, from Spanish emerald, for the stones found there.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,582.38 (land 3,581.88; water 0.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.2.

**Pop 2010:** 783. **State rank:** 3130. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -18.9%. **Pop 2005:** 787 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 15.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 15.3%, including 4.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.3%. **Median age:** 52.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,571; median household $39,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,150 - $37,683.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EUREKA COUNTY**
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Eureka, NV 89316
www.co.eureka.nv.us
**Ph:** 775-237-5262
**Fax:** 775-237-6015

In east-central NV; organized Mar 1, 1873 from Lander County. **Name Origin:** For the Eureka Mining District, from Greek I have found it.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,179.96 (land 4,175.68; water 4.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,987. **State rank:** 3071. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +39.1%; 2000-2005 -13.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,428 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 12.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 12.0%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,306; median household $61,400; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,882 - $32,876.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the northern border of NV; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Little Humboldt River, which runs through the county; named for Alexander von Humboldt (1769-1859), German explorer and naturalist.

**Area (sq mi):** 9,650.72 (land 9,640.76; water 9.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,528. **State rank:** 1898. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 17,129 (White 79.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 24.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 24.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.9%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,965; median household $55,656; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,191 - $40,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LANDER COUNTY**
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Battle Mountain, NV 89820
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**Fax:** 775-635-5761

In central NV; organized Dec 19, 1862 (prior to statehood). Originally encompassed a third of the state and was called Great East and later mother of counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Frederick William Lander (1822-62), Union army officer, surveyor, and Indian agent.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,515.95 (land 5,490.11; water 25.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,775. **State rank:** 2817. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 -11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,114 (White 84.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 21.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 21.1%, including 4.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,287; median household $66,525; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lander County (cont'd)

$34,439 - $41,818.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 775-962-5180

On the southeast border of NV, north of Las Vegas; organized Feb 25, 1866. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S.president.

**Area (sq mi):** 10,636.37 (land 10,633.20; water 3.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,345. **State rank:** 2842. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.7%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,391 (White 91.1%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.2%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,148; median household $44,695; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,150 - $21,310.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LYON COUNTY**
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Yerington, NV 89447
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**Fax:** 775-463-6599

In southwestern NV, southeast of Reno; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For either Gen. Nathaniel Lyon (1818-61), an officer in the Seminole War, Mexican-American War, and Civil War, or for Capt. Robert Lyon, a hero of the Indian Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,023.90 (land 2,001.19; water 22.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.

**Pop 2010:** 51,980. **State rank:** 931. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 +37.7%. **Pop 2005:** 47,515 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 14.8%; Asian 1.4%; Others 14.8%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,041; median household $48,433; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,616 - $27,608.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.7%. **Change from 2007:** +13.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fernley (19,368).

**MINERAL COUNTY**
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Hawthorne, NV 89415
**Ph:** 775-945-3676
**Fax:** 775-945-0706

On the southwestern border of NV with CA, southeast of Reno; organized Feb 10, 1911 from Esmeralda County. **Name Origin:** For the profusion of various minerals in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,809.40 (land 3,752.84; water 56.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,772. **State rank:** 2846. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,910 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 9.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 9.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,226; median household $35,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,235 - $34,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NYE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 775-482-8133

In south-central NV; organized Feb 16, 1864 from Esmeralda County; largest county in NV. **Name Origin:** For James Warren Nye (1814-76), NY statesman, governor of NV Territory (1861-64), and U.S. senator from NV (1864-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 18,193.99 (land 18,181.92; water 12.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 43,946. **State rank:** 1069. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +24.6%. **Pop 2005:** 40,477 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 1.3%; Others 13.6%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.7%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,687; median household $41,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,226 - $31,349.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18%. **Change from 2007:** +11.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pahrump (36,441).

**PERSHING COUNTY**
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Lovelock, NV 89419
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In west-central NV northeast of Reno; organized Mar 18, 1919 from Humboldt County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Joseph Black Jack Pershing (1860-1948), an officer who served in Cuba, the Philippines, and Manchuria; commander in chief of the American Expeditionary Force (1917-18) during WWI, and U.S. army chief of staff (1921-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 6,067.55 (land 6,036.56; water 30.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,753. **State rank:** 2734. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,360 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 22.3%; Asian 1.3%; Others 22.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.2%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,519; median household $56,491; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,154 - $23,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

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## Pershing County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STOREY COUNTY

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Virginia City, NV 89440
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**Fax:** 775-847-0949

In southwestern NV, east of Reno; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Capt. Edward Faris Storey (?-1860), army officer killed by Paiute Indians at Pyramid Lake.

**Area (sq mi):** 263.26 (land 262.92; water 0.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,010. **State rank:** 2865. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +19.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,074 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 1.6%; Others 5.7%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,079; median household $61,525; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,132 - $34,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +9.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 80.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHOE COUNTY

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Reno, NV 89520
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**Fax:** 775-328-3582

On the western border of NV; original county; organized Nov 25, 1861 (prior to statehood); in 1883 annexed Roop County (called Lake County until 1862), which was also an original county. **Name Origin:** For the Washo or Washiu Indian tribe in northwestern NV and adjacent areas of CA. Their name has been translated as 'person,' 'tall bunch grass,' and 'rye grass.' The first seems most probable.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,511.42 (land 6,302.37; water 209.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.9.

**Pop 2010:** 421,407. **State rank:** 157. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +14.8%. **Pop 2005:** 389,872 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 22.2%; Asian 5.2%; Others 22.2%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.3%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,687; median household $55,658; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,293 - $42,134.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Reno (225,221); Sparks (90,264); Sun Valley (19,299); Spanish Springs (15,064).

### WHITE PINE COUNTY

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Ely, NV 89301
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On the central eastern border of NV; organized Mar 2, 1869 from Lander County. **Name Origin:** For the White Pine Mining District, itself named for the area's many pine trees.

**Area (sq mi):** 8,896.27 (land 8,875.65; water 20.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,030. **State rank:** 2493. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,994 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 13.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 13.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,615; median household $48,545; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,072 - $36,940.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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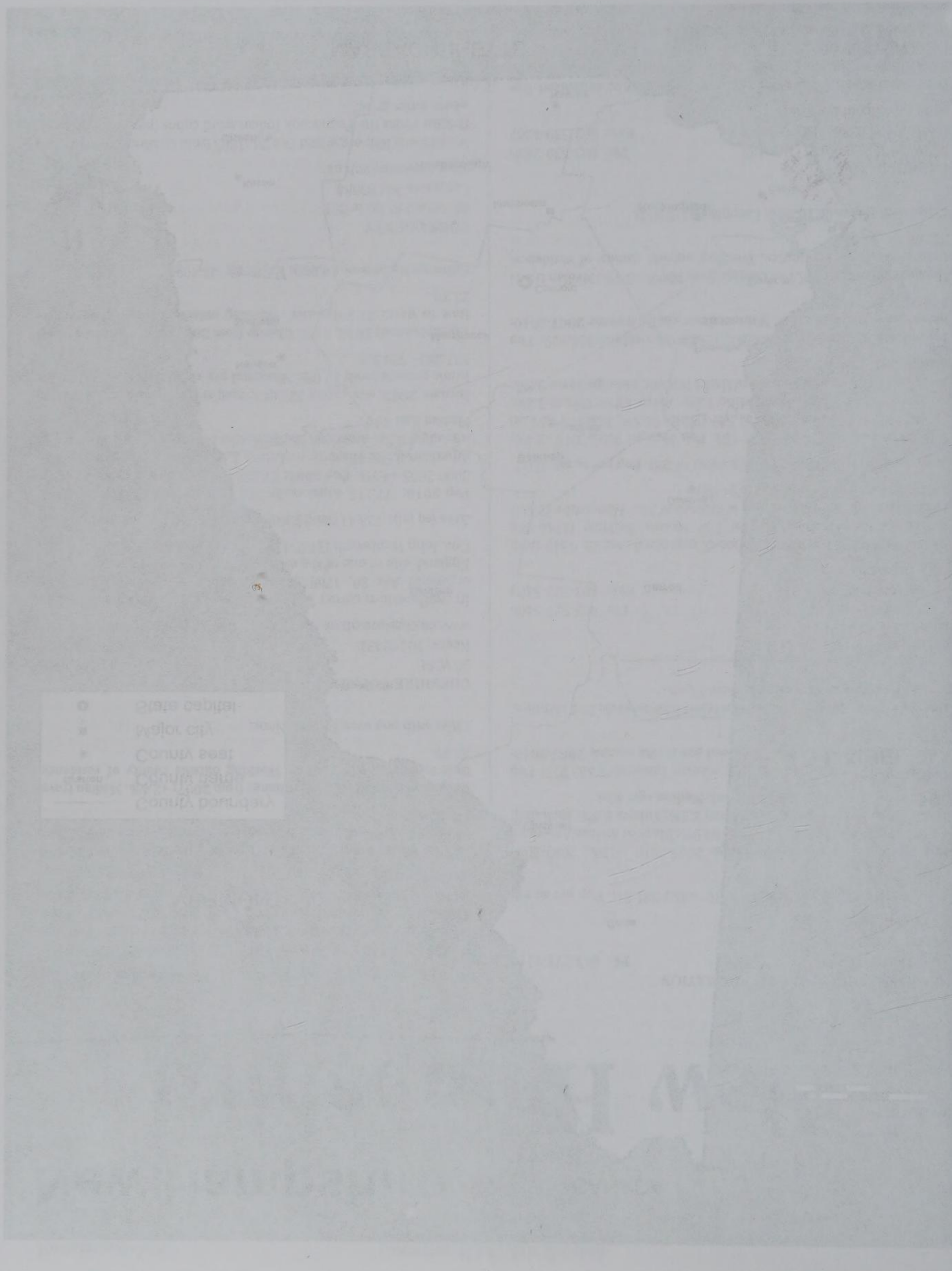

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**Area (sq mi):** 9,349.94 (land 8,968.10; water 381.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 147.

**Pop 2010:** 1,316,470. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,309,940 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $44,084; median household $63,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,984 - $43,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.3%.

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**BELKNAP COUNTY**
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Laconia, NH 03246
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In east-central NH, north of Concord; organized Dec 22, 1840 from Strafford County. **Name Origin:** For Jeremy Belknap (1744-98), clergyman and historian, author of *History of New Hampshire* (1784-92) and *American Biography* (1794-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 467.49 (land 400.23; water 67.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 150.1.

**Pop 2010:** 60,088. **State rank:** 834. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 61,547 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,517; median household $54,929; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,022 - $40,769.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laconia 🏛 (15,951).

**CARROLL COUNTY**
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On central eastern border of NH, north of Laconia; organized Dec 22, 1840 from Strafford, Coos, and Grafton counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD, and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 989.50 (land 931.06; water 58.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.4.

**Pop 2010:** 47,818. **State rank:** 1001. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 47,439 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,411; median household $49,897; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,938 - $41,316.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHESHIRE COUNTY**
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Keene, NH 03431
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In southwestern corner of NH, west of Manchester;original county, organized Apr 29, 1769. **Name Origin:** For Cheshire county in England, site of one of the estates of the Wentworths; named by NH Gov. John Wentworth (1737-1820) on its establishment.

**Area (sq mi):** 728.41 (land 706.66; water 21.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.1.

**Pop 2010:** 77,117. **State rank:** 700. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 77,287 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,045; median household $53,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,283 - $39,306.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Keene 🏛 (23,409).

**COOS COUNTY**
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In northern NH; organized Dec 24, 1803 from Grafton County. **Name Origin:** From the Pennacook Indian word *cohos* 'pine tree' or 'place where pines grow.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,825.75 (land 1,794.69; water 31.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.4.

**Pop 2010:** 33,055. **State rank:** 1388. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 33,655 (White 96.9%; Black or African

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## Coos County (cont'd)

American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,976; median household $41,534; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,840 - $33,335.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Berlin (10,051).

**GRAFTON COUNTY**
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North Haverhill, NH 03774
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On central western border of NH; original county, organized Apr 29, 1769. **Name Origin:** For Augustus Henry Fitzroy (1735-1811), 3rd Duke of Grafton, an English parliamentarian who supported American colonial interests.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,745.50 (land 1,708.75; water 36.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.2.

**Pop 2010:** 89,118. **State rank:** 649. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 84,708 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 3.0%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,170; median household $53,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,805 - $43,587.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon (13,151).

**HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY**
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On central southern border of NH, south of Concord; original county, organized Apr 29, 1769. **Name Origin:** For Wills Hill (1718-93), 1st Earl of Hillsborough, English secretary of state for the colonies (1768-72). Also spelled *Hillsboro*. Some also note that one of the original grantees of land was Col. John Hill of MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 891.98 (land 876.14; water 15.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 457.4.

**Pop 2010:** 400,721. **State rank:** 165. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 401,291 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 3.2%; Others 5.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.1%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,108; median household $69,321; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,306 - $45,619.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Manchester (109,565); Nashua (86,494).

**MERRIMACK COUNTY**
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Concord, NH 03301
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**Ph:** 603-228-0331
**Fax:** 603-224-2665

In south-central NH, north of Manchester; organized Jul 1, 1823 from Rickingham and Hillsborough counties. **Name Origin:** For the Merrimack River, which bisects the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 956.18 (land 934.12; water 22.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 156.8.

**Pop 2010:** 146,445. **State rank:** 414. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 146,881 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.6%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,544; median household $63,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,334 - $42,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (42,695).

**ROCKINGHAM COUNTY**
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Kingston, NH 03848-8125
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**Ph:** 603-642-5256

On southeastern border of NH, southeast of Concord; original county, organized Apr 29, 1769. **Name Origin:** For Charles Watson-Wentworth, Marquis of Rockingham (1730-82), British statesman, prime minister, and cousin of the NH Wentworths, largely responsible for repeal of the Stamp Act.

**Area (sq mi):** 793.72 (land 694.72; water 99). **Pop per sq mi:** 425.

**Pop 2010:** 295,223. **State rank:** 213. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 295,076 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,889; median household $75,825; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,383 - $49,481.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Derry (22,015); Portsmouth (20,779); Londonderry (11,037).

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**Fax:** 603-743-4407

On southeastern border of NH, south of Portsmouth; original county, organized Apr 29, 1769. **Name Origin:** For William Wentworth (1722-91), 4th Earl of Strafford, cousin of John Wentworth (1737-1820), governor of NH at the time of its establishment.

**Area (sq mi):** 384.13 (land 368.98; water 15.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 333.7.

**Pop 2010:** 123,143. **State rank:** 485. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 119,015 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 2.6%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Strafford County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,059; median household $57,809; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,828 - $36,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dover 🏛 (29,987); Rochester (29,752); Somersworth (11,766); Durham (10,345).

### SULLIVAN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 603-863-9314

On southwestern border of NH, north of Keene; organized Jul 5, 1827 from Cheshire County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Sullivan (1740-95), officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the Continental Congress, chief executive of NH (1786-87), and governor (1789).

**Area (sq mi):** 551.85 (land 537.31; water 14.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.4.

**Pop 2010:** 43,742. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 43,041 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,322; median household $50,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,770 - $36,357.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Claremont (13,355).

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# New Jersey

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It is a state in the Northeastern and Middle Atlantic regions of the United States. It is bordered on the north and east by the state of New York, on the southeast and south by the Atlantic Ocean, on the west by Pennsylvania and on the southwest by Delaware. **Name Origin:** The area was inhabited by Native Americans for more than 2,800 years, with historical tribes such as the Lenape along the coast. In the early 17th century, the Dutch and the Swedes made the first European settlements.The British later seized control of the region naming it the Province of New Jersey.

**Area (sq mi):** 8,721.30 (land 7,417.34; water 1,303.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 1195.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,791,894. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 8,717,925 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 13.7%; Hispanic or Latino 17.7%; Asian 8.3%; Others 17.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $50,781; median household $69,811; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.10%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,256 - $51,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

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**ATLANTIC COUNTY**
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In southern NJ on Atlantic coast, east of Vineland; organized Feb 7, 1837 from Gloucester County. **Name Origin:** For the Atlantic Ocean.

**Area (sq mi):** 666.07 (land 555.70; water 110.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 494.1.

**Pop 2010:** 274,549. **State rank:** 233. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 271,015 (White 65.4%; Black or African American 16.1%; Hispanic or Latino 16.8%; Asian 7.5%; Others 16.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.4%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,247; median household $54,766; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,351 - $39,746.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Atlantic City (39,558); Pleasantville (20,249); Hammonton (14,791); Somers Point (10,795); Ventnor City (10,650).

**BERGEN COUNTY**
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In northeastern NJ bordering on NY, north of Jersey City; original county, organized Mar 7, 1683. **Name Origin:** Named by early Dutch settlers for the town of Bergen-op-zoom, North Brabant, Netherlands.

**Area (sq mi):** 245.64 (land 233.01; water 12.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 3884.5.

**Pop 2010:** 905,116. **State rank:** 55. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 902,561 (White 71.9%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 16.1%; Asian 14.5%; Others 16.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 28.4%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,006; median household $81,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $67,394 - $65,486.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 31 (see page 40 for cities).

**BURLINGTON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 609-265-0696

In central NJ, east of Philadelphia, original county, organzed May 17, 1694. **Name Origin:** For Bridlington, Yorkshire, England. The alternate spelling reflects the pronunciation used in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.44 (land 798.58; water 14.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 561.9.

**Pop 2010:** 448,734. **State rank:** 146. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 450,743 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 16.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 4.3%; Others 6.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.3%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,802; median household $76,258; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,420 - $47,391.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairview (13,835); Fairview (13,835); Franklin Park (13,295); Browns Mills (11,223); Marlton (10,133).

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**CAMDEN COUNTY**
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On central western border of NJ, east of Philadelphia, organized Mar 13, 1844 from Gloucester County. **Name Origin:** For the city of Camden.

**Area (sq mi):** 226.54 (land 221.26; water 5.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 2321.5.

**Pop 2010:** 513,657. **State rank:** 122. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 518,249 (White 65.3%; Black or African American 19.6%; Hispanic or Latino 14.2%; Asian 5.1%; Others 14.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.1%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,478; median household $60,976; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,260 - $42,720.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 41 for cities).

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On southern tip of NJ, south of Atlantic City; organized Nov 12, 1692 from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For the cape, whose name commemorates Cornelis Jacobsen Mey, Dutch captain who explored the Atlantic coast of North America from Long Island to Cape May in 1612-14.

**Area (sq mi):** 616.52 (land 251.43; water 365.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 386.9.

**Pop 2010:** 97,265. **State rank:** 596. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 99,286 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 6.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,571; median household $54,292; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,360 - $47,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ocean City (11,701).

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
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In southern NJ, on Delaware Bay; organized Jan 19, 1748 from Salem County. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus, Duke of Cumberland (1721-65), British general and second son of King George II (1683-1760).

**Area (sq mi):** 670.99 (land 483.70; water 187.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 324.4.

**Pop 2010:** 156,898. **State rank:** 387. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 153,252 (White 62.7%; Black or African American 20.2%; Hispanic or Latino 27.1%; Asian 1.2%; Others 27.1%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,883; median household $50,651; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,524 - $33,907.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vineland (60,724); Millville (28,400); Bridgeton (25,349); Pleasantville (20,249).

**ESSEX COUNTY**
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Newark, NJ 07102
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**Ph:** 973-621-4921

In northeastern NJ, west of New York City; original county, organized Mar 7, 1683. **Name Origin:** For the county of Essex, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 129.50 (land 126.21; water 3.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 6211.5.

**Pop 2010:** 783,969. **State rank:** 73. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 791,057 (White 42.6%; Black or African American 40.9%; Hispanic or Latino 20.3%; Asian 4.6%; Others 20.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 23.6%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,535; median household $55,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,850 - $50,791.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newark (277,140); East Orange (64,270); Short Hills (13,165); Upper Montclair (11,565).

**GLOUCESTER COUNTY**
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In southwestern NJ, southeast of Philadelphia; original county, organized May 26, 1686. **Name Origin:** For Henry, Duke of Gloucester (1639-60), third son of Charles I (1600-49), king of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 334.21 (land 322.01; water 12.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 895.3.

**Pop 2010:** 288,288. **State rank:** 220. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 276,910 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 10.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 2.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,210; median household $72,664; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,094 - $41,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Glassboro (18,579); Williamstown (15,567); Fairview (13,835); Red Bank (12,206); Woodbury (10,174).

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In northeastern NJ, across the Hudson River from New York City; organized Feb 22, 1840 from Bergen County. **Name Origin:** For the Hudson River.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hudson County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 61.93 (land 46.19; water 15.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 13731.4.

**Pop 2010:** 634,266. **State rank:** 104. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 603,521 (White 54.0%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 42.2%; Asian 13.4%; Others 42.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 40.6%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,024; median household $55,275; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,447 - $44,926.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 41 for cities).

### HUNTERDON COUNTY

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In central NJ along the Delaware River, northwest of Trenton; organized Mar 13, 1714 from Burlington County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Hunter (1664-1734), colonial governor of New York and East and West Jersey (1710-19).

**Area (sq mi):** 435.64 (land 427.82; water 7.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 300.

**Pop 2010:** 128,349. **State rank:** 465. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 130,404 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 3.3%; Others 5.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $48,489; median household $100,980; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $68,388 - $67,053.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MERCER COUNTY

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In central NJ along the Delaware River, northeast of Philadelphia; organized Feb 22, 1838 from Hunterdon and Middlesex counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 227.47 (land 224.56; water 2.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 1632.2.

**Pop 2010:** 366,513. **State rank:** 177. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 366,256 (White 61.4%; Black or African American 20.3%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 8.9%; Others 15.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.7%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,016; median household $71,217; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,576 - $52,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Trenton 🏛 (84,913); Mercerville (13,230); Hamilton Square (12,784); Princeton (12,307).

### MIDDLESEX COUNTY

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New Brunswick, NJ 08901
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In northern NJ, southwest of Newark; original county, organized Mar 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For the ancient county in England (most of which is now part of Greater London).

**Area (sq mi):** 321.70 (land 308.91; water 12.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 2621.6.

**Pop 2010:** 809,858. **State rank:** 70. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 789,516 (White 58.6%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 18.4%; Asian 21.4%; Others 18.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 29.4%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,289; median household $77,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,991 - $48,256.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 19 (see page 41 for cities).

### MONMOUTH COUNTY

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Freehold, NJ 07728
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In central NJ on Lower New York Bay and the Atlantic Ocean, south of Jersey City; original county, organized Mar 7, 1683. **Name Origin:** For Monmouthshire, a county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 661.97 (land 468.79; water 193.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 1344.7.

**Pop 2010:** 630,380. **State rank:** 93. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 635,952 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 5.0%; Others 9.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,976; median household $82,265; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $57,690 - $56,955.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 41 for cities).

### MORRIS COUNTY

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In north-central NJ, west of Newark; organized Mar 15, 1739 from Hunterdon County. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Morris (1671-1746), chief justice of the superior court of NY and NJ (1692) and first governor the colony of NJ (1738-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 472.47 (land 460.18; water 12.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 1069.8.

**Pop 2010:** 492,276. **State rank:** 136. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 490,593 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 11.5%; Asian 9.0%; Others 11.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.7%. **Median age:** 41.3.

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## Morris County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $47,342; median household $96,747; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $71,191 - $69,811.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 41 for cities).

### OCEAN COUNTY

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In central NJ, north of Atlantic City; organized Feb 15, 1850 from Monmouth County. **Name Origin:** For its location on the Atlantic coast.

**Area (sq mi):** 908.38 (land 628.78; water 279.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 917.

**Pop 2010:** 576,567. **State rank:** 107. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 558,341 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 1.7%; Others 8.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,826; median household $59,620; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,214 - $40,291.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Toms River (88,791); Lakewood (53,805); Point Pleasant (18,392); Ocean Acres (16,142); Beachwood (11,045).

### PASSAIC COUNTY

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In northern NJ on the NY border, northwest of Newark; organized Feb 7, 1837 from Bergen and Sussex counties. **Name Origin:** For the Passaic River; its name is from a Delaware Indian term *passaic* or *passajeek*, variously translated as peace or valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 196.35 (land 184.59; water 11.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 2715.3.

**Pop 2010:** 501,226. **State rank:** 132. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 499,060 (White 62.6%; Black or African American 12.8%; Hispanic or Latino 37.0%; Asian 5.0%; Others 37.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 27.1%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,095; median household $54,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,223 - $42,228.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 41 for cities).

### SALEM COUNTY

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In southwestern NJ along Delaware River, east of Wilmington, DE; original county, organized May 17, 1694. **Name Origin:** Anglicization of Hebrew *shalom* 'peace.'

**Area (sq mi):** 366.59 (land 331.90; water 34.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 199.1.

**Pop 2010:** 66,083. **State rank:** 782. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 66,346 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 14.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,296; median household $59,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,433 - $39,704.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oakland (12,754); Pennsville (11,888).

### SOMERSET COUNTY

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Somerville, NJ 08876
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In north-central NJ, southwest of Newark, organized May 14, 1688 from Middlesex County. **Name Origin:** For Somersetshire, the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 302.17 (land 301.81; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 1071.7.

**Pop 2010:** 323,444. **State rank:** 195. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 319,900 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 8.9%; Hispanic or Latino 13.0%; Asian 14.1%; Others 13.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 22.0%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $47,067; median household $97,440; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $72,015 - $69,886.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 41 for cities).

### SUSSEX COUNTY

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Newton, NJ 07860
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In northwestern NJ on border with PA and NY, northwest of Newark; organized May 16, 1753 from Morris County. **Name Origin:** For the county of Sussex, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.74 (land 519.01; water 14.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 287.6.

**Pop 2010:** 149,265. **State rank:** 409. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 153,130 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 6.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,982; median household $83,089; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,201 - $49,207.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sussex County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 37.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Millville (28,400); Point Pleasant (18,392); Hopatcong (15,147); Springdale (14,518).

**UNION COUNTY**
2 Broad St Rm 115
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
www.unioncountynj.org

**Ph:** 908-527-4999
**Fax:** 908-558-2589

In northeastern NJ, south of Newark; organized Mar 19, 1857 from Essex County. **Name Origin:** As an expression of belief in the federal union of the states; also in the hope that citizens of Elizabeth and Newark would settle their differences.

**Area (sq mi):** 105.03 (land 102.86; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 5216.1.

**Pop 2010:** 536,499. **State rank:** 120. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 531,457 (White 61.3%; Black or African American 22.1%; Hispanic or Latino 27.3%; Asian 4.6%; Others 27.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 28.8%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,096; median household $66,791; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,752 - $50,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 41 for cities).

**WARREN COUNTY**
413 2nd St
Belvidere, NJ 07823
www.co.warren.nj.us

**Ph:** 908-475-6211
**Fax:** 908-475-6208

On northwestern border of NJ, east of Easton, PA; organized Nov 20, 1824 from Sussex County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Warren (1741-75), the Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Continental Congress who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 361.81 (land 356.92; water 4.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 304.5.

**Pop 2010:** 108,692. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 110,376 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 2.5%; Others 7.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,985; median household $71,364; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,864 - $44,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Phillipsburg (14,950).

*County Seat*

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# New Mexico

**NEW MEXICO STATE INFORMATION**
490 Old Santa Fe Tr Rm 400 **Ph:** 505-476-2200
Santa Fe, NM 87501
www.state.nm.us

**Area (sq mi):** 121,589.49 (land 121,355.53; water 233.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 2,059,179. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,928,384 (White 68.4%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 46.3%; Asian 1.4%; Others 46.3%, including 9.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,837; median household $43,820; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.40%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,675 - $33,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

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**BERNALILLO COUNTY**
1 Civic Plaza NW, 10th Fl **Ph:** 505-768-4240
Albuquerque, NM 87102 **Fax:** 505-768-4329
www.bernco.gov

In west-central NM, southwest of Santa Fe, original county; organized Jan 8, 1852 (prior to statehood); annexed Santa Ana County 1876. **Name Origin:** Spanish for little Bernal, possibly for a young member of the Gonzales-Bernal family who lived in the area as early as 1680. It may also have been named for Fray Juan Bernal, a friend of one of the community leaders.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,163.45 (land 1,160.83; water 2.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 570.8.

**Pop 2010:** 662,564. **State rank:** 94. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 603,562 (White 69.4%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 47.9%; Asian 2.3%; Others 47.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,143; median household $47,481; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,611 - $35,787.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albuquerque 🏛 (545,852); South Valley (40,976); North Valley (11,333).

**CATRON COUNTY**
100 Main St PO Box 407 **Ph:** 505-533-6423
Reserve, NM 87830 **Fax:** 505-533-6433
www.mylocalgov.com/catroncountynm

On the central western border of NM, southwest of Albuquerque; organized Feb 25, 1921 from Socorro County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Benton Catron (1840-1921), Confederate officer during the Civil War and U.S. senator from NM (1912-17).

**Area (sq mi):** 6,924.91 (land 6,923.69; water 1.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,725. **State rank:** 2934. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,409 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 19.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 19.0%, including 2.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 55.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,895; median household $31,914; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,379 - $26,238.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHAVES COUNTY**
St. Mary's Place, Suite 1 **Ph:** 575-624-6600
Roswell, NM 88201 **Fax:** 575-624-6631
www.co.chaves.nm.us

In southeastern NM, northeast of Las Cruces; organized Feb 24, 1889 from Lincoln County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Jose Francisco Chaves (1833-1904), an officer during the Civil War and U.S. representative from NM (1865-67; 1869-71).

**Area (sq mi):** 6,069.49 (land 6,065.28; water 4.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.8.

**Pop 2010:** 65,645. **State rank:** 808. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 61,860 (White 70.9%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 52.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 52.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.3%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,504; median household $37,524; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,597 - $29,353.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Roswell 🏛 (48,366).

**CIBOLA COUNTY**
515 W High St **Ph:** 505-287-9431
Grants, NM 87020 **Fax:** 505-285-5434
www.co.cibola.nm.us

On the central western border of NM, west of Albuquerque; organized Jun 19, 1981 from Valencia County. **Name Origin:** For the Cibola National Forest, part of which is within the county. Origin and meaning of name unknown; possibly a transliteration of Zuni Indian

## Cibola County (cont'd)

*shiwina*, the name for their tribal range; or possibly from Isleta Indian *sibulada* 'buffalo.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,541.98 (land 4,539.48; water 2.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.

**Pop 2010:** 27,213. **State rank:** 1519. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 27,620 (White 41.8%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 36.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 36.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,712; median household $37,361; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,539 - $25,455.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLFAX COUNTY**
230 N 3rd St
Raton, NM 87740
www.co.colfax.nm.us
**Ph:** 505-445-9661
**Fax:** 505-445-2902

On the northern border of NM, northeast of Santa Fe; organized Jan 25, 1869 from Mora County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Schuyler Colfax (1823-85), U.S. vice president under Ulysses S. Grant (1869-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,769.32 (land 3,758.06; water 11.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.7.

**Pop 2010:** 13,750. **State rank:** 2249. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 13,755 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 47.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 47.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,047; median household $39,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,563 - $32,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CURRY COUNTY**
700 N Main St Ste 7
Clovis, NM 88101
www.currycounty.org
**Ph:** 505-763-5591
**Fax:** 505-763-4232

On the central eastern border of NM, southeast of Albuquerque; organized Feb 25, 1909 from Quay and Roosevelt counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Capt. George Curry (1863-1947), an officer in the Spanish-American War, NM territorial governor (1907-11), and U.S. representative (1912-13).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,406.52 (land 1,404.80; water 1.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 48,376. **State rank:** 1064. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 45,846 (White 69.7%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 39.5%; Asian 1.3%; Others 39.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,925; median household $38,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,560 - $36,931.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clovis (37,775).

**DE BACA COUNTY**
548 E Ave C
Fort Sumner, NM 88119
**Ph:** 505-355-2601
**Fax:** 505-355-2441

In east-central NM, west of Clovis; organized Feb 28, 1917 from Chaves, Guadalupe, and Roosevelt counties. **Name Origin:** For Ezequiel Cabeza de Baca (1864-1917), lt. governor (1911-16) and governor (1917) who died after six weeks in office.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,331.58 (land 2,322.62; water 8.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,022. **State rank:** 3060. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,016 (White 87.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 38.5%; Asian 0.0%; Others 38.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,769; median household $30,643; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,851 - $29,445.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DONA ANA COUNTY**
845 N Motel Blvd
Las Cruces, NM 88007
www.co.dona-ana.nm.us
**Ph:** 575-647-7200
**Fax:** 575-647-7302

On the central southern border of NM, south of Albuquerque; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood); annexed Arizona County 1861. **Name Origin:** For either Dona Ana Robledo, a woman famous for charity in the 1600s, or for Dona Ana Maria Nina de Cordova, a girl captured during an Apache raid and never seen again.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,814.95 (land 3,807.51; water 7.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.

**Pop 2010:** 209,233. **State rank:** 298. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 189,444 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 65.7%; Asian 1.1%; Others 65.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.8%. **Median age:** 32.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,315; median household $36,657; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,772 - $29,694.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EDDY COUNTY**
101 W Greene St Suite 225
Carlsbad, NM 88220
www.co.eddy.nm.us
**Ph:** 505-887-9511
**Fax:** 505-887-1039

On the southern border of NM, east of Las Cruces; organized Feb 25, 1889 from Lincoln County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Charles B. Eddy, rancher, promoter of the Carlsbad Irrigation Project, and railroad builder.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,191.28 (land 4,175.73; water 15.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Eddy County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 53,829. **State rank:** 929. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 51,437 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 44.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 44.1%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,587; median household $46,583; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,854 - $40,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Carlsbad 🏛 (26,138); Artesia (11,301).

### GRANT COUNTY

1400 Hwy 180 E PO Box 898
Silver City, NM 88061
www.grantcountynm.com

**Ph:** 575-574-0000
**Fax:** 575-574-0073

On the western border of NM, northwest of Las Cruces; organized Jan 30, 1868 from Socorro County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,963.25 (land 3,961.63; water 1.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 29,514. **State rank:** 1424. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 29,747 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 48.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 48.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,164; median household $36,591; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,892 - $30,900.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Silver City (10,315).

### GUADALUPE COUNTY

420 Parker Ave, Suite 1
Santa Rosa, NM 88435

**Ph:** 505-472-3791
**Fax:** 505-472-4791

In east-central NM, east of Albuquerque; organized Feb 26, 1891 from Lincoln and San Miguel counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Our Lady of Guadalupe, patron saint of Mexico.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,031.68 (land 3,030.48; water 1.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,687. **State rank:** 2876. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,369 (White 70.4%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 79.6%; Asian 1.3%; Others 79.6%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,710; median household $28,488; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,182 - $24,438.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDING COUNTY

35 Pine St
Mosquero, NM 87733
www.hardingcounty.org

**Ph:** 505-673-2301
**Fax:** 505-673-2922

In northeastern NM, northeast of Santa Fe; organized Mar 4, 1921 from Mora and Union counties. **Name Origin:** For Warren Gamaliel Harding (1865-1923), twenty-ninth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,126.05 (land 2,125.44; water 0.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 695. **State rank:** 3126. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 740 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 43.0%; Asian 0.0%; Others 43.0%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 55.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,684; median household $33,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,501 - $39,248.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HIDALGO COUNTY

300 Shakespeare St
Lordsburg, NM 88045
www.hidalgocounty.org

**Ph:** 505-542-9213
**Fax:** 505-542-3193

In the southwestern corner of NM, southwest of Las Cruces; organized Feb 25, 1919 from Grant County. **Name Origin:** Probably for the Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, which ended the Mexican War; others claim for Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla (1753-1811), leader of the Mexican war for independence from Spain.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,437.14 (land 3,436.86; water 0.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,894. **State rank:** 2822. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 -13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,139 (White 85.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 56.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 56.6%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,451; median household $36,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,303 - $31,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEA COUNTY

100 N Main St, Suite 11
Lovington, NM 88260
www.leacounty.net

**Ph:** 505-396-8521
**Fax:** 505-396-5684

In the southeastern corner of NM, east of Roswell; organized Mar 7, 1917 from Chaves and Eddy counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph C. Lea (?-1904), Confederate officer in the Civil War, father of [the town of] Roswell, and founder of the New Mexico Military Institute there.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,391.99 (land 4,390.93; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.7.

**Pop 2010:** 64,727. **State rank:** 845. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.1%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 56,719 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 51.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 51.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.8%. **Median age:** 31.9.

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## Lea County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,637; median household $43,910; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,302 - $34,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hobbs (34,122); Lovington (11,009).

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
300 Central Ave
Carrizozo, NM 88301
www.lincolncountynm.net

**Ph:** 505-648-2394
**Fax:** 505-648-2576

In south-central NM, west of Roswell; organized Jan 16, 1869 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,831.37 (land 4,831.09; water 0.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,497. **State rank:** 1761. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,007 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 29.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 29.8%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 49.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,290; median household $43,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,091 - $31,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOS ALAMOS COUNTY**
133 Central Pk Sq Rm 230
Los Alamos, NM 87544
www.lac-nm.us

**Ph:** 505-662-8333
**Fax:** 505-662-8079

In north-central NM, northwest of Santa Fe; organized Mar 16, 1949 from Sandoval and Santa Fe counties. Site of the Manhattan Project that produced the first atomic bomb. **Name Origin:** For its county seat, itself named for the Los Alamos School for Boys, established 1925 by Ashley Pond; form Spanish 'poplars' or 'cottonwoods.'

**Area (sq mi):** 109.17 (land 109.17; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 164.4.

**Pop 2010:** 17,950. **State rank:** 1905. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,822 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 14.7%; Asian 6.0%; Others 14.7%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $49,474; median household $103,643; **Pop below poverty level:** 2.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $57,597 - $61,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Los Alamos (12,019).

**LUNA COUNTY**
110 N Gold St
Deming, NM 88031
www.lunacountynm.us

**Ph:** 505-546-0491
**Fax:** 505-544-4187

On the southern border of NM, west of Las Cruces; organized Mar 16, 1901 from Dona Ana and Grant counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Don Salomon Luna, a sheep rancher and a leader of the Republican party in the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,965.38 (land 2,965.19; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 25,095. **State rank:** 1517. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 26,498 (White 77.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 61.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 61.5%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.9%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,687; median household $27,997; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,640 - $28,716.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.7%. **Change from 2007:** +9.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Deming (14,855).

**MCKINLEY COUNTY**
207 W Hill Ave, Suite 101 PO Box 1268
Gallup, NM 87301
www.co.mckinley.nm.us

**Ph:** 505-863-6866
**Fax:** 505-863-1419

On the northwestern border of NM, west of Santa Fe; organized Feb 23, 1899 from Bernalillo, Valencia, and San Juan counties. **Name Origin:** For William McKinley (1843-1901), twenty-fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,456.30 (land 5,449.81; water 6.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.1.

**Pop 2010:** 71,492. **State rank:** 750. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 71,918 (White 15.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 13.3%, including 75.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 30.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,932; median household $31,335; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,649 - $24,130.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gallup (21,678).

**MORA COUNTY**
518 Mile Marker 29 PO Box 360
Mora, NM 87732
www.countyofmora.com

**Ph:** 505-387-2448
**Fax:** 505-387-9023

In east-central NM, northeast of Santa Fe; organized Feb 1, 1860 from San Miguel County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Either from personal and family names of early settlers, such as Mora Pineda and Garcia de la Mora, or possibly from the Spanish word meaning 'blackberry' or 'mulberry,' referring to the abundance of fruit locally.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,933.65 (land 1,931.27; water 2.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,881. **State rank:** 2834. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,107 (White 70.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 81.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 81.0%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,035; median household $37,784; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,575 - $26,441.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Mora County (cont'd)

**residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OTERO COUNTY**
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Alamogordo, NM 88310
www.co.otero.nm.us
**Ph:** 505-437-7427
**Fax:** 505-443-2904

On the central southern border of NM, east of Las Cruces; organized Jan 30, 1899 from Dona Ana and Lincoln counties. **Name Origin:** For Miguel Antonio Otero (1859-1944), territorial governor of New Mexico (1896-1906).

**Area (sq mi):** 6,614.14 (land 6,613.21; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 63,797. **State rank:** 812. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 63,538 (White 72.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 34.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 34.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,255; median household $39,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,709 - $28,717.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alamogordo 🏛 (30,403).

**QUAY COUNTY**
300 S 3rd St PO Box 1246
Tucumcari, NM 88401
www.tucumcarinm.com
**Ph:** 505-461-2112
**Fax:** 505-461-6208

On the central eastern border of NM; organized Jan 28, 1903 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Matthew S. Quay (1833-1904), U.S. senator from PA (1887-99; 1901-04) who was active in establishing the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,881.22 (land 2,874.35; water 6.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,041. **State rank:** 2518. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 9,259 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 42.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 42.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,234; median household $28,773; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,319 - $31,240.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RIO ARRIBA COUNTY**
7 Main St PO Box 158
Tierra Amarilla, NM 87575
www.rio-arriba.org
**Ph:** 575-588-7724
**Fax:** 575-588-7418

On the central northern border of NM, northwest of Santa Fe; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Spanish 'upper river,' the Spanish designation for the upper Rio Grande in NM.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,899.31 (land 5,860.84; water 38.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 40,246. **State rank:** 1155. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 40,828 (White 51.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 71.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 71.3%, including 16.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,913; median household $41,437; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,895 - $28,615.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Espanola (10,224).

**ROOSEVELT COUNTY**
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Portales, NM 88130
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**Ph:** 505-356-8562
**Fax:** 505-356-3560

On the central eastern border of NM, south of Clovis; organized Feb 28, 1903 from Chaves and Guadalupe counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Theodore Roosevelt (1858-1919), twenty-sixth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,453.80 (land 2,447.43; water 6.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.1.

**Pop 2010:** 19,846. **State rank:** 1869. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,238 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 39.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 39.9%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,933; median household $37,762; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,778 - $31,644.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portales 🏛 (12,280).

**SAN JUAN COUNTY**
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Aztec, NM 87410
www.sjcounty.net
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**Fax:** 505-334-3635

On the northwestern border of NM; organized Jan 24, 1887 from Rio Arriba County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the San Juan River, which flows through the county; Spanish for Saint John (the Baptist).

**Area (sq mi):** 5,537.42 (land 5,513.07; water 24.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 130,044. **State rank:** 483. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 126,208 (White 51.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 19.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,725; median household $46,189; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,290 - $29,437.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Farmington (45,877).

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**SAN MIGUEL COUNTY**
County Courthouse 500 W National St Suite 100 **Ph:** 505-425-9333
Las Vegas, NM 87701 **Fax:** 505-425-7019
www.smcounty.net

In east-central NM, east of Santa Fe; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the town of San Miguel del Bado, Spanish 'Saint Michael of the ford,' a river crossing on the Pecos River on the Old Santa Fe Trail.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,734.41 (land 4,715.82; water 18.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.2.

**Pop 2010:** 29,393. **State rank:** 1473. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 29,530 (White 66.6%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 76.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 76.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,508; median household $32,213; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,807 - $30,671.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Las Vegas (13,753); Los Alamos (12,019).

**SANDOVAL COUNTY**
711 Camino del Pueblo P.O. Box 40 **Ph:** 505-867-7500
Bernalillo, NM 87004 **Fax:** 505-867-7600
www.sandovalcounty.com

In north-central NM, west of Santa Fe; organized Mar 10, 1903 from Rio Arriba County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Sandoval family, descendants of Juan de Dios Sandoval Martinez, who came to the area in 1692.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,715.63 (land 3,710.65; water 4.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.5.

**Pop 2010:** 131,561. **State rank:** 479. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +22.4%; 2000-2005 +19.5%. **Pop 2005:** 107,460 (White 68.0%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 35.1%; Asian 1.5%; Others 35.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,979; median household $57,158; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,173 - $32,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rio Rancho (87,521).

**SANTA FE COUNTY**
102 Grant Ave **Ph:** 505-986-6200
Santa Fe, NM 87504 **Fax:** 505-995-2740
www.co.santa-fe.nm.us

In north-central NM, northeast of Albuquerque; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the capital of NM and the county seat; Spanish 'Holy Faith.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,911.01 (land 1,909.41; water 1.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.5.

**Pop 2010:** 144,170. **State rank:** 418. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 140,855 (White 76.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 50.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 50.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.9%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,188; median household $52,696; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,268 - $43,389.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Santa Fe (67,947).

**SIERRA COUNTY**
100 N Date St County Courthouse **Ph:** 505-894-6215
Truth or Consequences, NM 87901 **Fax:** 505-894-9548
www.truthorconsequencesnm.net

In west-central NM, northwest of Las Cruces; organized Apr 3, 1884 from Socorro County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Sierra de los Caballos Range, Spanish 'saw' for the shape of the mountains, thus 'saw-toothed mountain of the horses.' The county may have been named for the Sierra family, whose members included Nicholas de la Sierra.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,235.03 (land 4,178.96; water 56.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,988. **State rank:** 2239. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,815 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 28.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 28.0%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 54.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,667; median household $25,583; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,702 - $32,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SOCORRO COUNTY**
210 Park St **Ph:** 505-835-0589
Socorro, NM 87801 **Fax:** 505-835-4629
www.co.socorro.nm.us

In west-central NM, south of Albuquerque; original county; organized Jul 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Name given to the Piro Indian pueblo of Teypana in 1598 by Juan de Onate (1550?-1630) because they gave us much corn. Spanish 'aid, help, succor, assistance'.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,648.99 (land 6,646.68; water 2.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,866. **State rank:** 1904. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 18,148 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 48.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 48.5%, including 11.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,801; median household $33,284; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,741 - $29,403.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**TAOS COUNTY**
105 Albright St Suite A
Taos, NM 87571
www.taoscounty.org
**Ph:** 505-737-6300
**Fax:** 575-737-6314

On the central northern border of NM; north of Santa Fe; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** A Spanish transliteration for a town of the Tewa Pueblos, located in what is now Taos County. From either *tuota* 'red willow place,' or *tuatah* 'at the village.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,204.56 (land 2,203.11; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.

**Pop 2010:** 32,937. **State rank:** 1387. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 31,722 (White 68.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 55.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 55.8%, including 6.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,145; median household $35,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,961 - $30,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TORRANCE COUNTY**
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Estancia, NM 87016
www.torrancecountynm.org
**Ph:** 505-246-4735
**Fax:** 505-384-4080

In central NM, southeast of Albuquerque; organized Mar 16, 1903 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the town of Torrance, itself named for Francis J. Torrance, a New Mexico Central Railroad promoter.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,345.85 (land 3,344.85; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.9.

**Pop 2010:** 16,383. **State rank:** 1999. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.4%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,501 (White 76.1%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 39.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 39.1%, including 2.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.7%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,278; median household $37,117; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,594 - $29,672.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
200 Court St
Clayton, NM 88415
www.claytonnewmexico.org
**Ph:** 505-374-9491
**Fax:** 505-374-9442

In the northeastern corner of NM; organized Feb 13, 1893 from Colfax, Mora, and San Miguel counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the union of the three counties.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,824.53 (land 3,823.74; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,549. **State rank:** 2912. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.2%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,850 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 39.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 39.7%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,228; median household $39,975; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,268 - $24,552.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VALENCIA COUNTY**
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Los Lunas, NM 87031
www.co.valencia.nm.us
**Ph:** 505-866-2073
**Fax:** 505-866-2023

In west-central NM, south of Albuquerque; original county; organized Jan 9, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Either for the town, itself named for Juan de Valencia, a seventeenth-century Spanish settler, or for the seventeenth-century home of Francisco de Valencia, a Spanish official.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,066.76 (land 1,066.18; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.8.

**Pop 2010:** 76,569. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 69,417 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 58.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 58.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.0%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,955; median household $42,044; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,029 - $28,457.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Los Lunas 🏛 (14,835).

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**NEW YORK (STATE) STATE INFORMATION**
www.state.ny.us **Ph:** 518-474-2121

**Area (sq mi):** 54,556.01 (land 47,213.79; water 7,342.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 411.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,378,102. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,254,630 (White 65.7%; Black or African American 15.9%; Hispanic or Latino 17.6%; Asian 7.3%; Others 17.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $48,821; median household $55,603; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,852 - $48,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

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**ALBANY COUNTY**
112 State St, Rm 300 **Ph:** 518-447-7324
Albany, NY 12207 **Fax:** 518-447-7578
www.albanycounty.com

In east-central NY, southeast of Schenectady; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For James Stuart, Duke of York and Albany (1633-1701), who later became James II, king of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 532.56 (land 522.80; water 9.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 581.9.

**Pop 2010:** 304,204. **State rank:** 216. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 297,414 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 4.8%; Others 4.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,863; median household $56,090; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,311 - $45,764.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albany 🏛 (97,856); Cohoes (16,168); Watervliet (10,254).

**ALLEGANY COUNTY**
7 Court St, Rm 18 County Courthouse **Ph:** 585-268-9270
Belmont, NY 14813 **Fax:** 585-268-9659
www.alleganyco.com

In southwestern NY, southeast of Buffalo; organized Apr 7, 1806 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** For the Allegheny River, with a variant spelling.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,033.51 (land 1,029.31; water 4.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 48,946. **State rank:** 972. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 50,602 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,058; median household $41,305; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,132 - $26,953.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRONX COUNTY**
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Bronx, NY 10451 **Fax:** 718-590-3537
www.nyc.gov

Established Apr 19, 1912 from New York County. The county is coterminous with the borough of the Bronx, part of New York City. The only borough of New York City that is not on an island. **Name Origin:** For Jonas Bronck or Bronk (?-1643), the first European settler north of the Harlem River. His farm was called Broncksland. The borough is usually called The Bronx.

**Area (sq mi):** 57.50 (land 42.10; water 15.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 32903.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,385,108. **State rank:** 26. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,357,589 (White 27.9%; Black or African American 36.5%; Hispanic or Latino 53.5%; Asian 3.6%; Others 53.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 32.5%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,575; median household $34,264; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,284 - $30,551.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 41.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eastchester (19,554).

**BROOME COUNTY**
44 Hawley St, 3rd Fl PO Box 2062 **Ph:** 607-778-2255
Binghamton, NY 13902-2206 **Fax:** 607-778-2256
www.gobroomecounty.com

On central southern border of NY, southeast of Ithaca; organized Mar 28, 1806 from Tioga County. **Name Origin:** For John Broome (1738-1810), member of the NY constitutional convention (1777) and lieutenant governor (1804-10).

**Area (sq mi):** 714.41 (land 705.77; water 8.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 284.2.

**Pop 2010:** 200,600. **State rank:** 319. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 196,947 (White 88.0%; Black or African

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## Broome County (cont'd)

American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 3.5%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,314; median household $44,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,748 - $34,334.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Binghamton (47,376); Johnson City (15,174); Endicott (13,392); Endwell (11,446).

### CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

303 Court St
Little Valley, NY 14755
www.co.cattaraugus.ny.us

**Ph:** 716-938-2577
**Fax:** 716-938-2760

On southwestern border of NY, south of Buffalo; organized Mar 11, 1808 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** For the Cattaraugus Creek, which forms its northern border; probably from Seneca 'bad smelling shore.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,320.75 (land 1,308.35; water 12.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.4.

**Pop 2010:** 80,317. **State rank:** 685. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 82,502 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.7%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,824; median household $42,466; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,417 - $33,508.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Olean (14,452).

### CAYUGA COUNTY

160 Genesee St
Auburn, NY 13021
www.co.cayuga.ny.us

**Ph:** 315-253-1560
**Fax:** 315-253-1673

On central northern border of NY, east of Rochester; organized Mar 8, 1799 from Onondaga County. **Name Origin:** For the Cayuga Indians, one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois.

**Area (sq mi):** 862.04 (land 691.58; water 170.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 115.7.

**Pop 2010:** 80,026. **State rank:** 686. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 81,454 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,959; median household $48,415; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,272 - $32,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Auburn (27,687); Westbury (15,146).

### CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

3 N Erie St Gerace Office Bldg
Mayville, NY 14757
www.chautco.com

**Ph:** 716-753-4211
**Fax:** 716-753-4756

In southwestern corner of NY, southwest of Buffalo; organized Mar 11, 1808 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Chautauqua, which is in the middle of the county; its name is a contraction of Seneca Indian words of uncertain origin and meaning; possibly 'where the fish was taken out.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,498.20 (land 1,060.23; water 437.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 127.2.

**Pop 2010:** 134,905. **State rank:** 453. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 136,409 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,033; median household $40,639; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,773 - $30,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jamestown (31,146); Dunkirk (12,563); Fredonia (11,230).

### CHEMUNG COUNTY

210 Lake St PO Box 588
Elmira, NY 14902-2058
www.chemungcounty.com

**Ph:** 607-737-2920
**Fax:** 607-737-2897

On central southern border of NY, southwest of Syracuse; organized Mar 29, 1836 from Tioga County. **Name Origin:** For a former Seneca village near the town of Chemung. The name means 'big horn.'

**Area (sq mi):** 409.97 (land 407.35; water 2.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 218.1.

**Pop 2010:** 88,830. **State rank:** 637. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 89,512 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,457; median household $44,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,064 - $34,104.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elmira (29,200).

### CHENANGO COUNTY

5 Court St
Norwich, NY 13815
www.co.chenango.ny.us

**Ph:** 607-337-1700
**Fax:** 607-337-1455

In south-central NY, southeast of Ithaca; organized Mar 15, 1798 from Herkimer and Tioga counties. **Name Origin:** From an Onondaga Indian word probably meaning 'bull thistle.'

**Area (sq mi):** 897.89 (land 893.55; water 4.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.5.

**Pop 2010:** 50,477. **State rank:** 956. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 51,755 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Chenango County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,036; median household $43,943; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,671 - $31,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLINTON COUNTY

137 Margaret St, Suite 205
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
www.co.clinton.ny.us

**Ph:** 518-565-4730
**Fax:** 518-565-4516

In northeastern corner of NY, northwest of Burlington, VT; organized Mar 7, 1788 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For George Clinton (1739-1812), first governor of NY (1777-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,116.52 (land 1,037.85; water 78.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.1.

**Pop 2010:** 82,128. **State rank:** 671. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 82,047 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,660; median household $47,489; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,699 - $33,521.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Plattsburgh 🏛 (19,989); Rocky Point (14,014); Jericho (13,567).

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

560 Warren St
Hudson, NY 12534
www.govt.co.columbia.ny.us

**Ph:** 518-828-3339
**Fax:** 518-828-5299

On central eastern border of NY, southeast of Albany; organized Apr 4, 1786 (prior to statehood) from Albany County. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 647.25 (land 634.71; water 12.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.4.

**Pop 2010:** 63,096. **State rank:** 831. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 63,622 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,844; median household $55,546; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,547 - $39,490.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CORTLAND COUNTY

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Cortland, NY 13045
www.cortland-co.org

**Ph:** 607-753-5021
**Fax:** 607-753-5378

In south-central NY, south of Syracuse; organized Apr 8, 1808 from Onondaga County. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Van Cortland, Jr. (1762-1848), NY legislator, U.S. representative (1811-13), and banker.

**Area (sq mi):** 500.63 (land 498.76; water 1.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.9.

**Pop 2010:** 49,336. **State rank:** 998. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 48,622 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,078; median household $45,338; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,450 - $30,477.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cortland 🏛 (19,204).

### DELAWARE COUNTY

Court House Sq PO Box 426
Delhi, NY 13753
www.co.delaware.ny.us

**Ph:** 607-746-2123
**Fax:** 607-746-6924

In south-central NY, east of Binghamton; organized Mar 10, 1797 from Ulster and Otsego counties. **Name Origin:** For the Delaware River, whose two main branches flow through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,464.11 (land 1,442.44; water 21.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.3.

**Pop 2010:** 47,980. **State rank:** 1040. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 47,534 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,928; median household $42,967; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,974 - $31,323.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DUTCHESS COUNTY

22 Market St
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601
www.co.dutchess.ny.us

**Ph:** 845-486-2120

In southeastern NY, north of NYC, original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For Mary (1658-1718), Duchess of York, wife of James, Duke of York and Albany, later James II, king of England; spelling is 17th-century variant of *duchess*.

**Area (sq mi):** 819.41 (land 795.63; water 23.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 373.9.

**Pop 2010:** 297,488. **State rank:** 219. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 294,849 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 9.9%; Hispanic or Latino 10.5%; Asian 3.5%; Others 10.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.1%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,642; median household $69,838; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Dutchess County (cont'd)

$42,255 - $43,730.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Poughkeepsie (32,736); Beacon (15,541).

### ERIE COUNTY

95 Franklin St, 16th Fl
Buffalo, NY 14202
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**Ph:** 716-858-8500
**Fax:** 716-858-6679

On central western border of NY on Lake Erie, south of Niagara Falls; organized Apr 2, 1821 from Niagara County. **Name Origin:** For the Erie Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock, who lived along the southern shore of Lake Erie.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,225.37 (land 1,042.69; water 182.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 881.4.

**Pop 2010:** 919,040. **State rank:** 50. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 930,703 (White 80.0%; Black or African American 13.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.6%; Others 4.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,378; median household $47,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,576 - $39,369.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 41 for cities).

### ESSEX COUNTY

7559 Court St PO Box 247
Elizabethtown, NY 12932
www.co.essex.ny.us

**Ph:** 518-873-3600
**Fax:** 518-873-3548

On northeastern border of NY, southwest of Burlington, VT; organized Mar 1, 1799 from Clinton County. **Name Origin:** For the county of Essex, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,913.93 (land 1,794.23; water 119.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.9.

**Pop 2010:** 39,370. **State rank:** 1222. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 38,676 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,390; median household $45,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,491 - $33,088.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rome (33,725); Baldwin (24,033).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

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Malone, NY 12953
www.franklincony.org

**Ph:** 518-481-1681
**Fax:** 518-483-9143

On northeastern border of NY, south of Montreal, prov. of Quebec, Canada; organized Mar 11, 1808 from Clinton County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,695.07 (land 1,629.12; water 65.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.7.

**Pop 2010:** 51,599. **State rank:** 958. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 51,033 (White 84.2%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 7.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,807; median household $42,050; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,751 - $28,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FULTON COUNTY

2 N Main St
Gloversville, NY 12078
www.fultoncountyny.org

**Ph:** 518-725-0641
**Fax:** 518-725-0643

In east-central NY, east of Utica; organized Apr 18, 1838 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), developer of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat.

**Area (sq mi):** 532.20 (land 495.47; water 36.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.1.

**Pop 2010:** 55,531. **State rank:** 900. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 55,625 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,147; median household $43,240; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,334 - $33,997.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gloversville (15,665).

### GENESEE COUNTY

7 Main St
Batavia, NY 14020
www.co.genesee.ny.us

**Ph:** 585-344-2550
**Fax:** 585-344-8582

In northwestern NY, southeast of Rochester; organized Mar 30, 1802 from Ontario County. **Name Origin:** From the Iroquoian word probably meaning 'beautiful valley.'

**Area (sq mi):** 494.16 (land 492.94; water 1.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.9.

**Pop 2010:** 60,079. **State rank:** 871. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 59,257 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,323; median household $49,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,527 - $32,940.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Batavia (15,465).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**GREENE COUNTY**
411 Main St
Catskill, NY 12414
www.greenegovernment.com
**Ph:** 518-719-3270
**Fax:** 518-719-3793

In southeastern NY, southwest of Albany; organized Mar 25, 1800 from Albany and Ulster counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen,. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War; quartermaster general (1778-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 657.54 (land 647.16; water 10.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.1.

**Pop 2010:** 49,221. **State rank:** 978. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 49,682 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,461; median household $46,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,411 - $36,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAMILTON COUNTY**
PO Box 205
Lake Pleasant, NY 12108
www.hamiltoncounty.com
**Ph:** 518-548-6651
**Fax:** 518-548-9740

In north-central NY, northeast of Utica; organized Apr 12, 1816 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,804.78 (land 1,717.37; water 87.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,836. **State rank:** 2835. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.5%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,228 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 51.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,965; median household $49,557; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,711 - $39,105.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HERKIMER COUNTY**
109 Mary St, Suite 1111
Herkimer, NY 13350
www.herkimercounty.org
**Ph:** 315-867-1129
**Fax:** 315-866-4396

In north-central NY, east of Utica; organized Feb 16, 1791 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nicholas Herkimer (1728-77), Revolutionary War officer and patriot, fatally wounded at the Battle of Oriskany. An earlier name was German Flats, for German settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,458.57 (land 1,411.47; water 47.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.7.

**Pop 2010:** 64,519. **State rank:** 825. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 63,780 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,908; median household $42,318; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,824 - $32,082.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salisbury (12,093).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
175 Arsenal St
Watertown, NY 13601
www.co.jefferson.ny.us
**Ph:** 315-785-3081
**Fax:** 315-785-5145

On central western border of NY on Lake Ontario; organized Mar 28, 1805 from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,853.47 (land 1,268.59; water 584.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.6.

**Pop 2010:** 116,229. **State rank:** 498. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 116,384 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.3%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 32.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,823; median household $43,410; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,612 - $42,661.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Watertown 🏛 (27,023).

**KINGS COUNTY**
360 Adams St Rm 190
Brooklyn, NY 11201
www.nyc.gov
**Ph:** 718-643-7037
**Fax:** 718-643-8187

On the southwestern end of Long Island, east of Manhattan Island; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. The county is coterminous with the borough of Brooklyn, part of New York City. **Name Origin:** For Charles II (1630-85), king of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 97.11 (land 70.82; water 26.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 35369.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,504,700. **State rank:** 7. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,486,235 (White 42.8%; Black or African American 34.3%; Hispanic or Latino 19.8%; Asian 10.5%; Others 19.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 37.4%. **Median age:** 34.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,605; median household $43,567; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,656 - $37,527.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 41.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEWIS COUNTY**
PO Box 232
Lowville, NY 13367
www.lewiscountyny.org
**Ph:** 315-376-5333
**Fax:** 315-376-3768

In north-central NY, east of Syracuse; organized Mar 28, 1805 from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For Morgan Lewis (1754-1844), officer in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812, NY legislator, and

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## Lewis County (cont'd)

governor (1804-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,289.15 (land 1,274.68; water 14.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,087. **State rank:** 1545. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,571 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,970; median household $42,846; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,237 - $31,335.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
6 Court St, Rm 201 **Ph:** 585-243-7010
Geneseo, NY 14454
www.co.livingston.state.ny.us

In western NY, south of Rochester; organized Feb 23, 1821 from Genesee and Ontario counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert R. Livingston (1746-1813), NY patriot, statesman, and a drafter of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 640.08 (land 631.76; water 8.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.5.

**Pop 2010:** 65,393. **State rank:** 816. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 64,205 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,923; median household $51,690; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,608 - $30,706.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ridge (13,336).

**MADISON COUNTY**
138 N Court St PO Box 668 **Ph:** 315-366-2261
Wampsville, NY 13163 **Fax:** 315-366-2615
www.madisoncounty.org

In central NY, east of Syracuse; organized Mar 21, 1806 from Chenango County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), U.S. secretary of state at the time of the county's creation, later fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 660.53 (land 654.84; water 5.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.2.

**Pop 2010:** 73,442. **State rank:** 756. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 70,337 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,311; median household $53,345; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,475 - $32,341.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oneida (11,393).

**MONROE COUNTY**
39 W Main St **Ph:** 585-753-1600
Rochester, NY 14614 **Fax:** 585-753-1624
www.monroecounty.gov

On northwestern border of NY on Lake Ontario; organized Feb 23, 1821 from Genesee and Ontario counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president, in office at the time of the county's creation.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,363.52 (land 657.21; water 706.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 1132.6.

**Pop 2010:** 744,344. **State rank:** 79. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 733,366 (White 76.1%; Black or African American 15.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 3.3%; Others 7.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,999; median household $51,303; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,686 - $42,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rochester 🏛 (210,565); Irondequoit (51,692); Brighton (36,609); Greece (14,519).

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
58 Broadway PO Box 1500 **Ph:** 518-853-3834
Fonda, NY 12068 **Fax:** 518-853-8220
www.co.montgomery.ny.us

In south-central NY, northwest of Albany; organized as Tryon County Mar 12, 1772 (prior to statehood) from Albany County; name changed Apr 2, 1784. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), Revolutionary War officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 408.55 (land 403.04; water 5.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 124.6.

**Pop 2010:** 50,219. **State rank:** 983. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 48,968 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 11.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 11.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,347; median household $42,603; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,561 - $31,887.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Amsterdam (18,620).

**NASSAU COUNTY**
240 Old Country Rd Rm 108 **Ph:** 516-571-2664
Mineola, NY 11501 **Fax:** 516-742-4099
www.nassaucountyny.gov

On the western end of Long Island, east of Manhattan Island; organized Apr 27, 1898 from Queens County. **Name Origin:** For the duchy in Germany associated with the House of Orange, hence with William, Prince of Orange (1650-1702), later William III, King of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 451.11 (land 284.72; water 166.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 4704.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,339,532. **State rank:** 27. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%;

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Nassau County (cont'd)

2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,333,137 (White 73.0%; Black or African American 11.1%; Hispanic or Latino 14.6%; Asian 7.6%; Others 14.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.7%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $41,387; median household $93,613; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $65,934 - $65,615.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 44 (see page 41 for cities).

**NEW YORK COUNTY**
60 Centre St
New York, NY 10007
www.nyc.gov
**Ph:** 646-386-5955
**Fax:** 212-374-5790

Primarily on Manhattan Island at the southeastern tip of NY, west of Long Island; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. The county is coterminous with the borough of Manhattan, part of New York City. **Name Origin:** Named in 1664 when Col. Richard Nicolls seized the Dutch territories for King Charles II of England, who granted them to his brother, James (1633-1701), Duke of York and Albany, later James II, King of England. Lands east of the Hudson River were called Yorkshire, later New York. Called Nieuw Amsterdam by the Dutch.

**Area (sq mi):** 33.64 (land 22.83; water 10.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 69467.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,585,873. **State rank:** 20. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,593,200 (White 57.4%; Black or African American 15.6%; Hispanic or Latino 25.4%; Asian 11.3%; Others 25.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 28.6%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $59,149; median household $64,971; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $118,768 - $111,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New York 🏛 (8,175,133).

**NIAGARA COUNTY**
PO Box 461
Lockport, NY 14095
www.niagaracounty.com
**Ph:** 716-439-7022
**Fax:** 716-439-7066

In northwestern corner of NY on Lake Ontario; organized Mar 11, 1808 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** For the Niagara River, which forms its western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,139.25 (land 522.36; water 616.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 414.4.

**Pop 2010:** 216,469. **State rank:** 290. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 217,008 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.2%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,224; median household $45,964; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,464 - $33,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Niagara Falls (50,193); North Tonawanda (31,568); Lockport 🏛 (21,165).

**ONEIDA COUNTY**
800 Park Ave
Utica, NY 13501
www.oneidacounty.org
**Ph:** 315-798-5776
**Fax:** 315-798-6440

In central NY, northeast of Syracuse; organized May 15, 1798 from Herkimer County. **Name Origin:** For the Oneida Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock; one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois. The name probably means 'stone people,' perhaps in praise of their bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,256.84 (land 1,212.43; water 44.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.7.

**Pop 2010:** 234,878. **State rank:** 276. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 234,105 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 2.8%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,458; median household $46,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,714 - $34,560.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Utica 🏛 (62,235); Rome (33,725).

**ONONDAGA COUNTY**
401 Montgomery St, Rm 200
Syracuse, NY 13202-2256
ongov.net
**Ph:** 315-435-2227
**Fax:** 315-435-3455

In north-central NY, southwest of Rome; organized Mar 5, 1794. **Name Origin:** For the lake, named for the Onondaga Indian tribe, one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois; name probably means 'hill people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 803.79 (land 778.39; water 25.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 600.

**Pop 2010:** 467,026. **State rank:** 143. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 458,053 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 11.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 3.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,037; median household $50,676; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,490 - $39,611.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Syracuse 🏛 (145,170); Fairmount (10,224).

**ONTARIO COUNTY**
20 Ontario St
Canandaigua, NY 14424
www.co.ontario.ny.us
**Ph:** 585-396-4447
**Fax:** 585-396-8818

In west-central NY, southeast of Rochester, organized Jan 27, 1789 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Ontario.

**Area (sq mi):** 662.12 (land 644.07; water 18.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 167.6.

**Pop 2010:** 107,931. **State rank:** 550. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 104,461 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.4%,

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## Ontario County (cont'd)

including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,950; median household $56,468; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,735 - $39,730.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Geneva (13,261); Canandaigua (10,545).

**ORANGE COUNTY**
255 Main St
Goshen, NY 10924
www.co.orange.ny.us
**Ph:** 845-291-2700
**Fax:** 845-291-2724

In southeastern NY, southwest of Poughkeepsie; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For William of Orange (1650-1702), later William III, king of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 833.90 (land 811.69; water 22.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 459.3.

**Pop 2010:** 372,813. **State rank:** 170. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 372,893 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 18.0%; Asian 2.4%; Others 18.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.2%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,944; median household $69,523; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,659 - $38,399.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newburgh (28,866); Middletown (28,086); Kiryas Joel (20,175); Woodbury (10,686).

**ORLEANS COUNTY**
3 S Main St Ste 1
Albion, NY 14411
www.orleansny.com
**Ph:** 585-589-5334
**Fax:** 585-589-0181

On northwestern border of NY, on Lake Ontario, west of Rochester; organized Nov 12, 1824 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** For the French city of Orleans

**Area (sq mi):** 817.33 (land 391.26; water 426.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.6.

**Pop 2010:** 42,883. **State rank:** 1113. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 43,387 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,812; median household $48,063; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,038 - $28,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OSWEGO COUNTY**
46 E Bridge St
Oswego, NY 13126
www.co.oswego.ny.us
**Ph:** 315-349-8220
**Fax:** 315-349-8383

In northwestern NY on Lake Ontario, north of Syracuse; organized Mar 1, 1816 from Oneida and Onondage counties. **Name Origin:** For the Oswego River, which runs through its western part; from Iroquoian *osh-we-go*, probably 'outpouring,' in reference to the mouth of the Oswego River where it empties into Lake Ontario, also translated 'the place where the valley widens.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,310.53 (land 951.65; water 358.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.3.

**Pop 2010:** 122,109. **State rank:** 491. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 123,373 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,604; median household $45,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,397 - $29,997.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oswego (18,142); Fulton (11,896).

**OTSEGO COUNTY**
197 Main St
Cooperstown, NY 60754-4742
www.otsegocounty.com
**Ph:** 607-547-4275
**Fax:** 607-547-7549

In south-central NY, south of Utica; organized Feb 16, 1791 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** Iroquoian 'rock site' or 'place of the rock.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,014.01 (land 1,001.70; water 12.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.2.

**Pop 2010:** 62,259. **State rank:** 832. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 62,746 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,902; median household $45,268; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,458 - $31,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brighton (36,609); Oneonta (13,901).

**PUTNAM COUNTY**
40 Gleneida Ave, 3rd Fl
Carmel, NY 10512
www.putnamcountyny.com
**Ph:** 845-808-1001
**Fax:** 845-808-1901

In southeastern NY, southeast of Poughkeepsie; organized Jun 12, 1812 from Dutchess County. **Name Origin:** For Israel Putnam (1718-90), MA general and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 245.28 (land 230.31; water 14.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 432.9.

**Pop 2010:** 99,710. **State rank:** 583. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 100,507 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 11.7%; Asian 1.9%; Others 11.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.0%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Putnam County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,915; median household $89,218; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,306 - $52,273.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 37 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### QUEENS COUNTY

120-55 Queens Blvd **Ph:** 718-286-0601
Kew Gardens, NY 11424
www.nyc.gov

In western end of Long Island, east of Brooklyn; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. The county is coterminous with the borough of Queens, part of New York City. Includes the following areas; Astoria, Bay Ridge, Flushing, Forest Hills, Howard Beach, Jackson Heights, and Ozone Park. **Name Origin:** For Queen Catharine of Braganza (1638-1705), wife of King Charles II of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 177.57 (land 108.53; water 69.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 20553.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,230,722. **State rank:** 10. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,241,600 (White 39.7%; Black or African American 19.1%; Hispanic or Latino 27.5%; Asian 22.9%; Others 27.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 48.1%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,553; median household $55,291; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,890 - $40,285.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 42 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RENSSELAER COUNTY

1600 7th Ave **Ph:** 518-270-2900
Troy, NY 12180 **Fax:** 518-270-2961
www.rensco.com

On central eastern border of NY, east of Albany; organized Feb 7, 1791 from Albany County. **Name Origin:** For Kiliaen Van Rensselaer (1595-1644), one of the early patrons of the Dutch New Netherlands territories and a founder of the Dutch West India Company. Much of the territory of the county had been granted him by patent in 1630.

**Area (sq mi):** 663.86 (land 652.43; water 11.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 244.4.

**Pop 2010:** 159,429. **State rank:** 398. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 155,251 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 3.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,457; median household $54,152; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,277 - $37,956.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Troy 🏛 (50,129); Stony Point (12,147).

### RICHMOND COUNTY

130 Stuyvesant Pl- 2nd Fl **Ph:** 718-675-7700
Staten Island, NY 10301 **Fax:** 718-390-5269
www.nyc.gov

Coterminous with Staten Island in New York Bay between Long Island and New Jersey; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. The county is coterminous with the borough of Staten Island, part of New York City. **Name Origin:** For Charles Lennox (1672-1723), first Duke of Richmond, son of King Charles II of England (1630-85).

**Area (sq mi):** 102.39 (land 58.37; water 44.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 8030.3.

**Pop 2010:** 468,730. **State rank:** 133. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 464,573 (White 72.9%; Black or African American 10.6%; Hispanic or Latino 17.3%; Asian 7.5%; Others 17.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.8%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,843; median household $71,084; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,988 - $47,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 42 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROCKLAND COUNTY

11 New Hempstead Rd, 1st Fl **Ph:** 845-638-5100
New City, NY 10956 **Fax:** 845-638-5675
www.co.rockland.ny.us

In southeastern NY, northwest of NYC; organized Feb 23, 1798 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For the rugged land and the Palisades on the Hudson River, which form its eastern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 198.67 (land 173.55; water 25.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 1795.9.

**Pop 2010:** 311,687. **State rank:** 211. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 292,916 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 15.7%; Asian 6.2%; Others 15.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 22.1%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,304; median household $82,534; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $53,450 - $52,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 42 for cities).

### SAINT LAWRENCE COUNTY

48 Court St **Ph:** 315-379-2237
Canton, NY 13617 **Fax:** 315-379-2302
www.co.st-lawrence.ny.us

On northwestern border of NY, north of Watertown; organized Mar 3, 1802 from Clinton, Montgomery, and Herkimer counties. **Name Origin:** For the Saint Lawrence River, which forms its western boundary.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,816.26 (land 2,680.38; water 135.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.8.

**Pop 2010:** 111,944. **State rank:** 531. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 111,380 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.9%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 37.5.

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## Saint Lawrence County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,143; median household $42,303; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,536 - $27,809.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ogdensburg (11,128); Massena (10,936).

### SARATOGA COUNTY

40 McMaster St
Ballston Spa, NY 12020
www.co.saratoga.ny.us

**Ph:** 518-885-5381
**Fax:** 518-884-4726

In east-central NY, north of Albany; organized Feb 7, 1791 from Albany County. **Name Origin:** Of Indian origin; possibly from Mohawk word meaning 'springs from the hillside', or from Iroquois for 'beaver place.'

**Area (sq mi):** 841.85 (land 809.98; water 31.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 271.1.

**Pop 2010:** 219,607. **State rank:** 285. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 214,859 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,186; median household $65,100; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,085 - $43,428.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Saratoga Springs (26,586).

### SCHENECTADY COUNTY

620 State St PO Box 549
Schenectady, NY 12305
www.schenectadycounty.com

**Ph:** 518-388-4220
**Fax:** 518-388-4224

In east-central NY, northwest of Albany; organized Mar 7, 1809 from Albany County. **Name Origin:** For the city, its county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 208.04 (land 204.52; water 3.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 756.6.

**Pop 2010:** 154,727. **State rank:** 405. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 149,078 (White 79.6%; Black or African American 9.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 3.2%; Others 5.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.7%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,500; median household $55,188; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,139 - $41,025.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Schenectady (66,135); Rotterdam (20,652).

### SCHOHARIE COUNTY

145 Fort Rd
Schoharie, NY 12157
www.schohariecounty-ny.gov

**Ph:** 518-295-7192
**Fax:** 518-295-7187

In south-central NY, west of Albany; organized Apr 6, 1795 from Albany and Otsego counties. **Name Origin:** For the Schoharie Creek, which runs through it; from Iroquoian for 'driftwood.' Variants include: *skoharle, towasschoher, shoary, skohary*, and *schughhorre*.

**Area (sq mi):** 626.16 (land 621.82; water 4.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.7.

**Pop 2010:** 32,749. **State rank:** 1385. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 32,277 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,105; median household $50,864; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,586 - $34,120.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCHUYLER COUNTY

105 9th St
Watkins Glen, NY 14891
www.schuylercounty.us

**Ph:** 607-535-8133
**Fax:** 607-535-8130

In north-central NY, southeast of Rochester; organized Apr 17, 1854 from Tompkins, Steuben, and Chemung counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip John Schuyler (1733-1804), an officer in the Revolutionary War, NY legislator, and U.S. senator (1789-91; 1797-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 341.84 (land 328.33; water 13.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,343. **State rank:** 1875. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 19,342 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,123; median household $47,404; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,768 - $33,873.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SENECA COUNTY

1 DiPronio Dr
Waterloo, NY 13165
www.co.seneca.ny.us

**Ph:** 315-539-1771
**Fax:** 315-539-3789

In north-central NY, southeast of Rochester; organized Mar 24, 1804 from Cayuga County. **Name Origin:** For the Seneca Indians, one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois.

**Area (sq mi):** 389.31 (land 323.71; water 65.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.9.

**Pop 2010:** 35,251. **State rank:** 1318. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 34,855 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,818; median household $46,707; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,935 - $33,886.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**STEUBEN COUNTY**
3 E Pulteny Sq
Bath, NY 14810
www.steubencony.org
**Ph:** 607-776-9631
**Fax:** 607-664-2158

On central southern border of NY, south of Rochester; organized Mar 17, 1796 from Ontario County. **Name Origin:** For Baron Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben (1730-94), Prussian soldier and inspector general of the Continental Army during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,402.01 (land 1,390.56; water 11.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.2.

**Pop 2010:** 98,990. **State rank:** 593. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 98,632 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,279; median household $43,867; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,988 - $37,447.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corning (11,183).

**SUFFOLK COUNTY**
310 Center Dr
Riverhead, NY 11901-1339
suffolkcountyny.gov
**Ph:** 631-852-2000
**Fax:** 631-852-2004

On eastern end of Long Island, NY; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For Suffolk County, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,372.92 (land 912.05; water 1,460.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 1637.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,493,350. **State rank:** 22. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,474,927 (White 80.8%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 16.5%; Asian 3.4%; Others 16.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.0%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,755; median household $84,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $50,755 - $49,994.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 58 (see page 42 for cities).

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**
100 North St PO Box 5012
Monticello, NY 12701
www.co.sullivan.ny.us
**Ph:** 845-794-3000
**Fax:** 845-794-6928

In south-central NY, west of Poughkeepsie; organized Mar 27, 1809 from Ulster County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Sullilvan (1740-95), Revolutionary War officer, member of the Continental Congress (1780-81), and president of NH (1786, 1787, 1789).

**Area (sq mi):** 995.27 (land 968.13; water 27.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 80.1.

**Pop 2010:** 77,547. **State rank:** 710. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 76,539 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 9.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 13.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,422; median household $48,103; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,486 - $35,764.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Vernon (67,292).

**TIOGA COUNTY**
16 Court St PO Box 307
Owego, NY 13827
www.tiogacountyny.com
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**Fax:** 607-687-8686

On central southern border of NY, south of Ithaca; organized Feb 16, 1791 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For the Iroquoian town on the Susquehanna River near Athens, PA, just south of the county line; from Iroquoian probably meaning 'place between two points' or 'at the forks.'

**Area (sq mi):** 522.81 (land 518.60; water 4.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.6.

**Pop 2010:** 51,125. **State rank:** 959. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 51,475 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,596; median household $51,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,257 - $34,327.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TOMPKINS COUNTY**
320 N Tioga St PO Box 70
Ithaca, NY 14850
www.co.tompkins.ny.us
**Ph:** 607-274-5431
**Fax:** 607-274-5445

In south-central NY, northeast of Elmira; organized Apr 7, 1817 from Cayuga and Seneca counties. **Name Origin:** For Daniel D. Tompkins (1774-1825), associate justice of the NY supreme court (1804-07), governor (1807-17) and U.S. vice president (1817-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 490.22 (land 474.65; water 15.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 214.

**Pop 2010:** 101,564. **State rank:** 564. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 100,018 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 8.6%; Others 4.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.5%. **Median age:** 29.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,737; median household $48,655; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,018 - $34,713.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ithaca 🏛 (30,014).

**ULSTER COUNTY**
244 Fair St PO Box 1800
Kingston, NY 12402
www.co.ulster.ny.us
**Ph:** 845-340-3288
**Fax:** 845-340-3299

In southeastern NY, west of Poughkeepsie; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For Ulster, Ireland, the earldom of the Duke of York, specifically honoring James Stuart (1633-1701), later

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## Ulster County (cont'd)

James II, king of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,158.52 (land 1,124.24; water 34.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 162.3.

**Pop 2010:** 182,493. **State rank:** 337. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 182,693 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 1.7%; Others 8.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,954; median household $57,584; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,053 - $37,741.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kingston (23,893); Manorville (14,314).

**WARREN COUNTY**
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Lake George, NY 12845
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**Fax:** 518-761-7683

In northeastern NY, north of Saratoga; organized Mar 12, 1813 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Continental Congress who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 929.32 (land 866.95; water 62.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.8.

**Pop 2010:** 65,707. **State rank:** 785. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 65,548 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,744; median household $51,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,364 - $38,147.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Glens Falls (14,700).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
383 Broadway
Fort Edward, NY 12828
www.co.washington.ny.us
**Ph:** 518-746-2420
**Fax:** 518-746-2177

On central eastern border of NY, east of Glens Falls; organized as Charlotte County Mar 12, 1772 (prior to statehood) from Albany County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president. Name changed Apr 2, 1784 from Charlotte, which had been given to honor the wife of King George III of England (1738-1820).

**Area (sq mi):** 841.58 (land 831.18; water 10.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.1.

**Pop 2010:** 63,216. **State rank:** 818. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 63,024 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,347; median household $48,327; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,120 - $31,825.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
26 Church St County Courthouse
Lyons, NY 14489
www.co.wayne.ny.us
**Ph:** 315-946-5400
**Fax:** 315-946-5407

On central western border of NY on Lake Ontario, east of Rochester; organized Apr 11, 1823 from Ontario and Seneca counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-1796), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed 'Mad Anthony' for his daring during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,383.76 (land 603.83; water 779.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 155.3.

**Pop 2010:** 93,772. **State rank:** 616. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 93,609 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,092; median household $52,562; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,231 - $34,649.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WESTCHESTER COUNTY**
110 Dr ML King Jr Blvd, 3rd Fl
White Plains, NY 10601
www.westchestergov.com
**Ph:** 914-995-3080
**Fax:** 914-995-4030

In southwestern NY, north of New York City; original county, organized Nov 1, 1683. **Name Origin:** For the town and county of Chester in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 497.76 (land 430.50; water 67.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 2204.7.

**Pop 2010:** 949,113. **State rank:** 45. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 940,807 (White 68.1%; Black or African American 14.6%; Hispanic or Latino 21.8%; Asian 5.4%; Others 21.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 24.3%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $47,814; median household $79,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $77,165 - $73,159.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 42 for cities).

**WYOMING COUNTY**
143 N Main St
Warsaw, NY 14569
www.wyomingco.net
**Ph:** 585-786-8810
**Fax:** 585-786-3703

In northwestern NY, southeast of Buffalo, organized May 19, 1841 from Genesee County. **Name Origin:** The name is from a modified Delaware Indian word meaning broad bottom lands.

**Area (sq mi):** 596.28 (land 592.75; water 3.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wyoming County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 42,155. **State rank:** 1131. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 42,693 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,605; median household $50,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,422 - $29,150.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YATES COUNTY**
417 Liberty St
Penn Yan, NY 14527
www.yatescounty.org

**Ph:** 315-536-5120
**Fax:** 315-536-5545

In northwestern NY, southeast of Rochester; organized Feb 5, 1823 from Ontario County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Christopher Yates (1768-1837), NY supreme court justice (1808-22) and governor (1823-24) at the time of the county's creation.

**Area (sq mi):** 375.66 (land 338.14; water 37.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.

**Pop 2010:** 25,348. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,756 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,255; median household $46,822; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,513 - $30,259.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# North Carolina

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**NORTH CAROLINA STATE INFORMATION**
www.ncgov.com **Ph:** 919-733-1110

**Area (sq mi):** 53,818.51 (land 48,710.88; water 5,107.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 196.1.

**Pop 2010:** 9,535,483. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 8,683,242 (White 68.5%; Black or African American 21.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 2.2%; Others 8.4%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,638; median household $45,570; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,761 - $35,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

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**ALAMANCE COUNTY**
124 W Elm St **Ph:** 336-228-1312
Graham, NC 27253 **Fax:** 336-570-6788
www.alamance-nc.com

In north-central NC, west of Durham; organized Jan 29, 1849 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Great Alamance Creek, which flows through the county, from an Indian word of uncertain meaning; or for the Battle of Alamance (May 6, 1771).

**Area (sq mi):** 428.72 (land 423.94; water 4.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 356.5.

**Pop 2010:** 151,131. **State rank:** 411. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 140,533 (White 71.1%; Black or African American 18.8%; Hispanic or Latino 11.0%; Asian 1.2%; Others 11.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,819; median household $44,167; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,443 - $30,720.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burlington (49,963); Graham 🏛 (14,153); Mebane (11,393).

**ALEXANDER COUNTY**
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Taylorsville, NC 28681 **Fax:** 828-632-0059
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In west-central NC, northwest of Charlotte; established Jan 15, 1847 from Iredell, Caldwell, and Wilks counties. **Name Origin:** For William Julius Alexander (1797-1857), NC legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 262.94 (land 259.99; water 2.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 143.1.

**Pop 2010:** 37,198. **State rank:** 1245. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 35,492 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 5.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 1.0%; Others 4.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,716; median household $40,014; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,488 - $29,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLEGHANY COUNTY**
12 N Main St PO Box 61 **Ph:** 336-372-8949
Sparta, NC 28675 **Fax:** 336-372-4899
www.alleghanycounty-nc.gov

On the northwestern border of NC, northwest of Winston-Salem; organized 1859 from Ashe County. **Name Origin:** For the Allegheny River, with a variant spelling.

**Area (sq mi):** 235.93 (land 235.06; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,155. **State rank:** 2352. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 10,900 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 9.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,919; median household $30,845; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,172 - $30,522.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ANSON COUNTY**
101 S Greene St **Ph:** 704-694-3200
Wadesboro, NC 28170 **Fax:** 704-694-7015
www.co.anson.nc.us

On the central-southern border of NC, southeast of Charlotte; organized Mar 17, 1749 (prior to statehood) from Bladen County. **Name Origin:** For George, Lord Anson (1697-1762), British admiral assigned to protect the Carolina coast from pirates.

**Area (sq mi):** 537.01 (land 531.45; water 5.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.7.

**Pop 2010:** 26,948. **State rank:** 1592. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 25,499 (White 47.2%; Black or African American 48.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.5.

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## Anson County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,856; median household $34,745; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,694 - $24,822.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ASHE COUNTY**
150 Government Cir Suite 3100 **Ph:** 336-246-5641
Jefferson, NC 28640 **Fax:** 336-246-4276
www.ashechamber.com

In the northwest corner of NC; organized Nov 18, 1799 from Wilkes County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Ashe (1725-1813), NC legislator, chief justice of NC (1777-95), and governor (1795-98).

**Area (sq mi):** 426.79 (land 426.14; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 64.

**Pop 2010:** 27,281. **State rank:** 1557. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 25,347 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,350; median household $34,538; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,491 - $28,101.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AVERY COUNTY**
PO Box 115 **Ph:** 828-733-2900
Newland, NC 28657 **Fax:** 828-733-8410
www.averycountync.gov

On the northwestern border of NC, northeast of Asheville; organized Feb 23, 1911 from Mitchell, Caldwell, and Watauga counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Waightstill Avery (1745-1821), Revolutionary War officer, NC legislator, and attorney general (1777-79).

**Area (sq mi):** 247.29 (land 247.09; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.

**Pop 2010:** 17,797. **State rank:** 1916. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 17,641 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,465; median household $34,918; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,250 - $28,275.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEAUFORT COUNTY**
121 W 3rd St **Ph:** 252-946-0079
Washington, NC 27889 **Fax:** 252-946-7722
www.co.beaufort.nc.us

On central eastern border of NC, east of Goldsboro; organized as Pamptecough Precinct Dec 3, 1705 (prior to statehood) from Bath County, which was organized in 1696 and abolished in 1739; name changed about 1712. **Name Origin:** For Henry Somerset (1684-1714), Duke of Beaufort, a Lord Proprietor of the colony of SC. Originally for the Pamptecough (Pamlico) River.

**Area (sq mi):** 957.91 (land 827.19; water 130.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.7.

**Pop 2010:** 47,759. **State rank:** 1019. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 46,018 (White 68.2%; Black or African American 25.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,728; median household $40,653; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,571 - $31,509.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BERTIE COUNTY**
106 Dundee St PO Box 530 **Ph:** 252-794-5300
Windsor, NC 27983 **Fax:** 252-794-5327
www.co.bertie.nc.us

In northeastern NC, east of Rocky Mount; organized 1722 (prior to statehood) from Chowan County. **Name Origin:** For James (1673-1735) and Henry (1675-1735) Bertie, brothers who were Lords Proprietor of the colony of North Carolina.

**Area (sq mi):** 741.30 (land 699.27; water 42.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.4.

**Pop 2010:** 21,282. **State rank:** 1844. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,480 (White 35.2%; Black or African American 62.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,614; median household $29,110; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,715 - $28,884.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLADEN COUNTY**
138 W Broad St Rm 105 **Ph:** 910-862-4163
Elizabethtown, NC 28337 **Fax:** 910-862-6602
www.bladeninfo.org

In south-central NC, southeast of Fayetteville; organized 1734 (prior to statehood) from New Hanover County. **Name Origin:** For Martin Bladen (1680-1746), English soldier and commissioner of trade and plantations (1717-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 886.52 (land 874.33; water 12.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.2.

**Pop 2010:** 35,190. **State rank:** 1366. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 32,938 (White 56.3%; Black or African American 34.9%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 7.1%, including 2.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,890; median household $30,471; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,907 - $28,406.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Bladen County (cont'd)

35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRUNSWICK COUNTY**
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Bolivia, NC 28422
www.brunsco.net

**Ph:** 910-253-2000
**Fax:** 910-253-2022

On the southeastern border of NC, west of Wilmington; organized 1764 (prior to statehood) from New Hanover and Bladen counties. **Name Origin:** For the German city and duchy; the Duke of Brunswick was one of the titles of the British royal house of Hanover.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,042.18 (land 846.97; water 195.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.8.

**Pop 2010:** 107,431. **State rank:** 544. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.5%; 2000-2005 +21.9%. **Pop 2005:** 89,162 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,315; median household $45,806; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,324 - $32,220.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Leland (13,527).

**BUNCOMBE COUNTY**
205 College St, Suite 300
Asheville, NC 28801
www.buncombecounty.org

**Ph:** 828-250-4100
**Fax:** 828-250-6077

In southwestern NC; organized Dec 5, 1791 from Burke and Rutherford counties (in 1812 annexed Walton County, which was formed in 1803 from Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Col. Edward Buncombe (1742-78), a NC officer in the Revolutionary War who died while a prisoner of the British.

**Area (sq mi):** 660.48 (land 656.67; water 3.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 362.9.

**Pop 2010:** 238,318. **State rank:** 275. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 218,876 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,665; median household $44,190; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,243 - $33,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Asheville 🏛 (83,393); Wilson (49,167).

**BURKE COUNTY**
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Morganton, NC 28680-0021
www.co.burke.nc.us

**Ph:** 828-439-4340
**Fax:** 828-438-2782

In southwestern NC, northeast of Asheville; organized Apr 8, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Rowan County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Thomas Burke (1747-83), member of the Continental Congress (1776-81) and NC governor (1781-82).

**Area (sq mi):** 515.27 (land 507.10; water 8.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 179.3.

**Pop 2010:** 90,912. **State rank:** 631. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 89,399 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 3.5%; Others 5.1%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,220; median household $37,139; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,048 - $29,317.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Morganton 🏛 (16,918).

**CABARRUS COUNTY**
65 Church St SE
Concord, NC 28025
www.cabarruscounty.us

**Ph:** 704-920-2100
**Fax:** 704-920-2820

In west-central NC, northeast of Charlotte; organized Nov 15, 1791 from Mecklenburg County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Cabarrus (1754-1808), NC legislator and speaker of the NC House of Commons.

**Area (sq mi):** 362.34 (land 361.75; water 0.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 492.1.

**Pop 2010:** 178,011. **State rank:** 354. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.5%; 2000-2005 +14.6%. **Pop 2005:** 150,244 (White 75.4%; Black or African American 15.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 2.0%; Others 9.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,165; median household $53,928; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,061 - $33,926.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord 🏛 (79,066); Kannapolis (42,625); Harrisburg (11,526).

**CALDWELL COUNTY**
PO Box 2200
Lenoir, NC 28645
www.co.caldwell.nc.us

**Ph:** 828-757-1300
**Fax:** 828-757-1295

In northwestern NC, northwest of Charlotte; organized Jan 11, 1841 from Burke and Wilkes counties. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Caldwell (1773-1835), first president of the University of North Carolina (1804-12; 1817-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 474.27 (land 471.57; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 176.1.

**Pop 2010:** 83,029. **State rank:** 682. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 79,122 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,686; median household $37,261; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,999 - $26,958.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lenoir 🏛 (18,228).

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**CAMDEN COUNTY**
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Camden, NC 27921
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**Ph:** 252-338-1919
**Fax:** 252-333-1603

On northeastern border of NC, east of Elizabeth City; organized Apr 8, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Pasquotank County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Pratt (1716-94), Earl of Camden, English jurist and political leader who supported the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 305.58 (land 240.56; water 65.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,980. **State rank:** 2449. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.3%; 2000-2005 +30.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,967 (White 82.1%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.5%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,544; median household $61,091; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,120 - $35,414.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARTERET COUNTY**
302 Courthouse Sq Complex
Beaufort, NC 28516
www.co.carteret.nc.us
**Ph:** 252-728-8450
**Fax:** 252-728-2092

On the central eastern shore of NC, east of Jacksonville; organized 1722 (prior to statehood) from Craven County. **Name Origin:** For John Carteret (1690-1763), later Earl Granville, a lord proprietor of the Carolinas.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,326.93 (land 506.25; water 820.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 131.3.

**Pop 2010:** 66,469. **State rank:** 799. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 62,525 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,791; median household $46,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,265 - $38,728.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Holly Springs (24,661).

**CASWELL COUNTY**
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Yanceyville, NC 27379
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**Fax:** 336-694-7338

On the central northern border of NC, northwest of Durham; organized Apr 8, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Caswell (1729-89), Revolutionary War officer; first and fifth governor of NC (1775-79; 1784-87).

**Area (sq mi):** 428.68 (land 424.92; water 3.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,719. **State rank:** 1673. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 23,608 (White 62.5%; Black or African American 33.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,814; median household $36,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,480 - $29,984.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CATAWBA COUNTY**
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Newton, NC 28658-8038
www.catawbacountync.gov
**Ph:** 828-465-8200
**Fax:** 828-465-8392

In west-central NC, northwest of Charlotte; organized Dec 12, 1842 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For the Catawba Indians of Siouan linguistic stock who lived in the area and were recognized as the most powerful tribe; origin of name unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 412.26 (land 398.72; water 13.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 387.1.

**Pop 2010:** 154,358. **State rank:** 378. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 151,641 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 3.5%; Others 8.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,969; median household $43,484; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,543 - $32,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hickory (40,010); Newton (12,968).

**CHATHAM COUNTY**
12 East St PO Box 1809
Pittsboro, NC 27312
www.chathamnc.org
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**Fax:** 919-542-1402

In north-central NC, southwest of Durham; established Apr 1, 1771 (prior to statehood) from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt (the Elder; 1708-78), 1st Earl of Chatham, known as the Great Commoner, for his support of the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 708.38 (land 682.19; water 26.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.1.

**Pop 2010:** 63,505. **State rank:** 795. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.5%; 2000-2005 +17.6%. **Pop 2005:** 58,002 (White 76.0%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 13.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 13.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.5%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,991; median household $56,038; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,726 - $45,804.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHEROKEE COUNTY**
75 Peachtree St
Murphy, NC 28906
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**Ph:** 828-837-5527
**Fax:** 828-837-9684

In the southwestern corner of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized Jan 4, 1839 from Macon County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Cherokee County (cont'd)

of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 466.92 (land 455.43; water 11.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,444. **State rank:** 1540. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 25,796 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,747; median household $38,144; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,886 - $25,518.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHOWAN COUNTY

115 E King St PO Box 1030 **Ph:** 252-482-8431
Edenton, NC 27932 **Fax:** 252-482-4925
www.chowancounty-nc.gov

In northeastern NC on Albemarle Sound; organized as Shaftsbury Precinct of Albemarle County in 1668 (prior to statehood); name changed about 1681. **Name Origin:** For the Chowan River, which forms its western border; itself named for the Chowanoc, an Algonquian Indian tribe, probably 'those in the south.' Originally for Anthony Ashley Cooper (1621-83), Earl of Shaftsbury, an original lord proprietor of Carolina.

**Area (sq mi):** 233.14 (land 172.47; water 60.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,793. **State rank:** 2111. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,528 (White 62.0%; Black or African American 34.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,900; median household $36,761; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,322 - $33,122.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAY COUNTY

25 Herbert St PO Box 506 **Ph:** 828-389-8334
Hayesville, NC 28904 **Fax:** 828-389-3329
www.main.nc.us/clay

On the southwestern border of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized Feb 20, 1861 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the 'Great Pacificator' for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 220.64 (land 214.75; water 5.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,587. **State rank:** 2399. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,765 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 49.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,474; median household $35,109; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,247 - $27,199.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLEVELAND COUNTY

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Shelby, NC 28151 **Fax:** 704-484-4930
www.clevelandcounty.com

On the southern border of NC, west of Charlotte; organized as Cleaveland County Jan 11, 1841 from Rutherford and Lincoln counties. Present spelling adopted in 1887. **Name Origin:** For Col. Benjamin Cleaveland (1738-1806), a hero of the Battle of King's Mountain (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 468.22 (land 464.25; water 3.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 211.3.

**Pop 2010:** 98,078. **State rank:** 582. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 98,288 (White 75.6%; Black or African American 20.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,284; median household $38,208; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,333 - $29,990.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shelby 🏛 (20,323); Archdale (11,415); Kings Mountain (10,296).

### COLUMBUS COUNTY

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Whiteville, NC 28472 **Fax:** 910-641-3027
www.columbusco.org

On southeastern border of NC, west of Wilmington; organized Dec 15, 1808 from Bladen and Brunswick counties. **Name Origin:** For explorer Christopher Columbus (1451-1506).

**Area (sq mi):** 954.09 (land 937.29; water 16.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.

**Pop 2010:** 58,098. **State rank:** 910. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 54,746 (White 61.5%; Black or African American 30.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.6%, including 3.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,784; median household $35,421; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,342 - $28,300.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CRAVEN COUNTY

406 Craven St **Ph:** 252-636-6600
New Bern, NC 28560 **Fax:** 252-637-0526
www.co.craven.nc.us

In central eastern NC, northeast of Jacksonville; organized Dec 3, 1705 (prior to statehood) as Archdale Precinct of Bath District, although there is evidence that an Archdale County had existed since 1696. Name changed 1712. **Name Origin:** Probably for William (1668-1711), 2nd Earl of Craven, who died the year before the name changed. Others claim the 1st Earl (1606-97), an original lord proprietor of

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## Craven County (cont'd)

Carolina, or the 3rd Earl, one of the proprietors when the name was changed. Originally named for John Archdale (1642?-1717), a lord proprietor and governor of Carolina (1694-96).

**Area (sq mi):** 774.68 (land 708.96; water 65.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 146.

**Pop 2010:** 103,505. **State rank:** 588. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.0%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 90,795 (White 70.0%; Black or African American 22.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 2.0%; Others 6.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,591; median household $44,599; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,663 - $35,867.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Bern (29,524); Havelock (20,735).

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
117 Dick St PO Box 1829 **Ph:** 910-678-7771
Fayetteville, NC 28302 **Fax:** 910-678-7770
www.co.cumberland.nc.us

In south-central NC, south of Durham; organized Feb 19, 1754 (prior to statehood) from Bladen County. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus (1721-65), Duke of Cumberland, British general and second son of George II.

**Area (sq mi):** 658.06 (land 652.32; water 5.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 489.7.

**Pop 2010:** 319,431. **State rank:** 201. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 304,520 (White 51.4%; Black or African American 36.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 2.2%; Others 9.5%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,285; median household $43,834; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,219 - $42,523.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fayetteville (200,564); Hope Mills (15,176); Spring Lake (11,964).

**CURRITUCK COUNTY**
153 Courthouse Rd PO Box 39 **Ph:** 252-232-2075
Currituck, NC 27929 **Fax:** 252-232-3551
www.co.currituck.nc.us

On the northeastern shore of NC, east of Elizabeth City; organized by 1668 (prior to statehood) as a precinct of Albemarle District. **Name Origin:** From an obscure Indian name, said to mean 'wild geese.'

**Area (sq mi):** 525.80 (land 261.85; water 263.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,547. **State rank:** 1617. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +27.1%. **Pop 2005:** 23,112 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,083; median household $55,376; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,522 - $38,239.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DARE COUNTY**
954 Marshall C Collins Dr PO Box 1000 **Ph:** 252-475-5800
Manteo, NC 27954 **Fax:** 252-473-1817
www.co.dare.nc.us

On the central eastern shore of NC on Pamlico Sound, east of Greenville; organized Feb 2, 1870 from Tyrrell, Hyde, and Currituck counties. **Name Origin:** For Virginia Dare, born (Aug 18, 1587) on Roanoke Island in the county, the first child of English parents to be born in the Americas.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,561.35 (land 383.42; water 1,177.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.5.

**Pop 2010:** 33,920. **State rank:** 1311. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +13.1%. **Pop 2005:** 33,903 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,327; median household $53,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,128 - $37,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAVIDSON COUNTY**
913 Greensboro St PO Box 1067 **Ph:** 336-242-2200
Lexington, NC 27292 **Fax:** 336-248-8440
www.co.davidson.nc.us

In west-central NC, south of Winston-Salem; organized 1822 from Rowan County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Lee Davidson (1746-81), army officer killed during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 567.30 (land 552.68; water 14.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 294.7.

**Pop 2010:** 162,878. **State rank:** 384. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 154,623 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 8.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.2%; Others 6.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,268; median household $44,249; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,733 - $32,068.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Thomasville (26,757); Lexington (18,931).

**DAVIE COUNTY**
123 S Main St **Ph:** 336-751-6001
Mocksville, NC 27028 **Fax:** 336-751-7408
www.co.davie.nc.us

In west-central NC, southwest of Winston-Salem; organized 1836 from Rowan County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Richardson Davie (1756-1820), Revolutionary War hero, NC governor (1798-99), and a founder of the University of NC.

**Area (sq mi):** 265.81 (land 264.11; water 1.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 156.2.

**Pop 2010:** 41,240. **State rank:** 1127. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 39,136 (White 87.5%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Davie County (cont'd)

American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,139; median household $49,727; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,526 - $35,231.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DUPLIN COUNTY

112 Duplin St PO Box 189
Kenansville, NC 28349
www.duplincounty.org

**Ph:** 910-296-1686
**Fax:** 910-296-2310

In southeastern NC, south of Goldsboro; organized 1749 (prior to statehood) from New Hanover County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hay (1710-87), Lord Duplin, member of the Board of Trade and Plantations.

**Area (sq mi):** 817.60 (land 816.22; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.7.

**Pop 2010:** 58,505. **State rank:** 922. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 51,985 (White 57.2%; Black or African American 25.3%; Hispanic or Latino 20.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 20.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.7%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,693; median household $32,816; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,127 - $28,306.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (79,066).

### DURHAM COUNTY

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Durham, NC 27701
www.co.durham.nc.us

**Ph:** 919-560-0000
**Fax:** 919-560-0020

In north-central NC, northwest of Raleigh; organized Feb 28, 1881 from Orange and Wake counties. **Name Origin:** For the city of Durham, the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 293.45 (land 285.98; water 7.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 935.7.

**Pop 2010:** 267,587. **State rank:** 236. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 242,582 (White 46.4%; Black or African American 38.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.5%; Asian 4.6%; Others 13.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.9%. **Median age:** 33.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,503; median household $49,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,473 - $37,964.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Durham 🏛 (228,330).

### EDGECOMBE COUNTY

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Tarboro, NC 27886
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**Ph:** 252-641-7833
**Fax:** 252-641-0456

In east-central NC, northeast of Goldsboro; organized Apr 4, 1741 (prior to statehood) from Bertie County, although deeds began in 1732. **Name Origin:** For Richard Edgecumbe (1680-1758), later 1st Baron Edgecumbe, English statesman. Present spelling is now accepted.

**Area (sq mi):** 506.89 (land 505.34; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.9.

**Pop 2010:** 56,552. **State rank:** 939. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 54,129 (White 38.8%; Black or African American 57.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,747; median household $32,665; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,836 - $27,103.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tarboro 🏛 (11,415).

### FORSYTH COUNTY

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Winston-Salem, NC 27120
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In north-central NC, west of Greensboro; organized Jan 6, 1849 from Stokes County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Benjamin Forsyth (c.1760-1814), NC legislator and army officer killed during the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.47 (land 408.15; water 3.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 859.2.

**Pop 2010:** 350,670. **State rank:** 180. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 325,967 (White 62.3%; Black or African American 26.0%; Hispanic or Latino 11.9%; Asian 1.9%; Others 11.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,213; median household $46,749; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,401 - $37,059.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Winston-Salem 🏛 (229,617); Kernersville (23,123); Lewisville (12,639).

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

113 Market St
Louisburg, NC 27549
www.co.franklin.nc.us

**Ph:** 919-496-5994
**Fax:** 919-496-2683

In north-central NC, northeast of Raleigh; organized 1779 (prior to statehood) from Southern half of Bute County, which was discontinued at that time. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 494.25 (land 491.68; water 2.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 123.3.

**Pop 2010:** 60,619. **State rank:** 849. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +15.2%. **Pop 2005:** 54,429 (White 66.0%; Black or African American 26.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

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## Franklin County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,331; median household $43,710; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,663 - $29,071.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GASTON COUNTY**
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Gastonia, NC 28053
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**Fax:** 704-866-3908

On the southern central border of NC, west of Charlotte; organized Dec 21, 1846 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For William Gaston (1778-1844), NC legislator, U.S. representative (1813-17), and judge of the NC Supreme Court (1833-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 363.36 (land 356.03; water 7.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 578.8.

**Pop 2010:** 206,086. **State rank:** 295. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 196,137 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 15.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,305; median household $43,253; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,889 - $33,922.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gastonia (71,741); Mount Holly (13,656); Belmont (10,076).

**GATES COUNTY**
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Gatesville, NC 27938
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**Fax:** 252-357-0073

On the northeastern border of NC, northwest of Elizabeth City; organized 1779 (prior to statehood) from Chowan, Hertford, and Perquimans counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Horatio Gates (1728?-1806), Continental Army officer who defeated John Burgoyne (1722-92) at the Battle of Satatoga (1777).

**Area (sq mi):** 345.45 (land 340.45; water 5). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.8.

**Pop 2010:** 12,197. **State rank:** 2306. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,224 (White 63.7%; Black or African American 33.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,893; median household $45,682; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,547 - $26,105.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAHAM COUNTY**
12 N Main St
Robbinsville, NC 28771
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**Ph:** 828-479-7961
**Fax:** 828-479-7988

On the southwestern border of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized Jan 30, 1872 from Cherokee County. **Name Origin:** For William Alexander Graham (1804-75), U.S. senator from NC (1840-43), governor (1845-49), and U.S. secretary of the navy (1850-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 301.61 (land 292.08; water 9.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,861. **State rank:** 2587. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,085 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 6.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,825; median household $28,447; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,812 - $24,468.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANVILLE COUNTY**
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Oxford, NC 27565
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On the central northern border of NC, north of Raleigh; organized Jun 28, 1746 (prior to statehood) from Edgecombe County. **Name Origin:** For John Carteret (1690-1763), Earl Granville, a lord proprietor who owned the district in which the new county was located.

**Area (sq mi):** 537.02 (land 531.57; water 5.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 112.7.

**Pop 2010:** 59,916. **State rank:** 875. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 53,674 (White 60.4%; Black or African American 32.8%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,733; median household $48,210; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,492 - $27,588.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENE COUNTY**
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Snow Hill, NC 28580
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**Fax:** 252-747-2700

In east-central NC, northeast of Goldsboro; organized Nov 18, 1799 when Glasgow County was renamed Greene. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780). Originally for James Glasgow, NC secretary of state (1777-98), who became involved in land frauds.

**Area (sq mi):** 266.42 (land 265.93; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 80.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,362. **State rank:** 1781. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,026 (White 50.8%; Black or African American 37.3%; Hispanic or Latino 14.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 14.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Greene County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,362; median household $41,488; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,114 - $26,103.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GUILFORD COUNTY

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Greensboro, NC 27402
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**Fax:** 336-641-6833

In north-central NC, east of Winston-Salem; organized Apr 1, 1771 (prior to statehood) from Rowan and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For Francis North (1704-90), 1st Earl of Guilford and father of Frederick, Lord North (1732-92), who was the prime minister of England at the time of the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 653.98 (land 645.70; water 8.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 756.4.

**Pop 2010:** 488,406. **State rank:** 137. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 443,519 (White 57.0%; Black or African American 32.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 3.9%; Others 7.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,267; median household $45,676; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,197 - $36,748.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greensboro 🏛 (269,666); High Point (104,371); Summerfield (10,232).

### HALIFAX COUNTY

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Halifax, NC 27839
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**Fax:** 252-583-9921

On the central northern border of NC, north of Rocky Mount; organized 1758 (prior to statehood) from Edgecombe County. **Name Origin:** For George Montagu (1716-71), second Earl of Halifax, president of the English Board of Trade, called the 'Father of the Colonies' for his strong support of trade with them.

**Area (sq mi):** 730.08 (land 724.09; water 5.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.5.

**Pop 2010:** 54,691. **State rank:** 908. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 56,023 (White 40.0%; Black or African American 53.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.1%, including 3.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,223; median household $30,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,238 - $28,819.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Roanoke Rapids (15,754); Belmont (10,076).

### HARNETT COUNTY

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Lillington, NC 27546
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In central NC, north of Fayetteville; organized Feb 7, 1855 from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Cornelius Harnett (1723-81), patriot and member of the Continental Congress (1777-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 601.28 (land 594.99; water 6.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 192.7.

**Pop 2010:** 114,678. **State rank:** 511. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.6%; 2000-2005 +13.9%. **Pop 2005:** 103,692 (White 68.3%; Black or African American 20.9%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 10.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,274; median household $42,853; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,761 - $28,537.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAYWOOD COUNTY

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Waynesville, NC 28786
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On the southwestern border of NC, west of Asheville; organized Dec 15, 1808 from Buncombe County. **Name Origin:** For John Haywood (1755-1827), NC state treasurer (1787-1827).

**Area (sq mi):** 554.65 (land 553.69; water 0.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 106.6.

**Pop 2010:** 59,036. **State rank:** 877. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 56,482 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,233; median household $41,377; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,264 - $30,980.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENDERSON COUNTY

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Hendersonville, NC 28792
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**Ph:** 828-697-4808
**Fax:** 828-692-9855

On the southwestern border of NC, south of Asheville; organized Dec 15, 1838 from Buncombe County. **Name Origin:** For Leonard Henderson (1772-1833), judge of the NC Supreme Court (1818-29) and chief justice (1829-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 374.11 (land 373.07; water 1.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 286.1.

**Pop 2010:** 106,740. **State rank:** 556. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 97,217 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 9.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,061; median household $46,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,139 - $35,577.

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## Henderson County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Holly Springs (24,661); Hendersonville (13,137).

**HERTFORD COUNTY**
704 North King St
Winton, NC 27986
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**Ph:** 252-358-7805
**Fax:** 252-358-7806

On the northeastern border of NC, northeast of Rocky Mount; organized 1759 (prior to statehood) from Chowan, Bertie, and Northampton counties. **Name Origin:** For Francis Seymour Conway (1719-94), Earl (later Marquis) of Hertford, British statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 360.22 (land 353.06; water 7.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,669. **State rank:** 1659. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 23,574 (White 35.6%; Black or African American 60.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,002; median household $30,878; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,630 - $27,093.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOKE COUNTY**
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Raeford, NC 28376
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**Ph:** 910-875-8751
**Fax:** 910-875-9222

In south-central NC, west of Fayetteville; organized Feb 7, 1911 from Cumberland and Robeson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Robert F. Hoke (1837-1912), a Confederate Army officer and railway president.

**Area (sq mi):** 391.86 (land 390.74; water 1.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 120.2.

**Pop 2010:** 46,952. **State rank:** 1050. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.5%; 2000-2005 +21.9%. **Pop 2005:** 41,016 (White 45.3%; Black or African American 33.5%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 12.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 30.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,630; median household $42,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,771 - $30,972.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HYDE COUNTY**
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Swan Quarter, NC 27885
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**Fax:** 252-926-3701

On the central eastern shore of NC on Pamlico Sound, northeast of Jacksonville; organized Dec 3, 1705 (prior to statehood) as Wickham Precinct of Bath District; name changed in 1712. **Name Origin:** Either for Edward Hyde (1661-1723), 3rd Earl of Clarendon, a colonial governor of NJ and NY (1701-08); or for Edward Hyde (1650-1712), deputy governor, acting governor, and governor of NC (1709-12). Originally for the manor home of the Archdale family in Buckinghamshire, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,423.90 (land 612.70; water 811.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,810. **State rank:** 2809. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,413 (White 64.0%; Black or African American 31.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,992; median household $38,265; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,972 - $28,745.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**IREDELL COUNTY**
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Statesville, NC 28677
www.co.iredell.nc.us
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**Fax:** 704-878-5355

In west-central NC, north of Charlotte; organized Nov 3, 1788 (prior to statehood) from Rowan County. **Name Origin:** For James Iredell (1751-99), NC attorney general (1779), delegate to the Constitutional Convention of 1788, and associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1790-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 595.27 (land 573.83; water 21.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 277.8.

**Pop 2010:** 159,437. **State rank:** 386. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.1%; 2000-2005 +14.9%. **Pop 2005:** 140,924 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 1.8%; Others 6.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,610; median household $48,962; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,922 - $31,810.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mooresville (32,711); Statesville (24,532).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
401 Grindstaff Cove Rd
Sylva, NC 28779
www.jacksonnc.org
**Ph:** 828-586-4055
**Fax:** 828-586-7528

On the southwestern border of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized Jan 29, 1851 from Haywood and Macon counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 494.55 (land 490.76; water 3.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.1.

**Pop 2010:** 40,271. **State rank:** 1240. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.9%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 35,368 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.1%, including 9.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,228; median household $37,190; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,230 - $27,218.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Jackson County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSTON COUNTY**
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Smithfield, NC 27577
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**Ph:** 919-934-3191
**Fax:** 919-934-5857

In east-central NC, southeast of Raleigh; organized 1746 (prior to statehood) from Craven County. **Name Origin:** For Gabriel Johnston (1699-1752), colonial governor of NC (1734-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 795.24 (land 791.30; water 3.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 213.4.

**Pop 2010:** 168,878. **State rank:** 360. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.3%; 2000-2005 +20.1%. **Pop 2005:** 146,437 (White 74.2%; Black or African American 15.1%; Hispanic or Latino 12.9%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,437; median household $49,745; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,752 - $32,731.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clayton (16,116); Smithfield 🏛 (10,966).

**JONES COUNTY**
101 Market St PO Box 280
Trenton, NC 28585
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**Fax:** 252-448-1607

In southeastern NC, north of Jacksonville; organized 1778 (prior to statehood) from Craven County. **Name Origin:** For Willie Jones (1740-1801), American Revolutionary leader and member of the Continental Congress (1780-81); he later opposed the adoption of the Constitution.

**Area (sq mi):** 472.15 (land 470.71; water 1.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,153. **State rank:** 2426. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 10,311 (White 63.0%; Black or African American 32.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,066; median household $38,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,230 - $33,393.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
1400 S Horner Blvd PO Box 4209
Sanford, NC 27330
www.leecountync.com
**Ph:** 919-708-4400
**Fax:** 919-775-3483

In central NC, southwest of Raleigh; organized Mar 6, 1907 from Chatham and Moore counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 257.03 (land 254.96; water 2.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 227.

**Pop 2010:** 57,866. **State rank:** 844. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +13.6%. **Pop 2005:** 55,704 (White 66.9%; Black or African American 20.0%; Hispanic or Latino 18.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 18.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,061; median household $44,120; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,139 - $32,193.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sanford 🏛 (28,094).

**LENOIR COUNTY**
130 S Queen St PO Box 3289
Kinston, NC 28502
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**Ph:** 252-559-6450
**Fax:** 252-559-6454

In east-central NC, southeast of Goldsboro; organized Dec 5, 1791 from Dobbs County, when Dobbs County was dissolved and divided between Glasgow and Lenoir counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Lenoir (1751-1839), one of the heroes of the Battle of Kings Mountain (1780) during the American Revolution and first president of the board of the University of NC.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.83 (land 400.59; water 2.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 148.5.

**Pop 2010:** 59,495. **State rank:** 884. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 57,961 (White 53.4%; Black or African American 40.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,017; median household $33,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,294 - $31,426.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kinston 🏛 (21,677).

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
115 W Main St
Lincolnton, NC 28092
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**Fax:** 704-736-8718

In southwestern NC, northwest of Charlotte; organized Apr 14, 1778 (prior to statehood) from Tyron County, which was organized in 1768 and abolished in 1779. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), Revolutionary War officer, U.S. secretary of war (1781-83), and lt. gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 306.18 (land 297.94; water 8.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 262.7.

**Pop 2010:** 78,265. **State rank:** 708. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 69,851 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 5.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,560; median household $47,450; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,715 - $33,029.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lincolnton 🏛 (10,486).

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**MACON COUNTY**
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Franklin, NC 28734
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**Fax:** 828-349-2400

On the southwestern border of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized 1828 from Haywood County. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), U.S. representative from NC (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 518.56 (land 515.56; water 3). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,922. **State rank:** 1336. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 32,148 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,156; median household $38,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,082 - $29,793.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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Marshall, NC 28753
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**Ph:** 828-649-2531
**Fax:** 828-649-2829

On the southwestern border of NC, north of Asheville; organized Jan 27, 1851 from Yancey and Buncombe counties. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 451.74 (land 449.57; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,764. **State rank:** 1796. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,256 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,792; median household $38,580; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,769 - $28,153.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chapel Hill (57,233).

**MARTIN COUNTY**
305 E Main St PO Box 807
Williamston, NC 27892
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**Fax:** 252-792-6668

In east-central NC, northeast of Greenville; organized Mar 2, 1774 (prior to statehood) from Tyrell and Halifax counties. **Name Origin:** For Josiah Martin (1737-86), the last royal governor of NC (1771-75). The name was reinforced by the popularity of Alexander Martin, NC governor (1782-85; 1789-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 461.54 (land 461.22; water 0.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,505. **State rank:** 1655. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,643 (White 53.1%; Black or African American 43.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,728; median household $34,766; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,377 - $29,728.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCDOWELL COUNTY**
60 E Court St
Marion, NC 28752
mcdowellgov.com
**Ph:** 828-652-7121
**Fax:** 828-659-3484

In southwestern NC, east of Asheville; organized Dec 19, 1842 from Burke and Rutherford counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Joseph McDowell (1756-1801), a hero of the Battle of Kings Mountain (1780) during the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from NC (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 445.34 (land 440.61; water 4.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.1.

**Pop 2010:** 44,996. **State rank:** 1072. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 43,201 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,798; median household $34,953; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,641 - $25,353.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MECKLENBURG COUNTY**
700 E. 4th St Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center
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Charlotte, NC 28202
www.co.mecklenburg.nc.us
**Fax:** 704-336-5887

On the central southern border of NC, east of Gastonia; organized Nov 3, 1762 (prior to statehood) from Anson County. **Name Origin:** For Mecklenburg-Strelitz, home of Princess Charlotte Sophia (1744-1818), wife of King George III (1738-1820) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.78 (land 523.84; water 19.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 1755.5.

**Pop 2010:** 919,628. **State rank:** 49. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.5%; 2000-2005 +14.5%. **Pop 2005:** 796,372 (White 55.3%; Black or African American 30.8%; Hispanic or Latino 12.2%; Asian 4.6%; Others 12.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.5%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,848; median household $55,294; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,281 - $43,882.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 42 for cities).

**MITCHELL COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of NC, northeast of Asheville; organized

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## Mitchell County (cont'd)

Feb 16, 1861 from Burke, Caldwell, Yancey, McDowell, and Watauga counties. **Name Origin:** For Elisha Mitchell (1793-1857), a professor at the University of North Carolina who was killed while exploring what is now called Mt. Mitchell.

**Area (sq mi):** 222.14 (land 221.43; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,579. **State rank:** 2062. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,784 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,804; median household $32,743; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,280 - $26,562.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
108 E Main St PO Box 527 **Ph:** 910-576-4211
Troy, NC 27371 **Fax:** 910-576-5020
www.montgomerycountync.com

In south-central NC, east of Charlotte; organized 1779 (prior to statehood) from Anson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 501.80 (land 491.76; water 10.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.5.

**Pop 2010:** 27,798. **State rank:** 1494. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 27,322 (White 68.9%; Black or African American 18.8%; Hispanic or Latino 14.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 14.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.3%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,618; median household $33,861; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,589 - $27,230.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MOORE COUNTY**
1 Courthouse Sq PO Box 905 **Ph:** 910-947-6363
Carthage, NC 28327 **Fax:** 910-947-1874
www.co.moore.nc.us

In south-central NC, northwest of Fayetteville; organized Apr 18, 1784 (prior to statehood) from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Alfred Moore (1755-1810), Revolutionary War officer, attorney general of NC (1782), and associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1799-1804).

**Area (sq mi):** 705.78 (land 697.84; water 7.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.5.

**Pop 2010:** 88,247. **State rank:** 645. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 81,685 (White 80.4%; Black or African American 13.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,786; median household $48,319; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,620 - $38,216.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Southern Pines (12,334).

**NASH COUNTY**
120 W Washington St, Suite 3072 **Ph:** 252-459-9800
Nashville, NC 27856 **Fax:** 252-459-9817
www.co.nash.nc.us

In east-central NC, northeast of Raleigh; organized Nov 15, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Edgecombe County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Nash (1742-77), Revolutionary War officer and NC legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 542.83 (land 540.41; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 177.3.

**Pop 2010:** 95,840. **State rank:** 602. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 91,378 (White 55.9%; Black or African American 37.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,909; median household $44,499; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,086 - $34,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rocky Mount (57,477); Hickory (40,010).

**NEW HANOVER COUNTY**
230 Government Center Dr Ste 195 **Ph:** 910-341-7184
Wilmington, NC 28403 **Fax:** 910-798-7277
www.nhcgov.com

On the southeastern shore of NC, southwest of Jacksonville; organized Nov 27, 1729 from Craven County. **Name Origin:** For the British royal house of Hanover, which began with George I (1660-1727), Duke of Hannover. Anglicized to Hanover.

**Area (sq mi):** 320.51 (land 191.53; water 128.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 1058.1.

**Pop 2010:** 202,667. **State rank:** 317. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 +12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 179,553 (White 79.1%; Black or African American 14.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,363; median household $48,553; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,760 - $35,085.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wilmington 🏛 (106,476); Murraysville (14,215).

**NORTHAMPTON COUNTY**
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Jackson, NC 27845 **Fax:** 252-534-1166
www.northamptonnc.com

On the northern border of NC, northeast of Rocky Mount; organized 1741 from Bertie County. **Name Origin:** For Northampton, England, or the British earl of Northampton.

**Area (sq mi):** 550.72 (land 536.59; water 14.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,099. **State rank:** 1810. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%;

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## Northampton County (cont'd)

2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 21,483 (White 39.2%; Black or African American 58.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,128; median household $30,578; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,994 - $28,541.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ONSLOW COUNTY

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Jacksonville, NC 28540
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**Ph:** 910-478-3600
**Fax:** 910-478-3601

On the southeastern shore of NC, northeast of Wilmington; organized 1734 (prior to statehood) from New Hanover County. **Name Origin:** For Arthur Onslow (1691-1768), speaker of the House of Commons in England (1728-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 904.48 (land 762.74; water 141.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 233.1.

**Pop 2010:** 177,772. **State rank:** 353. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.6%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 152,440 (White 74.0%; Black or African American 15.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 1.9%; Others 10.1%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 25.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,048; median household $43,561; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,983 - $43,990.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jacksonville (70,145); Piney Green (13,293).

### ORANGE COUNTY

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Hillsborough, NC 27278
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**Fax:** 919-644-3043

In north-central NC, west of Durham; organized Mar 31, 1753 (prior to statehood) from Bladen, Granville, and Johnston counties. **Name Origin:** Said to be for William III of the House of Orange, but when the county was formed, William V (1748-1806) was Stadholder; it seems more likely to be named for the latter (grandson of George II of England) than for the former, who had been dead for fifty years.

**Area (sq mi):** 399.33 (land 397.96; water 1.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 336.2.

**Pop 2010:** 133,801. **State rank:** 473. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 118,386 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.2%; Asian 6.7%; Others 8.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.3%. **Median age:** 33.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,912; median household $52,981; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,383 - $46,713.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chapel Hill (57,233); Carrboro (19,582).

### PAMLICO COUNTY

PO Box 776
Bayboro, NC 28515
www.co.pamlico.nc.us

**Ph:** 252-745-3133
**Fax:** 252-745-5514

On the central eastern shore of NC on Pamlico Sound, east of New Bern; organized Feb 8, 1872 from Craven and Beaufort counties. **Name Origin:** For Pamlico Sound.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.83 (land 336.54; water 229.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,144. **State rank:** 2265. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,735 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 20.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,320; median household $40,561; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,518 - $35,325.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PASQUOTANK COUNTY

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**Fax:** 252-335-0866

On the northeastern border of NC, on Albemarle Sound; organized 1668 (prior to statehood) as a precinct of Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** For the Pasquotank River, which forms its eastern border; from the Indian word *pask-etan-ki* 'where the current [of the stream] divides or forks.'

**Area (sq mi):** 289.44 (land 226.88; water 62.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 179.2.

**Pop 2010:** 40,661. **State rank:** 1122. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 38,270 (White 56.7%; Black or African American 37.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 4.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,736; median household $44,085; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,211 - $27,915.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elizabeth City (18,683).

### PENDER COUNTY

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Burgaw, NC 28425
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**Fax:** 910-259-1402

On the southeastern shore of NC, north of Wilmington; organized Feb 16, 1875 from New Hanover County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Dorsey Pender (1834-63), officer in the Confederate Army killed at the Battle of Gettysburg.

**Area (sq mi):** 931.77 (land 869.80; water 61.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.

**Pop 2010:** 52,217. **State rank:** 933. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 +13.0%. **Pop 2005:** 46,429 (White 76.1%; Black or African American 17.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,872; median household $44,338; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,870 - $30,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PERQUIMANS COUNTY**
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Hertford, NC 27944
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**Fax:** 252-426-4034

In northeastern NC on Albemarle Sound, west of Elizabeth City; organized 1679 (prior to statehood) as Berkeley Precinct of Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** For the Perquimans River, which runs through it, named for the Indian tribe who once lived along its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 328.85 (land 247.09; water 81.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.4.

**Pop 2010:** 13,453. **State rank:** 2250. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 12,080 (White 72.1%; Black or African American 24.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,085; median household $43,041; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,514 - $29,068.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PERSON COUNTY**
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Roxboro, NC 27573
www.personcounty.net
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**Fax:** 336-599-1609

On the central northern border of NC, north of Durham; organized Dec 5, 1791 from Caswell County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Person (1733-1800), Revolutionary War officer and NC legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.10 (land 392.32; water 11.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.6.

**Pop 2010:** 39,464. **State rank:** 1223. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 37,217 (White 68.3%; Black or African American 27.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,848; median household $44,668; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,548 - $29,282.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (79,066).

**PITT COUNTY**
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Greenville, NC 27834
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In east-central NC, northeast of Goldsboro; organized Apr 24, 1760 (prior to statehood) from Beaufort County. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt (1708-78), 1st Earl of Chatham, known as the Great Commoner for his support of the American colonies before the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 655.17 (land 651.98; water 3.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 257.9.

**Pop 2010:** 168,148. **State rank:** 379. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.9%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 142,570 (White 58.9%; Black or African American 34.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 1.6%; Others 5.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,935; median household $38,592; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,115 - $32,001.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenville 🏛 (84,554).

**POLK COUNTY**
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Columbus, NC 28722
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**Fax:** 828-894-2263

On the southwestern border, southeast of Asheville; organized 1855 from Rutherford and Henderson counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Polk (1785-1834), an officer in the American Revolution, NC legislator, and supervisor of internal revenue (1791-1808).

**Area (sq mi):** 238.54 (land 237.79; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.3.

**Pop 2010:** 20,510. **State rank:** 1846. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,134 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 49.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,008; median household $43,692; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,002 - $37,319.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RANDOLPH COUNTY**
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Asheboro, NC 27205
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**Fax:** 336-318-6853

In west-central NC, south of Greensboro; organized 1779 (prior to statehood) from Guilford County. **Name Origin:** For Peyton Randolph (1721-75), member of the VA House of Burgesses (1748-49; 1752-75) and speaker (1766-75); president of the Continental Congress (1774-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 785.09 (land 782.52; water 2.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 181.1.

**Pop 2010:** 141,752. **State rank:** 435. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 138,367 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 10.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,297; median household $40,346; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,600 - $28,723.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel**

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**time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Asheboro (25,012); Archdale (11,415).

**RICHMOND COUNTY**
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Rockingham, NC 28379
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**Fax:** 910-997-8208

On the southern border of NC, west of Fayetteville; organized Oct 18, 1779 (prior to statehood) from Anson County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Lennox (1735-1806), third Duke of Richmond, British secretary of state who denounced British policy toward American colonies.

**Area (sq mi):** 479.42 (land 473.82; water 5.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.4.

**Pop 2010:** 46,639. **State rank:** 1028. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 46,781 (White 60.2%; Black or African American 30.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.9%, including 2.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,692; median household $30,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,304 - $27,741.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROBESON COUNTY**
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Lumberton, NC 28358
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**Fax:** 910-671-3010

On southern border of NC, south of Fayetteville; organized 1786 from Bladen County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Col. Thomas Robeson (1740-85), an officer in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 951.41 (land 949.22; water 2.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.3.

**Pop 2010:** 134,168. **State rank:** 469. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 127,586 (White 29.0%; Black or African American 24.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 8.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,321; median household $29,667; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,499 - $24,599.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lumberton (21,542).

**ROCKINGHAM COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of NC, north of Greensboro; organized Nov 19, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Guilford County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Watson Wentworth (1730-82), second Marquis of Rockingham, prime minister of England (1765-66; 1782), and supporter of independence for American colonies.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.45 (land 565.55; water 5.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 165.6.

**Pop 2010:** 93,643. **State rank:** 612. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 92,614 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 18.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,801; median household $39,231; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,832 - $29,920.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eden (15,527); Reidsville (14,520).

**ROWAN COUNTY**
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Salisbury, NC 28144
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In west-central NC, southwest of Winston-Salem; organized Mar 27, 1753 (prior to statehood) from Anson County. **Name Origin:** For Matthew Rowan (1753-1760), NC legislator, justice of the peace, and acting governor when the county was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 523.92 (land 511.37; water 12.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 270.7.

**Pop 2010:** 138,428. **State rank:** 437. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 135,099 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 16.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 7.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,525; median household $43,596; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,759 - $29,816.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salisbury (33,662).

**RUTHERFORD COUNTY**
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Rutherfordton, NC 28139
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On the southwestern border of NC, southeast of Asheville; organized Apr 14, 1779 (prior to statehood) from Burke and Tryon counties, the latter organized in 1768 and abolished in 1779. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Griffith Rutherford (1731-1800), Indian fighter, member of the Provincial Congress, and Revolutionary War officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 565.93 (land 564.15; water 1.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 120.2.

**Pop 2010:** 67,810. **State rank:** 810. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 63,771 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 10.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,961; median household $35,364; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,545 - $25,258.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.1%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (79,066).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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In south-central NC, east of Fayetteville; organized Apr 18, 1784 (prior to statehood) from Duplin County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Sampson (?-1784), advisor to Josiah Martin, the last royal governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 946.75 (land 944.74; water 2.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.1.

**Pop 2010:** 63,431. **State rank:** 807. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 63,063 (White 56.7%; Black or African American 27.0%; Hispanic or Latino 16.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 16.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,086; median household $35,740; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,856 - $29,729.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (79,066); Piney Green (13,293).

**SCOTLAND COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 910-277-2411

On the southern border of NC, southwest of Fayetteville; organized Feb 20, 1899 from Richmond County. **Name Origin:** For the country, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 320.35 (land 318.85; water 1.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 113.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,157. **State rank:** 1260. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 37,180 (White 46.5%; Black or African American 38.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.1%, including 10.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,297; median household $29,368; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,631 - $28,525.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laurinburg (15,962).

**STANLY COUNTY**
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Albemarle, NC 28001
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**Fax:** 704-983-3133

In west-central NC, northeast of Charlotte; organized Jan 11, 1841 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For John Stanly (1774-1834), NC legislator and U.S. representative (1801-03; 1809-11).

**Area (sq mi):** 404.29 (land 395.09; water 9.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.3.

**Pop 2010:** 60,585. **State rank:** 853. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 58,964 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 1.8%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,139; median household $44,802; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,560 - $29,165.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albemarle (15,903).

**STOKES COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 336-593-4401

On the northern border of NC, north of Winston-Salem; organized Nov 2, 1798 from Surry County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Stokes (1756-90), hero of the American Revolution, NC legislator, and district judge (1783).

**Area (sq mi):** 452.91 (land 448.86; water 4.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.6.

**Pop 2010:** 47,401. **State rank:** 1024. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 45,858 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,852; median household $42,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,117 - $28,919.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SURRY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 336-401-8216

On the northwestern border of NC, northwest of Winston-Salem; organized 1771 (prior to statehood) from Rowan County. **Name Origin:** For Surrey County in England, home of then-incumbent governor, William Tryon. Possibly influenced by similarity to *Saura*, the local Indian tribe. Spelling the name without the 'e' seems to have been a common colonial practice.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.44 (land 532.17; water 1.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 138.4.

**Pop 2010:** 73,673. **State rank:** 735. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 72,601 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 9.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,541; median household $37,294; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,176 - $29,685.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Airy (10,388).

**SWAIN COUNTY**
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Bryson City, NC 28713
www.swaincounty.org
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**Fax:** 828-488-9360

On the southwestern border of NC, west of Asheville; organized Feb 24, 1871 from Jackson and Macon counties. **Name Origin:** For David Lowrie Swain (1801-68), NC governor (1832-35) and president of the University of NC (1835-68).

**Area (sq mi):** 540.54 (land 528; water 12.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.5.

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## Swain County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 13,981. **State rank:** 2206. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,167 (White 66.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.9%, including 27.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,297; median household $35,071; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,488 - $27,528.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY**
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Brevard, NC 28712
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**Fax:** 828-884-3119

On the southwestern border of NC, southwest of Asheville; organized Feb 15, 1861 from Jacksonville and Henderson counties. **Name Origin:** From Latin *trans* plus *sylva* 'across the woods.' The name may also echo that of the province of Transylvania, now in Rumania, but more probably it is literary or promotional name.

**Area (sq mi):** 380.70 (land 378.53; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.4.

**Pop 2010:** 33,090. **State rank:** 1420. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.7%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 29,626 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 48.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,939; median household $39,408; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,263 - $30,937.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TYRRELL COUNTY**
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In northeastern NC, on Albemarle Sound, south of Elizabeth City; organized 1729 (prior to statehood) from Chowan, Bertie, Currituck, and Pasquotank counties. **Name Origin:** For John Tyrrell (1685-1729), a lord proprietor of NC.

**Area (sq mi):** 599.43 (land 389.04; water 210.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,407. **State rank:** 2890. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,157 (White 54.5%; Black or African American 38.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 5.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,812; median household $32,215; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,163 - $23,925.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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Monroe, NC 28112
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**Fax:** 704-282-0121

On the southern border of NC, southeast of Charlotte; organized Dec 19, 1842 from Mecklenburg and Anson counties. **Name Origin:** A compromise to a disagreement between Whigs and Democrats as to whether it should be named for Clay or Jackson; county was also a union of parts of two other counties.

**Area (sq mi):** 633.74 (land 631.52; water 2.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 318.7.

**Pop 2010:** 201,292. **State rank:** 310. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +23.5%; 2000-2005 +31.7%. **Pop 2005:** 162,929 (White 79.0%; Black or African American 11.7%; Hispanic or Latino 10.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 10.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,596; median household $63,386; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,641 - $34,184.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Indian Trail (33,518); Monroe (32,797); Stallings (13,831).

**VANCE COUNTY**
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Henderson, NC 27536
www.vancecounty.org
**Ph:** 252-738-2001

On the central northern border of NC, northeast of Raleigh; organized Mar 5, 1881 from Franklin, Granville, and Warren counties. **Name Origin:** For Zebulon Baird Vance (1830-94), U.S. representative from NC (1858-61), governor (1862-65; 1877-79), and U.S. senator (1879-94).

**Area (sq mi):** 269.83 (land 253.52; water 16.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 179.2.

**Pop 2010:** 45,422. **State rank:** 1090. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 43,771 (White 44.2%; Black or African American 49.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,622; median household $34,025; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,199 - $28,785.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Henderson (15,368).

**WAKE COUNTY**
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In north-central NC, east of Durham; organized 1771 (prior to statehood) from Cumberland, Johnston, and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For Margaret Wake (1733-1819), wife of Gov. William Tryon (1729-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 860.55 (land 835.22; water 25.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 1078.8.

**Pop 2010:** 900,993. **State rank:** 54. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.3%; 2000-2005 +19.3%. **Pop 2005:** 748,815 (White 66.3%; Black or African American 20.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 5.4%; Others

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wake County (cont'd)

9.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.7%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,592; median household $63,770; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,697 - $41,440.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 42 for cities).

### WARREN COUNTY

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Warrenton, NC 27589 **Fax:** 252-257-2277
www.warrencountync.org

On the central northern border of NC, northeast of Raleigh; organized Apr 14, 1779 (prior to statehood) from Bute County, which was discontinued at that time. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 443.55 (land 428.46; water 15.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,972. **State rank:** 1842. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 19,729 (White 38.8%; Black or African American 52.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.3%, including 5.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,838; median household $30,641; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,883 - $24,047.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

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Plymouth, NC 27962 **Fax:** 252-793-1183
www.washconc.org

In east-central NC, on Albemarle Sound, southwest of Elizabeth City; organized 1799 from Tyrrell County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 424.07 (land 348.14; water 75.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 13,228. **State rank:** 2244. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,282 (White 46.0%; Black or African American 49.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,982; median household $32,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,634 - $29,133.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WATAUGA COUNTY

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On the northeastern border of NC, northeast of Asheville; organized Jan 27, 1849 from Ashe, Caldwell, Wilkes, and Yancey counties. **Name Origin:** For the Watauga River, which runs through the county; from the Indian word probably meaning 'beautiful water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 312.78 (land 312.56; water 0.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 163.4.

**Pop 2010:** 51,079. **State rank:** 1043. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.3%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,472 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 28.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,961; median household $31,967; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,093 - $29,151.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Boone 🏛 (17,122).

### WAYNE COUNTY

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Goldsboro, NC 27533 **Fax:** 919-731-1446
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In east-central NC, southeast of Raleigh; organized Oct 18, 1779 (prior to statehood) from Dobbs County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 557.21 (land 553.09; water 4.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 221.7.

**Pop 2010:** 122,623. **State rank:** 520. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 114,448 (White 58.8%; Black or African American 31.4%; Hispanic or Latino 9.9%; Asian 1.2%; Others 9.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,446; median household $41,224; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,054 - $29,893.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Goldsboro 🏛 (36,437).

### WILKES COUNTY

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In northwestern NC, northwest of Winston-Salem; organized Nov 15, 1777 (prior to statehood) from Surry County. **Name Origin:** For John Wilkes (1727-97), English political leader who supported American rights at the time of the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 757.02 (land 754.28; water 2.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.9.

**Pop 2010:** 69,340. **State rank:** 779. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 67,390 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,406; median household $33,438; **Pop**

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## Wilkes County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,028 - $30,975.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILSON COUNTY**
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In east-central NC, north of Goldsboro; organized Feb 13, 1855 from Edgecombe, Johnston, Wayne, and Nash counties. **Name Origin:** For Louis Dicken Wilson (1789-1847), member of the NC General Assembly and an officer in the Mexican war.

**Area (sq mi):** 371.34 (land 368.17; water 3.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 220.6.

**Pop 2010:** 81,234. **State rank:** 693. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 76,281 (White 52.0%; Black or African American 39.0%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 9.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,691; median household $38,596; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,309 - $33,044.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wilson (49,167).

**YADKIN COUNTY**
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Yadkinville, NC 27055
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**Fax:** 336-679-6005

In north-central NC, west of Winston-Salem; organized Dec 28, 1850 from Surry County. **Name Origin:** For the Yadkin River, which runs through it; meaning of the name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 336.77 (land 334.83; water 1.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 114.7.

**Pop 2010:** 38,406. **State rank:** 1221. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 37,668 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 9.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,379; median household $39,807; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,842 - $29,959.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YANCEY COUNTY**
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Burnsville, NC 28714
www.main.nc.us/yancey

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**Fax:** 828-682-4301

On the northwestern border of NC, northeast of Asheville; organized 1833 from Buncombe and Burke counties. **Name Origin:** For Bartlett Yancey (1785-1828), U.S. representative from NC (1813-17) and presiding officer of the state senate (1817-27).

**Area (sq mi):** 313.25 (land 312.60; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.

**Pop 2010:** 17,818. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 18,201 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,576; median household $35,703; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,437 - $25,418.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Concord (79,066).

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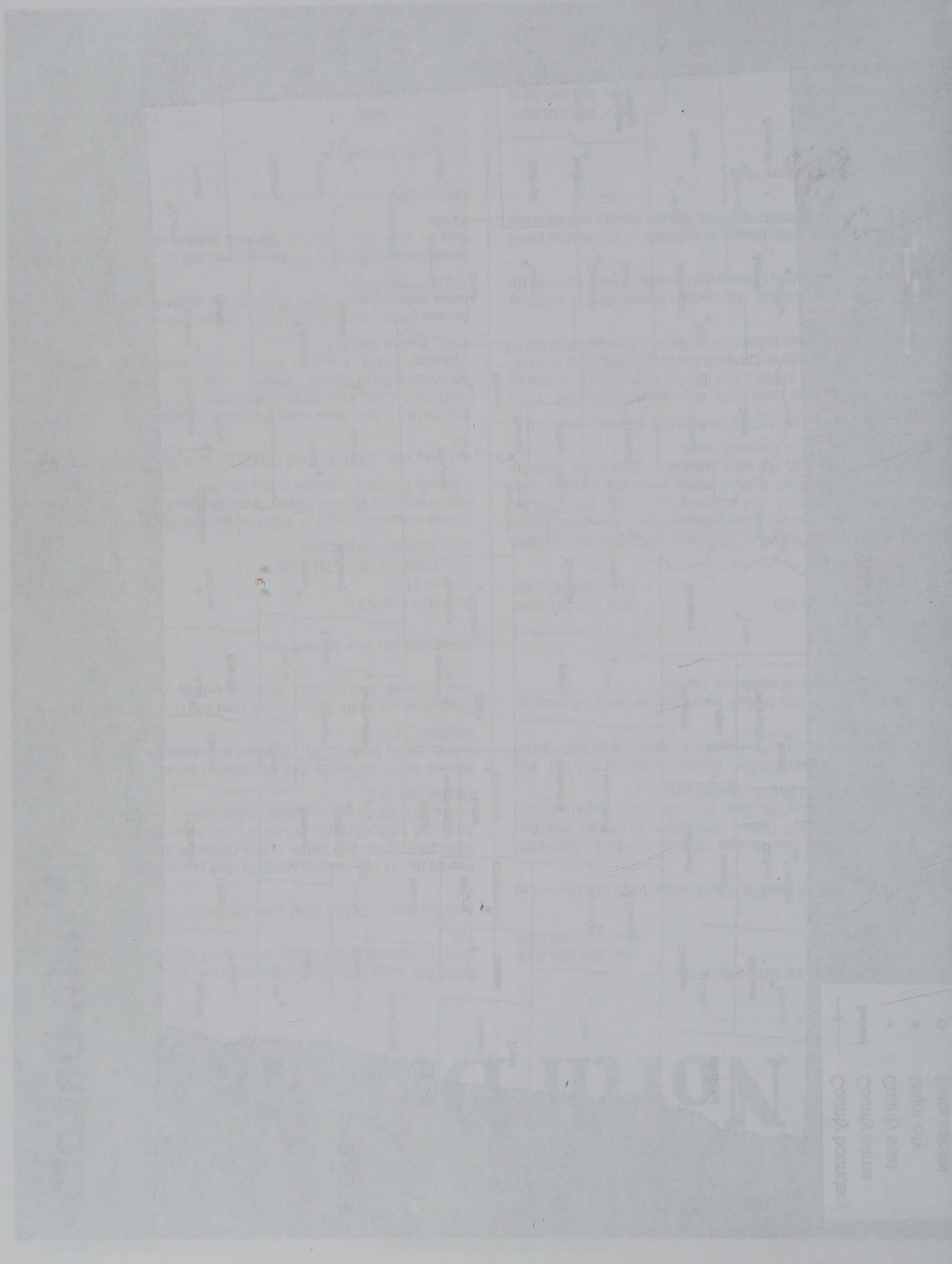

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**Area (sq mi):** 70,699.79 (land 68,975.93; water 1,723.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.7.

**Pop 2010:** 672,591. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 636,677 (White 90%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2%; Asian 1%; Others 2%, including 5.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,596; median household $46,781; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.30%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,208 - $42,890.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.4%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of ND, south of Dickinson; organized Apr 24, 1907 from Hettinger County. **Name Origin:** For John Quincy Adams (1848-1919), land and townsite agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee and Saint Paul Railway whose main line to the Pacific coast was built through the area (1906-07). Adams was distantly related to the president of the same name.

**Area (sq mi):** 988.54 (land 987.62; water 0.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,343. **State rank:** 3024. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,433 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 49.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,118; median household $35,966; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,024 - $44,343.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BARNES COUNTY**
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In southeastern ND, west of Fargo; organized as Burbank County by the 1872-1873 territorial legislature (prior to statehood) from Cass County; renamed Jan 14, 1875. **Name Origin:** For Alanson H. Barnes (1818-90), judge of the federal district court (1872-81). Originally for John A. Burbank (1827-1905), governor of Dakota Territory (1869-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,513.13 (land 1,491.55; water 21.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,066. **State rank:** 2373. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,075 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,152; median household $41,773; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,839 - $46,815.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENSON COUNTY**
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In east-central ND, east of Minot; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Ramsey County. **Name Origin:** For Bertil W. Benson, a Dakota Territory legislator at the time the county was organized.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,447.39 (land 1,388.71; water 58.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,660. **State rank:** 2675. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,999 (White 43.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian Z%; Others 1.2%, including 55.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,545; median household $30,479; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,909 - $38,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** -1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BILLINGS COUNTY**
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In southwestern ND, west of Dickinson; organized Feb 10, 1879 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Frederick K. Billings (1823-90), president of the Northern Pacific Railroad (1879-81).

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## Billings County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,150.84 (land 1,148.85; water 1.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 783. **State rank:** 3117. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 813 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,666; median household $51,923; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,656 - $58,503.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.5%. **Change from 2007:** -0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the central northern border of ND, northeast of Minot; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Pierre Bottineau (c. 1814-95), a French-Canadian frontiersman, guide, and land speculator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,697.58 (land 1,668.42; water 29.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,429. **State rank:** 2723. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,741 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 2.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 48.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,277; median household $40,227; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,724 - $46,637.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOWMAN COUNTY**
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Bowman, ND 58623
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**Fax:** 701-523-5443

In the southwestern corner of ND; organized Mar 8, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Billings County. Eliminated in 1903 for lack of settlement; reestablished Jun 10, 1907. **Name Origin:** Possibly for Edward M. Bowman, a Dakota Territory representative. Another source says that William Bowman was the territorial legislator, and Edward M. Bowman was an official of the Milwaukee Road Railroad that ran through the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,166.76 (land 1,161.81; water 4.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,151. **State rank:** 2967. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,048 (White 97.9%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,354; median household $48,063; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,062 - $49,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BURKE COUNTY**
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Bowbells, ND 58721-1003
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**Fax:** 701-377-2020

On the northwestern border of ND, northwest of Minot; organized Jul 12, 1910 from Ward County. **Name Origin:** For John Burke (1859-1937), ND governor (1907-13), treasurer of the U.S. (1913-21), and justice of ND Supreme Court (1925-37).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,129.30 (land 1,103.57; water 25.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,968. **State rank:** 3058. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -9.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,032 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.9%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 48.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,347; median household $50,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,577 - $45,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BURLEIGH COUNTY**
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Bismarck, ND 58502-2105
www.ndcourts.gov
**Ph:** 701-222-6690
**Fax:** 701-222-6689

In south-central ND; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For Walter Atwood Burleigh (1820-96), attorney, physician, Dakota Territory delegate to Congress (1865-69), and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,667.60 (land 1,632.65; water 34.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.8.

**Pop 2010:** 81,308. **State rank:** 683. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 73,818 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 4.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,784; median household $53,465; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,352 - $41,438.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bismarck (61,272).

**CASS COUNTY**
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Fargo, ND 58108
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**Fax:** 701-241-5728

On the southeastern border of ND, south of Grand Forks; original county; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George W. Cass (1810-88), president of the Northern Pacific Railroad (1856).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,767.62 (land 1,764.94; water 2.68). **Pop per sq mi:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Cass County (cont'd)

84.9.

**Pop 2010:** 149,778. **State rank:** 431. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.3%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 131,019 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 2.4%; Others 2.0%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,184; median household $47,600; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,881 - $43,170.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fargo 🏛 (105,549); West Fargo (25,830).

### CAVALIER COUNTY

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**Fax:** 701-256-2566

On the northeastern border of ND, northwest of Grand Forks; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For either Charles T. Cavileer (1818-1902), an early white settler and public official (with the spelling changed to seem French); or Rene Robert Cavalier, Sieur de la Salle (1643-87), the explorer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,510.43 (land 1,488.75; water 21.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,993. **State rank:** 2920. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 -10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,330 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 50.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,468; median household $48,786; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,404 - $54,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DICKEY COUNTY

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Ellendale, ND 58436
www.dickeynd.com

**Ph:** 701-349-3249
**Fax:** 701-349-4639

On the southern border of ND, southwest of Fargo; organized Mar 5, 1881 (prior to statehood) from La Moure County. **Name Origin:** For either Alfred M. Dickey (1846-1901), a homesteader in the county and lt. governor of ND (1889-90), or for George H. Dickey (1858-1923), an attorney and ND legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,142.13 (land 1,131.47; water 10.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,289. **State rank:** 2808. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,487 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,824; median household $37,179; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,138 - $48,770.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DIVIDE COUNTY

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Crosby, ND 58730
www.ndcourts.gov

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**Fax:** 701-965-6943

In the northwestern corner of ND; organized Dec 9, 1910 from Williams County. **Name Origin:** For the division of Williams County to form it, or possibly for the mountains that divide the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,295.44 (land 1,260.79; water 34.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,071. **State rank:** 3047. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,149 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 51.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,462; median household $48,152; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,980 - $45,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DUNN COUNTY

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Manning, ND 58642
www.dunncountynd.org

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**Fax:** 701-573-4444

In west-central ND, north of Dickinson; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Howard County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For John P. Dunn (1839-1917), early settler and mayor of Bismarck, ND.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,081.11 (land 2,008.46; water 72.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,536. **State rank:** 2940. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,442 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 12.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,832; median household $48,707; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,941 - $44,690.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** -0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EDDY COUNTY

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**Fax:** 701-947-2279

In east-central ND, west of Grand Forks; organized Mar 9, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Foster County. **Name Origin:** For Ezra B. Eddy (1830-85), founder of the First National Bank of Fargo.

**Area (sq mi):** 644.28 (land 630.17; water 14.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,385. **State rank:** 3020. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.2%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,626 (White 95.2%; Black or African

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American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,302; median household $38,404; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,421 - $38,287.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** -0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EMMONS COUNTY

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Linton, ND 58552
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On the central southern border of ND, southeast of Bismarck; organized Feb 10, 1879 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For James A. Emmons (1845-1919), steamboat captain, early settler, and merchant.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,555.27 (land 1,510.44; water 44.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,550. **State rank:** 2938. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.7%; 2000-2005 -11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,845 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,358; median household $35,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,265 - $44,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FOSTER COUNTY

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In east-central ND, southwest of Grand Forks; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For either James S. Foster, commissioner of immigration, or possibly his brother, George I. Foster. Both were prominent in Dakota territorial affairs.

**Area (sq mi):** 646.97 (land 635.45; water 11.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,343. **State rank:** 2946. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,580 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,945; median household $41,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,697 - $44,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GOLDEN VALLEY COUNTY

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Beach, ND 58621
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**Fax:** 701-872-4383

On the southwestern border of ND, west of Dickinson; organized Nov 11, 1912 from Billings County. **Name Origin:** Descriptive, or for the Golden Valley Land and Cattle Company.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,001.16 (land 1,000.79; water 0.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,680. **State rank:** 3077. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,739 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,899; median household $33,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,151 - $32,885.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAND FORKS COUNTY

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Grand Forks, ND 58201
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On the central border of ND; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For the village of Grand Forks, itself named for the forks of the Red River of the North and Red Lake River.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,438.40 (land 1,436.38; water 2.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.5.

**Pop 2010:** 66,861. **State rank:** 781. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 65,940 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 1.9%; Others 2.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,276; median household $44,242; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,043 - $38,152.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grand Forks (52,838).

### GRANT COUNTY

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Carson, ND 58529
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In south-central ND, southwest of Bismarck; organized Nov 25, 1916 from Morton County. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,665.60 (land 1,659.14; water 6.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,394. **State rank:** 3015. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.5%; 2000-2005 -8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,615 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 51.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,840; median household $39,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Grant County (cont'd)

$37,123 - $43,551.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRIGGS COUNTY

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**Fax:** 701-797-3587

In east-central ND, southwest of Grand Forks; organized Feb 18, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Foster County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Griggs (1838-1903), a Red River pilot known as Captain, closely identified with the earliest navigation on the Red River.

**Area (sq mi):** 716.49 (land 708.82; water 7.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,420. **State rank:** 3012. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 2,497 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 51.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,122; median household $40,085; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,665 - $45,446.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HETTINGER COUNTY

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Mott, ND 58646
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**Ph:** 701-824-2645
**Fax:** 701-824-2717

In southwestern ND, south of Dickinson; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Stark County. **Name Origin:** For Mathias K. Hettinger of IL; named by his son-in-law, Erastus A. Williams, a ND territorial legislator and county founder.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,133.67 (land 1,132.22; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,477. **State rank:** 3013. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -8.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,486 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 49.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,928; median household $38,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,595 - $45,985.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** -0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KIDDER COUNTY

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In central ND, east of Bismarck; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Parrish Kidder (1815-83), VT legislator and lieutenant governor, MN legislator (1863-64), and associate justice of the Dakota territorial supreme court (1865-76; 1879-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,433.61 (land 1,351.19; water 82.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,435. **State rank:** 3028. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,481 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,502; median household $34,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,078 - $39,694.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAMOURE COUNTY

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In southeastern ND, southwest of Fargo; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For Judson LaMoure (1839-1918), pioneer, legislator, and commissioner of Dakota Territory (1890).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,149.57 (land 1,145.94; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,139. **State rank:** 2905. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,384 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,056; median household $46,098; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,654 - $59,458.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LOGAN COUNTY

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Napoleon, ND 58561
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**Fax:** 701-754-2270

In south-central ND, southeast of Bismarck; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Alexander Logan (1826-86), officer in the Mexican-American War and Civil War; U.S. senator from IL (1871-77; 1879-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,011.25 (land 992.82; water 18.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,990. **State rank:** 3053. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 2,059 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,654; median household $41,741; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,646 - $46,450.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.7%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MCHENRY COUNTY**
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Towner, ND 58788 **Fax:** 701-537-5969

In north-central ND, east of Minot; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For James McHenry, an early settler of Vermillion, SD.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,911.57 (land 1,873.95; water 37.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 5,395. **State rank:** 2813. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 5,511 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,911; median household $36,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,587 - $38,818.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCINTOSH COUNTY**
PO Box 179 **Ph:** 701-288-3450
Ashley, ND 58413 **Fax:** 701-288-3671

On the central southern border of ND, southeast of Bismarck; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For either John J. McIntosh, a state legislator, or for Edward H. McIntosh (1922-1901), a Dakota territorial legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 994.57 (land 974.73; water 19.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,809. **State rank:** 2998. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.8%; 2000-2005 -11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,013 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 52.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,608; median household $34,904; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,467 - $41,102.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCKENZIE COUNTY**
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Watford City, ND 58854 **Fax:** 701-444-3916
county.mckenziecounty.net

On the central western border of ND, southwest of Minot; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Howard County; which was discontinued. McKenzie County eliminated in 1891 for lack of settlement; present county formed 1905. **Name Origin:** For Alexander McKenzie (1851-1922), sheriff of Burleigh County and a powerful political leader.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,879.19 (land 2,760.32; water 118.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,360. **State rank:** 2773. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.7%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 5,594 (White 75.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 22.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,605; median household $48,480; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,177 - $51,781.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.2%. **Change from 2007:** -0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCLEAN COUNTY**
712 5th Ave PO Box 1108 **Ph:** 701-462-8541
Washburn, ND 58577 **Fax:** 701-462-8212
www.visitmcleancounty.com

In west-central ND, northwest of Bismarck; organized Mar 8, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Stevens County. **Name Origin:** For John A. McLean (1849-1916), first mayor of Bismarck, ND.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,329.09 (land 2,110.88; water 218.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,962. **State rank:** 2565. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 8,604 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.2%, including 7.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 49.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,029; median household $52,922; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,768 - $49,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MERCER COUNTY**
PO Box 39 **Ph:** 701-745-3262
Stanton, ND 58571 **Fax:** 701-745-3710
www.mercercountynd.com

In west-central ND, northwest of Bismarck; organized Jan 14, 1875 (prior to statehood) from original territory. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Harrison Mercer (1884-1901), an early rancher.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,109.89 (land 1,042.96; water 66.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,424. **State rank:** 2601. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,364 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,616; median household $60,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,259 - $44,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORTON COUNTY**
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Mandan, ND 58554 **Fax:** 701-667-3453
www.co.morton.nd.us

In south-central ND, west of Bismarck; organized Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from original territory. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry Throck Morton (1823-77), jurist, IN governor (1861-67), and U.S. senator (1867-77).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Morton County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,945.28 (land 1,926.27; water 19.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,471. **State rank:** 1531. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 25,528 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 3.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,303; median household $50,591; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,668 - $35,722.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mandan 🏛 (18,331).

### MOUNTRAIL COUNTY

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Stanley, ND 58784
www.ndcourts.gov/court/counties/dc_clerk/mountrail.htm

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**Fax:** 701-628-2276

In north-central ND, west of Minot; organized as Mountraille County Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Ward County. Eliminated in 1891; reestablished with present spelling Jan 25, 1909. **Name Origin:** For Savage Joseph Mountraille, prominent voyageur who carried the mail.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,942.45 (land 1,825.30; water 117.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,673. **State rank:** 2689. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.8%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,513 (White 65.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.7%, including 30.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,762; median household $53,912; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,361 - $52,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** -2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NELSON COUNTY

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**Fax:** 701-247-2412

In east-central ND, west of Grand Forks; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Foster and Grand Forks counties. **Name Origin:** For Nelson E. Nelson (1830-1913), a ND legislator at the time.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,008.90 (land 981.78; water 27.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,126. **State rank:** 2955. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.7%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,424 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.1%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 51.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,838; median household $39,071; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,615 - $47,776.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OLIVER COUNTY

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In south-central ND, northwest of Bismarck; organized Mar 12, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Mercer County. **Name Origin:** For Harry S. Oliver (1855-1909), a Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 730.18 (land 722.51; water 7.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,846. **State rank:** 3075. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,813 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,348; median household $62,308; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,787 - $54,135.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** -0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PEMBINA COUNTY

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In the northeast corner of ND; organized Jan 9, 1867 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** From Ojibway Indian *anepeminan* 'high bush cranberries,' which grew abundantly in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,121.68 (land 1,118.69; water 2.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,413. **State rank:** 2629. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.8%; 2000-2005 -6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,038 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.6%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,019; median household $48,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,149 - $48,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PIERCE COUNTY

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In north-central ND, east of Minot; organized Mar 11, 1887 (prior to statehood) from parts of Rolette, Bottineau, and McHenry counties and all of De Smet County; annexed part of Church County in 1891. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Gilbert Ashville Pierce (1839-1901), officer in the Civil War, governor of Dakota Territory (1884-87), and U.S. senator from ND (1889-91).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,082.94 (land 1,018.60; water 64.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,357. **State rank:** 2897. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,291 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%,

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## Pierce County (cont'd)

including 3.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,575; median household $37,091; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,081 - $37,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RAMSEY COUNTY**
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In east-central ND, northwest of Grand Forks; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Ramsey (1815-1903), first governor of MN Territory, U.S. senator from MN (1863-75), and U.S. secretary of war (1879-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,302.89 (land 1,186.85; water 116.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,451. **State rank:** 2335. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,429 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 8.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,130; median household $41,792; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,291 - $39,227.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 11 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RANSOM COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 701-683-5826

In southeastern ND, southwest of Fargo; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Ransom, built in 1867 and named for Gen. Thomas E.G. Ransom (1834-64), a Union officer from IL.

**Area (sq mi):** 863.74 (land 862.36; water 1.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,457. **State rank:** 2791. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,810 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,995; median household $46,044; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,737 - $39,616.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RENVILLE COUNTY**
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Mohall, ND 58761-1006
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**Fax:** 701-756-6398

On the central northern border of ND, northwest of Minot; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. Dissolved in 1891 for lack of settlement; present county created Jul 23, 1910. **Name Origin:** For Gabriel Renville, an early settler and trader.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.32 (land 877.05; water 17.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,470. **State rank:** 3025. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,422 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,856; median household $49,583; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,416 - $47,206.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICHLAND COUNTY**
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Wahpeton, ND 58075
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In the southeastern corner of ND, south of Fargo; original county; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Morgan T. Rich (1832-98), settler and founder of the city of Wahpeton.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,444.80 (land 1,435.78; water 9.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,321. **State rank:** 2031. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.9%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,340 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,342; median household $47,131; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,969 - $41,951.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROLETTE COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of ND, northeast of Minot; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County, which was discontinued. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Rolette (1820-71), pioneer and fur trader who opened a post for the American Fur Co.

**Area (sq mi):** 939.96 (land 903.08; water 36.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.4.

**Pop 2010:** 13,937. **State rank:** 2170. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,864 (White 20.3%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 77.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 30.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,632; median household $28,265; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,878 - $28,073.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Rolette County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SARGENT COUNTY

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Forman, ND 58032
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On the southeastern border of ND, southwest of Fargo; organized Mar 3, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Ransom County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Homer E. Sargent, superintendent of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company and developer of the Red River Valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 866.85 (land 858.51; water 8.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,829. **State rank:** 2900. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.7%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,150 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,553; median household $49,318; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,571 - $54,291.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHERIDAN COUNTY

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In central ND, northeast of Bismarck; organized Nov 1908 (prior to statehood) from McLean County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-88), Union officer during the Civil War and commander in chief of the U.S. Army (1883-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,006.40 (land 972.38; water 34.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,321. **State rank:** 3098. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -16.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,430 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 53.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,286; median household $37,727; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,729 - $53,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** -0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SIOUX COUNTY

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Fort Yates, ND 58538

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On the central southern border of ND, south of Bismarck; organized Sep 3, 1914 from the Standing Rock Indian Reservation. **Name Origin:** For the Sioux Indians, sometimes known as the Dakotas.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,128.27 (land 1,094.09; water 34.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,153. **State rank:** 2880. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,182 (White 12.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 84.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 26.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,542; median household $30,990; **Pop below poverty level:** 47.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,276 - $23,834.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** -1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SLOPE COUNTY

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On the southwestern border of ND, southwest of Dickinson; organized Jan 14, 1915 from Billings County. **Name Origin:** For the Missouri Slope, a popular name for western ND, especially the area west of the Missouri River.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,216.20 (land 1,214.92; water 1.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 727. **State rank:** 3128. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 709 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.7%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,824; median household $43,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,921 - $67,089.

**Unemployment 2010:** 1.6%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STARK COUNTY

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Dickinson, ND 58602
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In southwestern ND, west of Bismarck; organized Feb 10, 1879 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For George Stark, vice president of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,337.04 (land 1,334.74; water 2.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,199. **State rank:** 1681. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 22,073 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.9%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,282; median household $49,536; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,774 - $47,710.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dickinson 🏛 (17,787).

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**STEELE COUNTY**
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In east-central ND, southwest of Grand Forks; organized Mar 8, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Traill County. **Name Origin:** For Edward H. Steele (1846-99), an officer of the Red River Land Co., which figured prominently in the establishment of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 715.35 (land 712.22; water 3.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,975. **State rank:** 3064. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,007 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.0%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,728; median household $44,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,263 - $57,064.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STUTSMAN COUNTY**
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In south-central ND, west of Fargo; organized Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Pembina County. **Name Origin:** For Enos Stutsman (1926-74), member of the Dakota Council and a special agent of the U.S. Treasury Dept.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,298.58 (land 2,221.72; water 76.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,100. **State rank:** 1794. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 20,835 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.7%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,307; median household $44,620; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,722 - $40,945.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jamestown (15,427).

**TOWNER COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of ND; organized Mar 8, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Rolette County. **Name Origin:** For Oscar M. Towner (1842-97), Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,041.56 (land 1,024.56; water 17). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,246. **State rank:** 3027. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.7%; 2000-2005 -11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,544 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.4%, including 2.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 50.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,203; median household $43,684; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,918 - $51,598.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** -0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TRAILL COUNTY**
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Hillsboro, ND 58045
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**Fax:** 701-636-4457

On the central eastern border of ND, south of Grand Forks; organized Jan 12, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Grand Forks County. **Name Origin:** For Walter J.S. Traill (1847-1933) of the Hudson Bay Company; he was a founder of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 862.60 (land 861.95; water 0.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.4.

**Pop 2010:** 8,121. **State rank:** 2603. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 8,321 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,340; median household $44,290; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,272 - $43,686.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALSH COUNTY**
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Grafton, ND 58237
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**Fax:** 701-352-3340

On the northeastern border of ND, north of Grand Forks; organized Feb 18, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Grand Forks and Pembina counties. **Name Origin:** For George H. Walsh (1868-1913), newspaper publisher and member of the ND legislative council (1881, 1883, 1885, 1889).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,294.29 (land 1,281.93; water 12.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,119. **State rank:** 2367. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,607 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,829; median household $44,139; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,787 - $41,490.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARD COUNTY**
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Minot, ND 58702
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**Fax:** 701-857-6623

In north-central ND; organized Apr 14, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Renville County. **Name Origin:** For either J.P. Ward or Mark Ward

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Ward County (cont'd)

(1844-1902), or both, members of the Dakota Territory legislature in 1885 when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,056.64 (land 2,013.28; water 43.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.6.

**Pop 2010:** 61,675. **State rank:** 878. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.6%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 55,767 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,326; median household $48,793; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,512 - $42,880.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Minot 🏛 (40,888).

### WELLS COUNTY

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Fessenden, ND 58438
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**Fax:** 701-547-3840

In central ND, northeast of Bismarck; organized as Gingras County Jan 4, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Sheridan County; name changed Feb 26, 1881. **Name Origin:** For Edward Payson Wells (1847-1936), ND territorial legislator (1881), banker, and developer of the James River valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,290.39 (land 1,271.05; water 19.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,207. **State rank:** 2889. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.0%; 2000-2005 -10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,574 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 51.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,531; median household $40,136; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,306 - $49,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** 0%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WILLIAMS COUNTY

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**Fax:** 701-577-4510

On the northwestern border of ND, west of Minot; established Dec 8, 1891 by absorbing both Buford and Flannery counties. Originally located south of the Missouri River, near present-day Dunn and Mercer counties; established in present location in 1892. **Name Origin:** For Erastus A. Williams (1850-1930), Dakota Territory legislator, ND surveyor general, and a founder of Hettinger County.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,154.91 (land 2,077.40; water 77.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.8.

**Pop 2010:** 22,398. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.2%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,282 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 4.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,153; median household $55,396; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,695 - $54,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 1.7%. **Change from 2007:** -0.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Williston 🏛 (14,716).

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# Ohio

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**Area (sq mi):** 44,824.91 (land 40,948.38; water 3,876.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 282.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,536,504. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 11,464,042 (White 82.7%; Black or African American 12.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.7%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,395; median household $47,358; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,183 - $36,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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On the south-central border of OH; original county; organized Jul 10, 1797 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 585.75 (land 583.87; water 1.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.9.

**Pop 2010:** 28,550. **State rank:** 1481. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 28,454 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,693; median household $32,791; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,524 - $25,920.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clayton (13,209).

**ALLEN COUNTY**
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Lima, OH 45802
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In west-central OH, north of Dayton; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Mercer County. **Name Origin:** For Ethan Allen (1738-89), leader of the Green Mountain Boys of VT in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.96 (land 402.50; water 2.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 264.2.

**Pop 2010:** 106,331. **State rank:** 554. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 106,234 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 11.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,713; median household $43,632; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,536 - $30,128.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lima 🏛 (38,771).

**ASHLAND COUNTY**
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Ashland, OH 44805
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**Fax:** 419-282-4240

In north-central OH, southwest of Akron; organized Feb 24, 1846 from the counties of Huron (Ruggles twp), Lorain (Sullivan and Trop twps), Richland (Vermillion, Montgomery, Orange, Green, Hanover, and parts of Monroe, Mifflin, and Clear Fork twps), and Wayne (Jackson, Perry, Mohican, and Lake twps). **Name Origin:** Named in 1822 for the home of Henry Clay (1777-1852) at Lexington, KY.

**Area (sq mi):** 425.42 (land 422.95; water 2.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 125.6.

**Pop 2010:** 53,139. **State rank:** 901. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 54,123 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,558; median household $44,542; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,943 - $28,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ashland 🏛 (20,362).

**ASHTABULA COUNTY**
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Jefferson, OH 44047
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In the northeastern corner of OH, bordered on north by Lake Erie; organized Jun 7, 1807 from Trumbull County. **Name Origin:** For the Ashtabula River, which runs through the northeastern part of the county; from an Algonquian name thought to mean fish river or there are always enough moving, possibly referring to the fish.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,367.96 (land 701.93; water 666.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 144.6.

**Pop 2010:** 101,497. **State rank:** 570. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%;

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## Ashtabula County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 103,221 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,898; median household $42,139; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,959 - $29,447.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ashtabula (19,124); Conneaut (12,841).

### ATHENS COUNTY

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Athens, OH 45701
www.athenscountygovernment.com

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In southeastern OH, southeast of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1805 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Athens, Greece.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.38 (land 503.60; water 1.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.6.

**Pop 2010:** 64,757. **State rank:** 814. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 62,062 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 2.7%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 26.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,642; median household $31,559; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,492 - $26,090.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Athens (23,832).

### AUGLAIZE COUNTY

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Wapakoneta, OH 45895
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In west-central OH, south of Lima; organized Feb 14, 1848 from Allen and Mercer counties. **Name Origin:** For the Auglaize River, which traverses it; from French 'at the stream' or 'at the lick,' with possible reference to a salt lick; or from an Indian word meaning 'fallen timbers.'

**Area (sq mi):** 401.86 (land 401.39; water 0.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 114.5.

**Pop 2010:** 45,949. **State rank:** 1011. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 47,242 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,290; median household $52,018; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,602 - $36,158.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BELMONT COUNTY

101 W Main St Courthouse
Saint Clairsville, OH 43950
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**Fax:** 740-695-5305

On the central eastern border of OH, west of Wheeling, WV; organized Sept 7, 1801 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** French beautiful mountain.

**Area (sq mi):** 536.17 (land 532.13; water 4.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.3.

**Pop 2010:** 70,400. **State rank:** 768. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 69,228 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,266; median household $38,320; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,359 - $29,373.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centerville (23,999).

### BROWN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 937-378-6324

On the southwestern border of OH, east of Cincinnati; organized Mar 1, 1818 from Adams and Clermont counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jacob Jennings Brown (1775-1828), an officer in the War of 1812 and commander of the U.S. Army (1821-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 493.48 (land 490.02; water 3.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.5.

**Pop 2010:** 44,846. **State rank:** 1071. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 44,398 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,167; median household $45,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,104 - $29,139.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centerville (23,999); White Oak (19,167).

### BUTLER COUNTY

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www.butlercountyohio.org

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**Fax:** 513-887-3966

On the southwestern border of OH, north of Cincinnati; organized May 1, 1803 from Hamilton County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Gen. Richard Butler (1743-91), an officer in the Revolutionary War, PA legislator, and Indian commissioner.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.99 (land 467.06; water 2.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 788.2.

**Pop 2010:** 368,130. **State rank:** 178. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 350,412 (White 86.0%; Black or African American 7.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 2.4%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,892; median household $54,788; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Butler County (cont'd)

$34,778 - $35,247.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 42 for cities).

### CARROLL COUNTY

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In east-central OH, southeast of Canton; organized Jan 1, 1833 from Columbiana, Stark, Harrison, and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 398.94 (land 394.61; water 4.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,836. **State rank:** 1466. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 29,388 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,575; median household $43,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,917 - $24,192.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

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**Fax:** 937-484-1609

In west-central OH, west of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1805 from Greene and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** Variation of French *campagne* 'field' or 'plain,' referring to the flatness of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 429.82 (land 428.67; water 1.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.5.

**Pop 2010:** 40,097. **State rank:** 1175. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 39,698 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,438; median household $49,246; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,600 - $30,003.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Middletown (48,694); Urbana 🏛 (11,793).

### CLARK COUNTY

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Springfield, OH 45502
www.clarkcountyohio.gov

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In west-central OH, west of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1817 from Champaign, Madison and Greene counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), officer in the Revolutionary War and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 401.17 (land 397.47; water 3.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 348.

**Pop 2010:** 138,333. **State rank:** 441. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 142,376 (White 86.3%; Black or African American 8.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,110; median household $44,141; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,598 - $33,407.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield 🏛 (60,608).

### CLERMONT COUNTY

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Batavia, OH 45103
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On the southwestern border of OH, east of Cincinnati; original county; organized Dec 6, 1800 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the province in France, former home of some early settlers; French 'clear mountain.'

**Area (sq mi):** 457.78 (land 452.10; water 5.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 436.5.

**Pop 2010:** 197,363. **State rank:** 313. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 190,589 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,900; median household $58,472; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,035 - $34,786.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLINTON COUNTY

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Wilmington, OH 45177
www.co.clinton.oh.us

**Ph:** 937-382-2103
**Fax:** 937-383-2884

In southwestern OH, northeast of Cincinnati; organized Mar 1, 1810 from Highland County. **Name Origin:** For George Clinton (1739-1812), first governor of NY and vice president of the U.S. (1805-12).

**Area (sq mi):** 410.09 (land 408.68; water 1.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.9.

**Pop 2010:** 42,040. **State rank:** 1089. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 42,570 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,163; median household $46,261; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,921 - $30,639.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.4%. **Change from 2007:** +11.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wilmington 🏛 (12,520).

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**COLUMBIANA COUNTY**
105 S Market St
Lisbon, OH 44432
www.columbianacounty.org
**Ph:** 330-424-9511
**Fax:** 330-424-5067

On the northeastern border of OH, east of Canton; organized May 1, 1803 from Jefferson and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** A variation of Columbus or Columbia, for Christopher Columbus (1451-1506). The ending -iana may be the feminine form, which was considered appropriate for place names, or it may refer to an unidentified person named Anne or Anna.

**Area (sq mi):** 534.62 (land 531.89; water 2.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 202.7.

**Pop 2010:** 107,841. **State rank:** 541. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 110,928 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,635; median household $39,502; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,001 - $28,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salem (12,303); East Liverpool (11,195); Reading (10,385).

**COSHOCTON COUNTY**
401 1/2 Main St
Coshocton, OH 43812
www.co.coshocton.oh.us
**Ph:** 740-622-1753
**Fax:** 740-622-4917

In central OH, southwest of Canton; organized Jan 31, 1810 from Muskingum County. **Name Origin:** From Delaware Indian *goschachgunk*, thought to mean 'union of waters,' referring to the confluence of the Tuscarawas and Muskingum rivers; 'crossing' or 'ford,' or 'black bear town.'

**Area (sq mi):** 567.42 (land 563.91; water 3.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,901. **State rank:** 1274. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 36,945 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,635; median household $39,469; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,218 - $28,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Powell (11,500); Coshocton (11,216).

**CRAWFORD COUNTY**
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Bucyrus, OH 44820
www.crawford-co.org
**Ph:** 419-562-5876
**Fax:** 419-562-3491

In north-central OH, north of Columbus; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Old Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Crawford (1732-82), VA officer in the Revolutionary War, Indian fighter, and surveyor.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.51 (land 401.79; water 0.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.

**Pop 2010:** 43,784. **State rank:** 1085. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 45,774 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,590; median household $41,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,129 - $29,129.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Middletown (48,694); Bucyrus (12,362); Galion (10,512).

**CUYAHOGA COUNTY**
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Cleveland, OH 44113
www.cuyahogacounty.us
**Ph:** 216-443-7010
**Fax:** 216-443-5091

On the northeastern border of OH, bordered on north by Lake Erie; organized Jun 7, 1808 from Geauga County. **Name Origin:** For the Cuyahoga River, which runs through it; from an Indian word, exact origin uncertain. Possibly from *Cayahaga* 'crooked,' or *Cuyahoganuk* 'lake river,' or the Iroquoian word for 'river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,244.26 (land 457.19; water 787.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 2800.

**Pop 2010:** 1,280,122. **State rank:** 29. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,335,317 (White 63.6%; Black or African American 29.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 2.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,263; median household $43,603; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,959 - $41,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 34 (see page 42 for cities).

**DARKE COUNTY**
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Greenville, OH 45331
www.co.darke.oh.us
**Ph:** 937-547-7370
**Fax:** 937-547-7367

On the central western border of OH, northwest of Dayton; organized Jan 3, 1809 from Miami County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Darke (1736-1801), an officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 598.59 (land 598.10; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.5.

**Pop 2010:** 52,959. **State rank:** 940. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 52,983 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,483; median household $44,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,255 - $31,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenville (13,227).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**DEFIANCE COUNTY**
500 Court St Suite A
Defiance, OH 43512
www.defiance-county.com
**Ph:** 419-782-4761
**Fax:** 419-782-8449

On the northwestern border of OH; organized Apr 7, 1845 from Williams, Henry, and Paulding counties. **Name Origin:** For Fort Defiance, built here 1794 by Gen. Mad Anthony Wayne (1745-96), and which he described as being so strong that he defied hell and all her emissaries to take it.

**Area (sq mi):** 414.49 (land 411.46; water 3.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.9.

**Pop 2010:** 39,037. **State rank:** 1204. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 39,112 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,139; median household $44,480; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,500 - $31,687.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Defiance 🏛 (16,494).

**DELAWARE COUNTY**
101 N Sandusky St
Delaware, OH 43015
www.co.delaware.oh.us
**Ph:** 740-833-2100
**Fax:** 740-833-2099

In central OH, north of Columbus; organized Apr 1, 1808 from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** For the Delaware Indians (also called Leni-Lenape), named for the Delaware Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 456.66 (land 443.10; water 13.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 393.2.

**Pop 2010:** 174,214. **State rank:** 359. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.9%; 2000-2005 +36.6%. **Pop 2005:** 150,268 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 4.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,682; median household $87,908; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,542 - $53,546.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Delaware 🏛 (34,753); Norton (12,085); Powell (11,500).

**ERIE COUNTY**
323 Columbus Ave
Sandusky, OH 44870
www.erie-county-ohio.net
**Ph:** 419-627-7705
**Fax:** 419-624-6873

On the north-central coast of OH, bordered on north by Lake Erie; organized Mar 15, 1838 from Huron and Sandusky counties. **Name Origin:** For Lake Erie.

**Area (sq mi):** 622.83 (land 251.56; water 371.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 306.4.

**Pop 2010:** 77,079. **State rank:** 701. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 78,665 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,290; median household $46,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,545 - $36,404.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sandusky 🏛 (25,793); Vermilion (10,594).

**FAIRFIELD COUNTY**
210 E Main St
Lancaster, OH 43130
www.co.fairfield.oh.us
**Ph:** 740-687-7190
**Fax:** 740-687-6048

In central OH, southeast of Columbus; organized Dec 9, 1800 (prior to statehood) from Franklin County. **Name Origin:** Descriptive name for the rich farmland in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 507.90 (land 504.41; water 3.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 289.8.

**Pop 2010:** 146,156. **State rank:** 430. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +12.8%. **Pop 2005:** 138,423 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 6.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,130; median household $56,796; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,081 - $32,609.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lancaster 🏛 (38,780); Pickerington (18,291).

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
133 S Main St, Suite L-18
Washington Court House, OH 43160
www.fayette-co-oh.com
**Ph:** 740-333-3538
**Fax:** 740-333-3523

In central OH, east of Dayton; organized Mar 1, 1810 from Ross and Highland counties. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 406.86 (land 406.36; water 0.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.4.

**Pop 2010:** 29,030. **State rank:** 1477. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,199 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,525; median household $39,599; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,892 - $32,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** White Oak (19,167); Washington Court House 🏛 (14,192).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
369 S High St, 3rd Fl
Columbus, OH 43215-5452
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**Ph:** 614-462-3650
**Fax:** 614-462-4325

In central OH; organized Apr 30, 1803 from Ross County. **Name**

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## Franklin County (cont'd)

**Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), author, inventor, founder of the Philadelphia Library, scientist, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 535.64 (land 532.19; water 3.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 2186.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,163,414. **State rank:** 34. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,090,771 (White 69.2%; Black or African American 21.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 3.9%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,909; median household $49,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,568 - $38,170.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 42 for cities).

**FULTON COUNTY**
152 S Fulton St Suite 270
Wauseon, OH 43567
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**Fax:** 419-337-9285

On the northwestern border of OH, west of Toledo; organized Apr 1, 1850 from Lucas, Henry, and Williams counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), builder of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat and the Settlements in 1985.

**Area (sq mi):** 405.98 (land 405.44; water 0.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.3.

**Pop 2010:** 42,698. **State rank:** 1101. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 42,955 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,804; median household $50,717; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,266 - $33,644.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GALLIA COUNTY**
18 Locust St Rm 1292
Gallipolis, OH 45631
www.galliacounty.org

**Ph:** 740-446-4374
**Fax:** 740-446-4804

On the southeastern border of OH; organized Apr 30, 1803 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gaul, the Latin name for France, chosen by French colonists.

**Area (sq mi):** 468.89 (land 466.53; water 2.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.3.

**Pop 2010:** 30,934. **State rank:** 1409. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,362 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,199; median household $37,409; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,617 - $30,642.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GEAUGA COUNTY**
470 Center St Bldg 4
Chardon, OH 44024
www.co.geauga.oh.us

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**Fax:** 440-286-9177

In northeastern OH, east of Cleveland; organized Mar 1, 1806 from Trumbull County. **Name Origin:** Meaning of name is unclear; possibly from Iroquoian *sheauga* 'raccoon', or for an Indian chief.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.79 (land 400.16; water 4.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 233.4.

**Pop 2010:** 93,389. **State rank:** 584. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 95,218 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,735; median household $65,663; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,725 - $47,753.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENE COUNTY**
35 Green St
Xenia, OH 45385
www.co.greene.oh.us

**Ph:** 937-562-5006
**Fax:** 937-562-5331

In west-central OH, east of Dayton; organized May 1, 1803 from Hamilton and Ross counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 415.07 (land 413.73; water 1.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 390.5.

**Pop 2010:** 161,573. **State rank:** 377. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 151,996 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 2.9%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,328; median household $56,679; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,177 - $36,370.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beavercreek (45,193); Fairborn (32,352); Xenia (25,719); Monroe (12,442).

**GUERNSEY COUNTY**
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Cambridge, OH 43725
www.guernseycounty.org

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**Fax:** 740-432-9359

In east-central OH, south of Canton; organized Mar 1, 1810 from Belmont County. **Name Origin:** For the British Island in the English Channel.

**Area (sq mi):** 528.64 (land 522.25; water 6.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.8.

**Pop 2010:** 40,087. **State rank:** 1171. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 41,123 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,187; median household $37,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Guernsey County (cont'd)

$25,859 - $28,225.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marysville (22,094); Cambridge 🏛 (10,635).

### HAMILTON COUNTY

138 E Court St
Cincinnati, OH 45202
www.hamilton-co.org

**Ph:** 513-946-4400
**Fax:** 513-946-4444

In the southwest corner of OH; original county; organized Jan 2, 1790 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 411.33 (land 405.91; water 5.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 1976.7.

**Pop 2010:** 802,374. **State rank:** 59. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 806,652 (White 68.8%; Black or African American 25.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 2.0%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,799; median household $48,234; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,502 - $45,852.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 18 (see page 43 for cities).

### HANCOCK COUNTY

300 S Main St
Findlay, OH 45840
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**Fax:** 419-424-7801

In north-central OH, south of Toledo; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.60 (land 531.36; water 2.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 140.7.

**Pop 2010:** 74,782. **State rank:** 722. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 73,503 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.7%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,158; median household $49,070; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,234 - $37,052.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Findlay 🏛 (41,202).

### HARDIN COUNTY

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Kenton, OH 43326-6238
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**Ph:** 419-674-2239
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In west-central OH, northwest of Columbus; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Hardin (1753-92), Revolutionary War officer and Indian fighter with George Rogers Clark (1752-1818) in the trans-Ohio campaigns; killed while on a peace mission to the Miami Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 470.66 (land 470.41; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.1.

**Pop 2010:** 32,058. **State rank:** 1378. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 32,032 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,100; median household $41,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,884 - $27,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARRISON COUNTY

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Cadiz, OH 43907
www.harrisoncountyohio.org

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**Fax:** 740-942-2000

In east-central OH, southeast of Canton; organized Feb 1, 1813 from Jefferson and Tuscarawas counties. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Harrison (1773-1841), ninth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.60 (land 402.34; water 7.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,864. **State rank:** 2079. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 15,920 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,318; median household $35,363; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,489 - $27,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENRY COUNTY

1853 Oakwood Ave
Napoleon, OH 43545
www.henrycountyohio.com

**Ph:** 419-592-4876

In northwestern OH, southwest of Toledo; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Wood County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 419.48 (land 416.01; water 3.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.8.

**Pop 2010:** 28,215. **State rank:** 1463. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 29,453 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,638; median household $48,367; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,981 - $32,960.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**HIGHLAND COUNTY**
114 Governor Foraker Pl
Hillsboro, OH 45133
www.highland-co.com
**Ph:** 937-393-1911
**Fax:** 937-393-5850

In southwest OH; organized May 1, 1805 from Ross, Adams, and Clermont counties. **Name Origin:** For the terrain.

**Area (sq mi):** 557.64 (land 553.08; water 4.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 78.8.

**Pop 2010:** 43,589. **State rank:** 1107. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 42,818 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,966; median household $39,844; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,224 - $26,505.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.1%. **Change from 2007:** +10.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOCKING COUNTY**
1 E Main St
Logan, OH 43138
www.co.hocking.oh.us
**Ph:** 740-385-5195
**Fax:** 740-385-1105

In central OH, southeast of Columbus; organized Jan 3, 1818 from Athens and Ross counties. **Name Origin:** For the Hocking River, which runs through it; from an anglicized Algonquian word whose meaning is uncertain, perhaps referred to cleared fields.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.17 (land 421.32; water 0.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.7.

**Pop 2010:** 29,380. **State rank:** 1455. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 29,009 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,048; median household $39,586; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,904 - $27,290.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOLMES COUNTY**
2 Court St
Millersburg, OH 44654
www.co.holmes.oh.us
**Ph:** 330-674-0286
**Fax:** 330-674-0566

In Northeast OH, southwest of Canton; organized Jan 20, 1824 from Coshocton County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Andrew Hunter Holmes (?-1814), officer in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 423.56 (land 422.53; water 1.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.3.

**Pop 2010:** 42,366. **State rank:** 1118. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,567 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,009; median household $43,533; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,148 - $25,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HURON COUNTY**
County Courthouse, 2 E Main St 2nd Fl
Norwalk, OH 44857
www.hccommissioners.com
**Ph:** 419-668-5113
**Fax:** 419-663-4048

In north-central OH, west of Akron; organized Feb 7, 1809 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Huron Indians, a tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock, later known as the Wyandot. Name from a French word for 'rough,' with a derogatory suffix, *-on*, probably indicating that they were formidable opponents.

**Area (sq mi):** 493.33 (land 491.50; water 1.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.3.

**Pop 2010:** 59,626. **State rank:** 852. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 60,385 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 5.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,743; median household $47,058; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,823 - $29,722.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Norwalk (17,012).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
275 Portsmouth St
Jackson, OH 45640
**Ph:** 740-286-5673
**Fax:** 740-286-4061

In south-central OH; organized Mar 1, 1816 from Pike County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 421.52 (land 420.30; water 1.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.

**Pop 2010:** 33,225. **State rank:** 1328. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 33,526 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,775; median household $34,044; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,142 - $27,288.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Monroe (12,442).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
301 Market St Courthouse, 1st Fl
Steubenville, OH 43952
www.jeffersoncountyoh.com
**Ph:** 740-283-8500
**Fax:** 740-283-8599

On east-central border of OH, southeast of Canton; original county; organized Jul 27, 1797 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.60 (land 408.33; water 1.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 170.7.

**Pop 2010:** 69,709. **State rank:** 772. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 70,599 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Jefferson County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,470; median household $37,527; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,837 - $30,341.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairfield (42,510); Steubenville 🏛 (18,659).

### KNOX COUNTY

117 E High St Suite 161 **Ph:** 740-393-6703
Mount Vernon, OH 43050 **Fax:** 740-393-6705
www.co.knox.oh.us

In central OH, northeast of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1808 from Fairfield County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 527.90 (land 525.49; water 2.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 115.9.

**Pop 2010:** 60,921. **State rank:** 855. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 58,398 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,204; median household $45,655; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,892 - $30,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Vernon 🏛 (16,990).

### LAKE COUNTY

25 N Park Pl **Ph:** 440-350-2657
Painesville, OH 44077
www.lakecountyohio.org

On the northeastern border of OH, bounded on the north by Lake Erie, organized Mar 6, 1840 from Geauga and Cuyahoga counties. **Name Origin:** For its location on Lake Erie.

**Area (sq mi):** 978.14 (land 227.49; water 750.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 1011.2.

**Pop 2010:** 230,041. **State rank:** 267. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 232,466 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,221; median household $54,896; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,242 - $38,927.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 43 for cities).

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

111 S 4th St PO Box 208 **Ph:** 740-533-4355
Ironton, OH 45638 **Fax:** 740-533-4383
www.lawrencecountyohio.org

On the southeastern border of OH; organized Dec 21, 1815 from Gallia County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. naval officer in the war with Barbary pirates near Tripoli and commander of the U.S.S. *Chesapeake* in the War of 1812, who said that don't give up the ship!

**Area (sq mi):** 455.69 (land 453.37; water 2.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 137.7.

**Pop 2010:** 62,450. **State rank:** 819. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 63,112 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,452; median household $36,461; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,008 - $29,243.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ironton 🏛 (11,129).

### LICKING COUNTY

20 S 2nd St **Ph:** 740-670-5110
Newark, OH 43055 **Fax:** 740-670-5119
www.lcounty.com

In central OH, east of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1808 from Fairfield County. **Name Origin:** For the salt licks in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 684.38 (land 682.50; water 1.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 243.9.

**Pop 2010:** 166,492. **State rank:** 385. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 154,806 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,534; median household $53,291; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,540 - $34,774.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newark 🏛 (47,573); Pataskala (14,962); Heath (10,310).

### LOGAN COUNTY

117 E Columbus Ave **Ph:** 937-599-7284
Bellefontaine, OH 43311 **Fax:** 937-599-7268
www.co.logan.oh.us

In west-central OH, northwest of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1817 from Champaign County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Logan (c. 1743-1802), VA patriot and soldier active in the West during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 466.77 (land 458.43; water 8.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.

**Pop 2010:** 45,858. **State rank:** 1014. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 46,580 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,974; median household $46,493; **Pop**

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## Logan County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,373 - $32,423.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bellefontaine (13,370).

### LORAIN COUNTY

225 Court St
Elyria, OH 44035
www.loraincounty.us

**Ph:** 440-329-5536
**Fax:** 440-328-2416

On the northern coast of OH, bordered on the north by Lake Erie; organized Dec 26, 1822 from Huron, Cuyahoga, and Medina counties. **Name Origin:** For the province of Lorraine, France, former home of early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 921.62 (land 491.10; water 430.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 613.6.

**Pop 2010:** 301,356. **State rank:** 206. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 296,307 (White 84.8%; Black or African American 8.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 8.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,002; median household $52,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,617 - $34,629.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 43 for cities).

### LUCAS COUNTY

1 Government Center, Suite 800
Toledo, OH 43604
www.co.lucas.oh.us

**Ph:** 419-213-4500
**Fax:** 419-213-4532

On the northwest coast of OH, bordered on the north by Lake Erie, organized Jun 20, 1835 from Wood County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert Lucas (1781-1853), governor of OH (1832-36) and first territorial governor of IA (1838-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 596.28 (land 340.86; water 255.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 1296.2.

**Pop 2010:** 441,815. **State rank:** 142. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 448,229 (White 74.0%; Black or African American 19.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 1.5%; Others 6.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,981; median household $42,072; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,799 - $34,208.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Toledo (287,208); Oregon (20,291); Sylvania (18,965); Maumee (14,286).

### MADISON COUNTY

1 N Main St PO Box 618
London, OH 43140
www.co.madison.oh.us

**Ph:** 740-852-2972
**Fax:** 740-845-1660

In west-central OH, west of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1810 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 466.62 (land 465.88; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.2.

**Pop 2010:** 43,435. **State rank:** 1099. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,295 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,980; median household $50,533; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,627 - $32,239.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MAHONING COUNTY

120 Market St
Youngstown, OH 44503
www.mahoningcountyoh.gov

**Ph:** 330-740-2104
**Fax:** 330-740-2105

On the northeastern border of OH, northeast of Canton; organized Feb 16, 1846 from Columbiana and Trumbull counties. **Name Origin:** From Delaware Indian *mahanoi* or *m'hoani* 'salt lick,' also spelled *Mahanoy*.

**Area (sq mi):** 419.76 (land 411.62; water 8.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 580.2.

**Pop 2010:** 238,823. **State rank:** 268. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 254,274 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 15.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,824; median household $40,123; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,314 - $32,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 43 for cities).

### MARION COUNTY

100 N Main St
Marion, OH 43302
www.co.marion.oh.us

**Ph:** 740-223-4270
**Fax:** 740-223-4279

In central OH, north of Columbus; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics in the Carolina swamps during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.06 (land 403.76; water 0.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 164.7.

**Pop 2010:** 66,501. **State rank:** 788. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 65,932 (White 91.1%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,849; median household $40,511; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Marion County (cont'd)

$29,167 - $30,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marion 🏛 (36,837); Centerville (23,999).

**MEDINA COUNTY**
93 Public Sq
Medina, OH 44256
www.co.medina.oh.us
**Ph:** 330-725-9722

In north-central OH, northwest of Akron; organized Feb 18, 1812 from Portage County. **Name Origin:** Named for the city in Saudi Arabia to which Muhammad (c. 570-632), founder of Islam, fled from Mecca in 622.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.93 (land 421.36; water 1.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 409.

**Pop 2010:** 172,332. **State rank:** 350. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 167,010 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,986; median household $66,193; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,019 - $38,600.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brunswick (34,255); Medina 🏛 (26,678); Wadsworth (21,567).

**MEIGS COUNTY**
PO Box 151
Pomeroy, OH 45769
www.meigscountyohio.com
**Ph:** 740-992-5290
**Fax:** 740-992-4429

On the southeastern border of OH; organized Jan 21, 1819 from Gallia and Athens counties. **Name Origin:** For Return Jonathan Meigs (1764-1824), OH governor (1810-14) and U.S. Postmaster General (1814-23).

**Area (sq mi):** 433.05 (land 430.10; water 2.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,770. **State rank:** 1682. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 23,232 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,003; median household $33,407; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,748 - $24,268.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lima (38,771).

**MERCER COUNTY**
101 North Main St, Rm 205
Celina, OH 45822-2002
www.mercercountyohio.org
**Ph:** 419-586-5005
**Fax:** 419-586-3355

On the central-western border of OH, southwest of Lima; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Darke County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 472.48 (land 462.45; water 10.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.3.

**Pop 2010:** 40,814. **State rank:** 1156. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,202 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,348; median household $49,719; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,361 - $35,168.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Celina 🏛 (10,400).

**MIAMI COUNTY**
201 W Main St
Troy, OH 45373
www.co.miami.oh.us
**Ph:** 937-440-5900

In west-central OH, north of Dayton; organized Mar 1, 1807 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For the Miami Indians, an Algonquin Indian tribe. Origin of the name uncertain, probably from Ojibway *oumaumeg* 'people of the peninsula,' or from Delaware *we-mi-a-mik* 'all friends.'

**Area (sq mi):** 408.76 (land 406.58; water 2.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 252.1.

**Pop 2010:** 102,506. **State rank:** 567. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 101,619 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,006; median household $51,507; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,745 - $35,027.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Troy 🏛 (25,058); Piqua (20,522); Clayton (13,209).

**MONROE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 740-472-5156

On the central-eastern border of OH; organized Jan 29, 1813 from Belmont, Washington, and Guernsey counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 457.64 (land 455.72; water 1.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,642. **State rank:** 2151. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,698 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,738; median household $37,030; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,436 - $28,099.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hamilton (62,477); Lebanon (20,033).

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**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Dayton, OH 45422-2143
www.co.montgomery.oh.us
**Ph:** 937-496-7213
**Fax:** 937-496-7627

In west-central OH, north of Cincinnati; organized Mar 24, 1803 from Hamilton and Ross counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 464.22 (land 461.55; water 2.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 1159.5.

**Pop 2010:** 535,153. **State rank:** 119. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 547,435 (White 73.9%; Black or African American 20.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,828; median household $43,965; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,135 - $36,302.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 43 for cities).

**MORGAN COUNTY**
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McConnelsville, OH 43756
www.morgancounty-oh.gov
**Ph:** 740-962-4475
**Fax:** 740-962-2014

In east-central OH, southeast of Columbus; organized Dec 29, 1817 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 420.62 (land 416.42; water 4.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,054. **State rank:** 2142. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,958 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,777; median household $34,962; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,117 - $24,730.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centerville (23,999).

**MORROW COUNTY**
48 E High St
Mount Gilead, OH 43338
www.morrowcounty.net
**Ph:** 419-946-4060
**Fax:** 419-946-6713

In central OH, north of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1848 from Knox, Marion, Delaware, and Richland counties. **Name Origin:** For Jeremiah Morrow (1771-1852), OH legislator, U.S. senator (1813-19), and governor (1822-36).

**Area (sq mi):** 407.21 (land 406.08; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.8.

**Pop 2010:** 34,827. **State rank:** 1295. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 34,322 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,795; median household $49,891; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,949 - $28,311.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MUSKINGUM COUNTY**
401 Main St
Zanesville, OH 43701
www.muskingumcounty.org
**Ph:** 740-455-7104
**Fax:** 740-455-8245

In central OH, east of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1804 from Washington and Fairfield counties. **Name Origin:** For the Muskingum River, which flows through it; from Algonquian but the meaning is uncertain, possibly 'by the river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 672.55 (land 664.58; water 7.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.5.

**Pop 2010:** 86,074. **State rank:** 653. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 85,579 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,561; median household $39,538; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,246 - $29,528.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Zanesville (25,487).

**NOBLE COUNTY**
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Caldwell, OH 43724
www.noblecountyohio.com
**Ph:** 740-732-2969
**Fax:** 740-732-5702

In east-central OH, south of Canton; organized Apr 1, 1851 from Monroe, Morgan, Guernsey, and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For James and Warren P. Noble, early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 403.60 (land 398.01; water 5.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,645. **State rank:** 2140. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 14,156 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,029; median household $39,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,881 - $19,616.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OTTAWA COUNTY**
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Port Clinton, OH 43452
www.co.ottawa.oh.us
**Ph:** 419-734-6710
**Fax:** 419-734-6898

On the northern coast of OH, bordered on the north by Lake Erie; organized Mar 6, 1840 from Erie, Sandusky, and Lucas counties. **Name Origin:** For the Ottawa Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. Tribal name is derived from *adawe* 'to trade,' for their ability as intertribal traders and barterers.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Ottawa County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 585.09 (land 254.92; water 330.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 162.5.

**Pop 2010:** 41,428. **State rank:** 1147. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 41,583 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,809; median household $53,463; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,731 - $37,934.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PAULDING COUNTY

115 N Williams St, Rm 104 County Courthouse
Paulding, OH 45879
www.pauldingchamber.com

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**Fax:** 419-399-8248

On the northwest coast of OH; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Paulding (1758-1818) of Peekskill, NY, one of the captors (1780) of British spy John Andre (1750-80) during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 419.08 (land 416.44; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.1.

**Pop 2010:** 19,614. **State rank:** 1859. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,537 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,919; median household $46,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,815 - $30,009.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PERRY COUNTY

121 W Brown St PO Box 248
New Lexington, OH 43764
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**Ph:** 740-342-2045
**Fax:** 740-342-5505

In central OH, southeast of Columbus; organized Mar 1, 1818 from Washington, Fairfield, and Muskingum counties. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 410.79 (land 407.97; water 2.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,058. **State rank:** 1282. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 35,246 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,916; median household $42,388; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,924 - $24,321.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salem (12,303).

### PICKAWAY COUNTY

139 W Franklin St
Circleville, OH 43113
www.pickaway.org

**Ph:** 740-474-6093
**Fax:** 740-474-8988

In central OH, south of Columbus; organized Jan 12, 1810 from Ross, Fairfield, and Franklin counties(Piqua). **Name Origin:** A folk etymological form of *Piqua*, believed to be the name of the Shawnee subtribe to which Tecumseh (1768-1813) belonged. Name is thought to mean 'ashes,' referring to the myth that the first man of their tribe rose out of ashes.

**Area (sq mi):** 506.20 (land 501.32; water 4.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.1.

**Pop 2010:** 55,698. **State rank:** 903. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 52,989 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,432; median household $49,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,439 - $30,434.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Circleville 🏛 (13,314).

### PIKE COUNTY

100 E 2nd St
Waverly, OH 45690
www.piketravel.com

**Ph:** 740-947-2715
**Fax:** 740-947-1729

In south-central OH, south of Columbus; organized Jan 4, 1815 from Ross, Highland, and Scioto counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak, CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 442.74 (land 440.28; water 2.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.2.

**Pop 2010:** 28,709. **State rank:** 1498. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 28,146 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,494; median household $35,912; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,636 - $27,823.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PORTAGE COUNTY

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Ravenna, OH 44266
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In northeastern OH, east of Akron; organized Jun 7, 1807 from Trumbull and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For the portage of canoes or other craft between the Cuyahoga and Manhoning rivers.

**Area (sq mi):** 502.10 (land 487.38; water 14.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 331.2.

**Pop 2010:** 161,419. **State rank:** 389. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 155,631 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1.4%; Others 1.3%,

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## Portage County (cont'd)

including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,097; median household $50,447; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,882 - $34,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kent (28,904); Streetsboro (16,028); Aurora (15,548); Ravenna 🏛 (11,724).

**PREBLE COUNTY**
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Eaton, OH 45320
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**Ph:** 937-456-8143
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On the southwestern border of OH, west of Dayton; organized Mar 1, 1808 from Montgomery and Butler counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Edward Preble (1761-1807), commander of the U.S.S. *Constitution*, which bombarded Tripoli in 1804 during the war against the Barbary pirates.

**Area (sq mi):** 425.64 (land 424.12; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 99.7.

**Pop 2010:** 42,270. **State rank:** 1125. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 42,527 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,290; median household $49,780; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,955 - $30,830.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PUTNAM COUNTY**
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Ottawa, OH 45875-5196
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**Ph:** 419-523-3656
**Fax:** 419-523-9213

In northwestern OH, north of Lima; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam, (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 482.88 (land 482.52; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.5.

**Pop 2010:** 34,499. **State rank:** 1306. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,928 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,023; median household $56,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,732 - $33,784.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICHLAND COUNTY**
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Mansfield, OH 44902
www.richlandcountyohio.org
**Ph:** 419-774-5549
**Fax:** 419-774-5547

In north-central OH, west of Canton; organized Mar 1, 1808 from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For the fertile soil in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.72 (land 495.27; water 3.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 251.3.

**Pop 2010:** 124,475. **State rank:** 481. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 127,949 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,459; median household $42,664; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,685 - $29,356.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mansfield 🏛 (47,821).

**ROSS COUNTY**
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Chillicothe, OH 45601
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**Fax:** 740-702-3018

In south-central OH, south of Columbus; original county; organized Aug 20, 1798 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James Ross (1762-1847), U.S. senator from PA (1794-1803).

**Area (sq mi):** 693.74 (land 689.19; water 4.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 113.3.

**Pop 2010:** 78,064. **State rank:** 709. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 75,197 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,595; median household $42,626; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,705 - $28,655.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chillicothe 🏛 (21,901).

**SANDUSKY COUNTY**
622 Croghan St
Fremont, OH 43420
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**Ph:** 419-334-6100
**Fax:** 419-334-6104

In north-central OH, southeast of Toledo; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Huron County. **Name Origin:** For the Sandusky River, which flows through it. From a Wyandot word, now lost, which seems to have meant 'cold water' or 'pure water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 417.04 (land 408.45; water 8.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 149.2.

**Pop 2010:** 60,944. **State rank:** 850. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 61,676 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,286; median household $48,056; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,771 - $31,647.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sandusky County (cont'd)

**travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fremont 🏛 (16,734).

### SCIOTO COUNTY

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Portsmouth, OH 45662
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On the southern border of OH; organized May 1, 1803 from Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For the Scioto River, which flows through it; from an Iroquoian word of uncertain meaning, said by some scholars to be Wyandot 'deer.'

**Area (sq mi):** 614.01 (land 610.21; water 3.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 130.3.

**Pop 2010:** 79,499. **State rank:** 706. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 76,561 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,778; median household $32,812; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,828 - $27,953.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portsmouth 🏛 (20,226).

### SENECA COUNTY

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Tiffin, OH 44883
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In north-central OH, southeast of Toledo; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Sandusky County. **Name Origin:** For the Seneca Indians, one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois; name probably means 'stony area.'

**Area (sq mi):** 552.80 (land 551.02; water 1.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.

**Pop 2010:** 56,745. **State rank:** 888. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 57,483 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,976; median household $42,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,730 - $30,055.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tiffin 🏛 (17,963); Fostoria (13,441).

### SHELBY COUNTY

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Sidney, OH 45365
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**Fax:** 937-498-1293

In west-central OH, north of Dayton; organized Jan 7, 1819 from Miami County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 409.44 (land 407.68; water 1.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.2.

**Pop 2010:** 49,423. **State rank:** 974. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 48,736 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,948; median household $48,475; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,822 - $33,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sidney 🏛 (21,229).

### STARK COUNTY

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Canton, OH 44702
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**Ph:** 330-451-7371
**Fax:** 330-451-7906

In northeastern OH, south of Akron; organized Feb 13, 1808 from Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Stark (1728-1822), officer in the French and Indian War and the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 580.04 (land 575.27; water 4.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 652.9.

**Pop 2010:** 375,586. **State rank:** 173. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 380,608 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 7.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,015; median household $44,941; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,673 - $33,383.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Canton 🏛 (73,007); Massillon (32,149); Alliance (22,322); North Canton (17,488); New Franklin (14,227).

### SUMMIT COUNTY

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Akron, OH 44308
www.co.summit.oh.us

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In northeastern OH, south of Cleveland; organized Mar 3, 1840 from Portage, Medina, and Stark counties. **Name Origin:** From the Greek 'summit,' because the highest point on the Ohio Canal is at the county seat, Akron.

**Area (sq mi):** 420.09 (land 412.75; water 7.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 1312.6.

**Pop 2010:** 541,781. **State rank:** 114. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 546,604 (White 80.6%; Black or African American 14.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 2.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,676; median household $47,926; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,423 - $40,004.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 43 for cities).

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**TRUMBULL COUNTY**
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Warren, OH 44481
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**Fax:** 330-675-2462

On the northeastern border of OH; organized Jul 10, 1800 from Jefferson County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Jonathan Trumbull (1740-1809), aide-de-camp to Gen. George Washington (1780-83), governor of CT (1798-1809), and son of the colonial governor of the same name.

**Area (sq mi):** 636.54 (land 618.30; water 18.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 340.1.

**Pop 2010:** 210,312. **State rank:** 293. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 219,296 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,854; median household $42,296; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,288 - $30,579.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Warren (41,557); Niles (19,266).

**TUSCARAWAS COUNTY**
125 E High Ave
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
www.co.tuscarawas.oh.us
**Ph:** 330-365-3243
**Fax:** 330-343-4682

In east-central OH, south of Canton; organized Mar 15, 1808 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For the Tuscarawas River, which flows through it; from an Indian word thought to mean 'open mouth.'

**Area (sq mi):** 571.55 (land 567.64; water 3.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 163.1.

**Pop 2010:** 92,582. **State rank:** 617. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 91,944 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,536; median household $42,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,272 - $28,757.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Philadelphia (17,288); Dover (12,826).

**UNION COUNTY**
233 W 6th St
Marysville, OH 43040
www.co.union.oh.us
**Ph:** 937-645-3012
**Fax:** 937-645-3002

In central OH, northwest of Columbus; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Franklin, Madison, and Logan counties. **Name Origin:** For the union of parts of four counties.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.06 (land 431.73; water 0.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.1.

**Pop 2010:** 52,300. **State rank:** 980. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.3%; 2000-2005 +11.8%. **Pop 2005:** 45,751 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 2.7%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,389; median household $68,452; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,911 - $34,005.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marysville (22,094).

**VAN WERT COUNTY**
114 E Main St
Van Wert, OH 45891
vanwertcounty.org
**Ph:** 419-238-6159
**Fax:** 419-238-4528

On the western border of OH, west of Lima; organized Apr 1, 1820 from Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For Isaac Van Wert (?-1828), a captor of John Andre (1750-80), a British spy, during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 409.56 (land 409.16; water 0.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.3.

**Pop 2010:** 28,744. **State rank:** 1469. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 29,154 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,772; median household $44,415; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,144 - $32,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Van Wert (10,846).

**VINTON COUNTY**
100 E Main St County Courthouse
McArthur, OH 45651
www.vintoncounty.com
**Ph:** 740-596-4571

In south-central OH; organized Mar 23, 1850 from Gallia, Athens, Ross, Hocking, Meigs, and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Finley Vinton (1792-1862), U.S. representative from OH (1823-37; 1843-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 413.24 (land 412.36; water 0.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,435. **State rank:** 2219. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,429 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,736; median household $34,242; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,147 - $23,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
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Lebanon, OH 45036
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**Ph:** 513-695-1280
**Fax:** 513-695-2990

In southwestern OH, northeast of Cincinnati; organized Mar 24, 1803 from Hamilton County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety, who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 408.82 (land 401.31; water 7.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 530.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Warren County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 212,693. **State rank:** 292. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +24.1%. **Pop 2005:** 196,622 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 3.9%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,935; median household $71,274; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,137 - $40,536.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mason (30,712); Lebanon 🏛 (20,033); Springboro (17,409); Franklin (11,771).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
205 Putnam St
Marietta, OH 45750
www.co.washington.oh.us
**Ph:** 740-373-6623
**Fax:** 740-373-2085

On the southeastern border of OH; original county; organized Jul 27, 1788 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 636.97 (land 631.97; water 5). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.8.

**Pop 2010:** 61,778. **State rank:** 838. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 62,210 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,786; median household $41,654; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,172 - $32,645.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Norwood (19,207); Marietta 🏛 (14,085).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
428 W Liberty St
Wooster, OH 44691
www.wayneohio.org
**Ph:** 330-287-5400
**Fax:** 330-287-5407

In north-central OH, west of Canton; original county; organized Aug 15, 1796 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 555.89 (land 554.93; water 0.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 206.4.

**Pop 2010:** 114,520. **State rank:** 518. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 113,697 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,645; median household $48,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,396 - $29,966.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wooster 🏛 (26,119); Centerville (23,999).

**WILLIAMS COUNTY**
1 Courthouse Sq
Bryan, OH 43506
www.co.williams.oh.us
**Ph:** 419-636-2059
**Fax:** 419-636-0643

In the northwestern corner of OH; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Henry County. **Name Origin:** For David Williams, a captor of British spy John Andre (1750-80), in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.28 (land 420.97; water 1.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.4.

**Pop 2010:** 37,642. **State rank:** 1215. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 38,688 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,381; median household $44,538; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,666 - $31,783.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOOD COUNTY**
1 Courthouse Sq PO Box 829
Bowling Green, OH 43402
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**Fax:** 419-354-9241

In west-central OH, south of Toledo; organized Feb 12, 1820 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Eleazer Derby Wood (1783-1814), an officer in the War of 1812 and builder of Fort Meigs.

**Area (sq mi):** 620.43 (land 617.21; water 3.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 203.3.

**Pop 2010:** 125,488. **State rank:** 480. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 123,929 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,671; median household $53,298; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,152 - $34,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bowling Green 🏛 (30,028); Perrysburg (20,623).

**WYANDOT COUNTY**
109 S Sandusky Ave, County Courthouse
Upper Sandusky, OH 43351
www.co.wyandot.oh.us
**Ph:** 419-294-1432
**Fax:** 419-294-6414

In west-central OH; organized Feb 3, 1845 from Marion, Crawford, Hardin, and Hancock counties. **Name Origin:** For the Wyandot Indians, a tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name is thought to mean 'islanders' or 'those who live on a peninsula,' from their original home on island in the Saint Lawrence River and on a peninsula. Also spelled *Wyandotte*.

**Area (sq mi):** 408.88 (land 406.87; water 2.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,615. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,813 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,553; median household $47,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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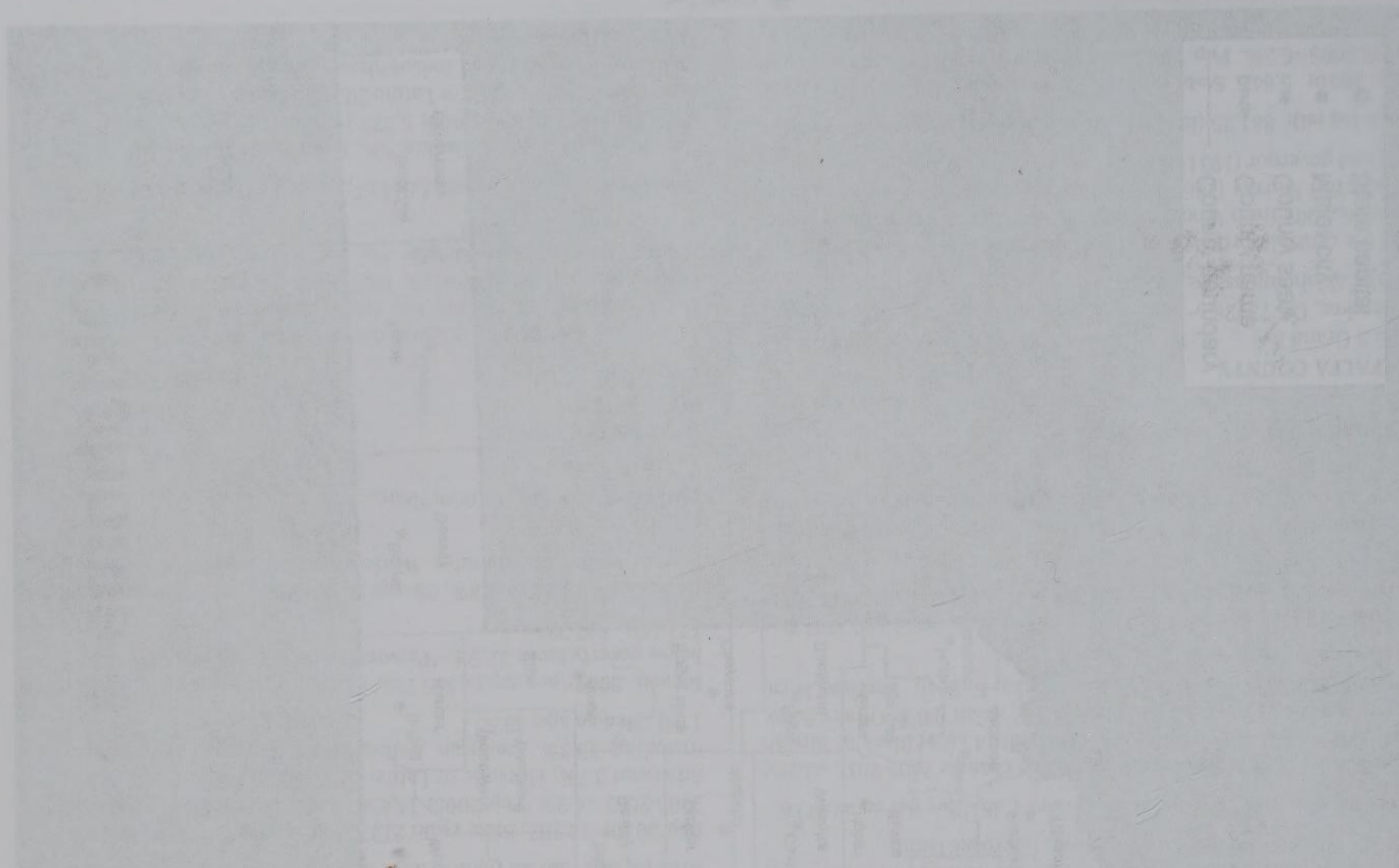
## Wyandot County (cont'd)

$29,222 - $31,390.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

*Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*



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# Oklahoma

**OKLAHOMA STATE INFORMATION**
www.ok.gov **Ph:** 405-524-3468

**Area (sq mi):** 69,898.19 (land 68,667.06; water 1,231.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,751,351. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,547,884 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 1.7%; Others 8.9%, including 8.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,421; median household $42,979; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,329 - $35,389.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.8%.

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**ADAIR COUNTY**
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Stilwell, OK 74960 **Fax:** 918-696-2603

On the central eastern border of OK, east of Tulsa; organized Jul 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For either John Lynch Adair (1828-96) or members of a well-known Cherokee family.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.84 (land 573.48; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.6.

**Pop 2010:** 22,683. **State rank:** 1729. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 21,988 (White 43.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.3%, including 43.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,732; median household $29,811; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,314 - $22,814.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALFALFA COUNTY**
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Cherokee, OK 73728 **Fax:** 580-596-2171
alfalfa.oklahoma.usassessor.com

On the central northern border of OK, northwest of Enid; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Woods County. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Alfalfa Bill Murray (1869-1956), U.S. representative from OK (1913-17) and governor (1931-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 881.25 (land 866.46; water 14.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,642. **State rank:** 2792. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,725 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.0%, including 2.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,029; median household $42,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,155 - $26,890.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ATOKA COUNTY**
200 E Court St Ste 201 **Ph:** 580-889-2643
Atoka, OK 74525 **Fax:** 580-889-2608
www.atokacity.org

In south-central OK, southwest of McAlester; organized as Shappaway County Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Atoka, the Choctaw athlete who led a band of his people to OK during their removal from MS and AL. Originally for another noted Choctaw leader.

**Area (sq mi):** 987.23 (land 975.52; water 11.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.5.

**Pop 2010:** 14,182. **State rank:** 2127. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,456 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.9%, including 13.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,772; median household $31,179; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,158 - $27,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEAVER COUNTY**
PO Box 338 **Ph:** 580-625-3151
Beaver, OK 73932 **Fax:** 580-625-3430

In the OK panhandle; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood) and comprising the entire panhandle. Present Beaver County was organized Nov 16, 1907 from the eastern third of the original county. **Name Origin:** For the Beaver River, which runs across the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,817.89 (land 1,814.67; water 3.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,636. **State rank:** 2804. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,379 (White 82.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 20.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 20.1%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.4%. **Median age:** 40.3.

## Beaver County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,525; median household $49,743; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,978 - $37,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BECKHAM COUNTY

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Sayre, OK 73662
www.beckham.okcounties.org

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**Fax:** 580-928-2467

On the southwestern border of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Greer and Roger Mills counties. **Name Origin:** For John Crepps Wickliffe Beckham (1869-1940), KY governor (1900-07) and U.S. senator (1915-21).

**Area (sq mi):** 904.12 (land 901.81; water 2.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,119. **State rank:** 1757. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.2%; 2000-2005 -4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,880 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 11.8%, including 2.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,144; median household $43,642; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,529 - $31,948.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elk City (11,693).

### BLAINE COUNTY

212 N Weigle
Watonga, OK 73772
www.blainecountyok.com

**Ph:** 580-623-5890

In west-central OK, northwest of Oklahoma City; original county; organized as C County in 1890; renamed in Nov 1892 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James Gillespie Blaine (1830-93), U.S. representative from ME (1863-76), U.S. senator (1876-81), and U.S. secretary of state (1881; 1889-92).

**Area (sq mi):** 938.87 (land 928.42; water 10.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,943. **State rank:** 2260. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.1%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,859 (White 79.7%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 24.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 24.1%, including 8.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,445; median household $41,421; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,369 - $31,246.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BRYAN COUNTY

PO Box 1789
Durant, OK 74702

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**Fax:** 580-924-2289

On the central southern border of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For William Jennings Bryan (1860-1925), U.S. representative from NE (1891-95), U.S. secretary of state (1913-15), and prosecuter in John Scopes' (1900-70) trial for teaching the theory of evolution (1925).

**Area (sq mi):** 939.10 (land 904.47; water 34.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 42,416. **State rank:** 1152. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.2%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 37,815 (White 76.2%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.0%, including 12.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,103; median household $37,230; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,969 - $29,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Durant (15,856).

### CADDO COUNTY

SW 2nd & Oklahoma PO Box 68
Anadarko, OK 73005

**Ph:** 405-247-6609
**Fax:** 405-247-6510

In west-central OK, west of Oklahoma City; original county; organized Aug 6, 1901 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Name applied to a group of tribes of Caddoan linguistic stock, from Caddo Indian *kaadi* 'life' or 'chiefs.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,290.27 (land 1,278.29; water 11.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.2.

**Pop 2010:** 29,600. **State rank:** 1414. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 30,229 (White 63.1%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 10.1%, including 24.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,787; median household $36,413; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,604 - $27,158.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CANADIAN COUNTY

201 N Choctaw St
El Reno, OK 73036
www.canadiancounty.org

**Ph:** 405-262-1070
**Fax:** 405-422-2429

In central OK, west of Oklahoma City; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Canadian River, which runs through it; known to the Osage as *Ne-sout-che-bra-ra*, probably named in honor of their homelands by French-Canadian explorers or traders.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.08 (land 896.63; water 5.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.9.

**Pop 2010:** 115,541. **State rank:** 532. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.1%; 2000-2005 +12.5%. **Pop 2005:** 98,701 (White 83.1%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 3.0%; Others 6.7%, including 4.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,970; median household $60,489; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,719 - $37,034.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Canadian County (cont'd)

63.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yukon (22,709); Mustang (17,395); El Reno 🏛 (16,749).

### CARTER COUNTY

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Ardmore, OK 73402
www.brightok.net/cartercounty

**Ph:** 580-223-8414
**Fax:** 580-223-8417

In south-central OK, southeast of Lawton; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles David Carter (1868-1929), U.S. representative from OK (1907-27); or possibly for Benjamin Wisnor Carter, a Cherokee Indian, soldier in the Confederate army, and OK territorial judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 832.11 (land 822.18; water 9.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.8.

**Pop 2010:** 47,557. **State rank:** 988. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 47,125 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 6.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 5.3%, including 8.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,192; median household $38,385; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,286 - $35,744.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ardmore 🏛 (24,283).

### CHEROKEE COUNTY

213 W Delaware St Rm 302
Tahlequah, OK 74464

**Ph:** 918-456-3171
**Fax:** 918-458-6508

In central-eastern OK, southeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Cherokee Nation, a tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 774.78 (land 749.41; water 25.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.7.

**Pop 2010:** 46,987. **State rank:** 1027. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 44,671 (White 52.3%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.3%, including 34.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,084; median household $32,322; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,718 - $28,494.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tahlequah 🏛 (15,753).

### CHOCTAW COUNTY

300 E Duke St
Hugo, OK 74743
www.county-clerk.net

**Ph:** 580-326-3778
**Fax:** 580-326-6787

On the southeastern border of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For the Choctaw Nation, an Indian tribe of Muskhogean linguistic stock. Meaning of the name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 797.11 (land 770.36; water 26.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,205. **State rank:** 2103. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 15,297 (White 64.9%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 16.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,231; median household $27,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,178 - $27,577.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CIMARRON COUNTY

Courthouse Sq PO Box 145
Boise City, OK 73933
www.ccccok.org

**Ph:** 580-544-2251
**Fax:** 580-544-2250

In the OK panhandle; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Beaver County. **Name Origin:** For the Cimarron River, which flows across the northern part of the county. Meaning and application of the term are uncertain. The river may have been called in Spanish *el rio de los carneros cimarron* 'River of the Wild Sheep'; or it is possibly a Mexican-Apache word meaning 'wanderer.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,840.87 (land 1,834.74; water 6.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 2,475. **State rank:** 2994. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.6%; 2000-2005 -10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,833 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 20.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 20.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.0%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,358; median household $34,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,780 - $36,414.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLEVELAND COUNTY

641 E Robinson St, Suite 200
Norman, OK 73071
www.ccok.us

**Ph:** 405-366-0210
**Fax:** 405-366-0209

In central OK, south of Oklahoma City; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood) from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Grover Cleveland (1837-1908), twenty-second and twenty-fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 561 (land 538.77; water 22.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 474.7.

**Pop 2010:** 255,755. **State rank:** 260. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.7%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 224,898 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 3.8%; Others 7.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,831; median household $52,688; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,250 - $34,955.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Norman 🏛 (110,925); Moore (55,081).

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**COAL COUNTY**
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Coalgate, OK 74538
coalcountyok.com
**Ph:** 580-927-2379
**Fax:** 580-927-2342

In south-central OK, southeast of Ada; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Tobucksy County. **Name Origin:** For the chief economic product of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 519.75 (land 516.68; water 3.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,925. **State rank:** 2768. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,743 (White 74.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 16.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,338; median household $31,764; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,165 - $27,803.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COMANCHE COUNTY**
315 SW 5th St
Lawton, OK 73501
www.comanchecounty.us
**Ph:** 580-355-5214

In south-central OK, southwest of Oklahoma City; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the Comanche Indians of Shoshonean linguistic stock; name is believed to derive from Spanish *camino ancho* 'broad trail.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,083.77 (land 1,069.29; water 14.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 116.1.

**Pop 2010:** 124,098. **State rank:** 523. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 112,429 (White 64.5%; Black or African American 17.5%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 2.2%; Others 11.2%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 31.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,778; median household $44,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,654 - $35,660.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lawton (96,867).

**COTTON COUNTY**
301 N Broadway
Walters, OK 73572
**Ph:** 580-875-6111
**Fax:** 580-875-2452

On the southern border of OK, south of Lawton; organized Aug 28, 1912 from Comanche County. **Name Origin:** For the principal agricultural product of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.96 (land 632.65; water 5.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,193. **State rank:** 2736. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,589 (White 81.3%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,948; median household $44,144; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,188 - $37,765.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRAIG COUNTY**
301 W Canandin PO Box 397
Vinita, OK 74301
**Ph:** 918-256-2445
**Fax:** 918-256-3756

On the northeastern border of OK, northeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Granville Craig, a prominent Cherokee citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 763.03 (land 761.35; water 1.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,029. **State rank:** 2083. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,078 (White 66.7%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.5%, including 20.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,784; median household $39,836; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,706 - $30,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CREEK COUNTY**
317 E Lee St Rm 100
Sapulpa, OK 74066
www.tax.ok.gov
**Ph:** 918-227-6304

In east-central OK, southwest of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the Creek Nation, a loose confederation of southeastern tribes of Muskhogean linguistic stock. The name is from 'Ochese Creek Indians.' applied to them by settlers in what is now TN. They were probably the Yuchi.

**Area (sq mi):** 964.37 (land 950.14; water 14.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.6.

**Pop 2010:** 69,967. **State rank:** 753. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 68,708 (White 79.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 10.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,891; median household $42,314; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,740 - $31,247.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sapulpa (20,544).

**CUSTER COUNTY**
Broadway & B St PO Box 300
Arapaho, OK 73620
www.custercountyok.org/Visitor.htm
**Ph:** 580-323-1221

In west-central OK, west of Oklahoma City; original county; organized Apr 19, 1892 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. army officer and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,004.31 (land 988.82; water 15.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.8.

**Pop 2010:** 27,469. **State rank:** 1525. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.0%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,208 (White 78.1%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Custer County (cont'd)

American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 13.9%, including 6.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 31.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,003; median household $42,108; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,632 - $32,549.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Weatherford (10,833).

### DELAWARE COUNTY

327 S 5th St PO Box 309
Jay, OK 74346
www.delawareclerk.org

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**Fax:** 918-253-8352

On the northeastern border of OK, northeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe, also known as Leni or Leni-Lenape, named for Thomas West (1577-1618), Lord Delaware (or De La Warr).

**Area (sq mi):** 789.86 (land 738.18; water 51.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.2.

**Pop 2010:** 41,487. **State rank:** 1161. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 39,146 (White 67.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.3%; Others 3.0%, including 22.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,142; median household $34,383; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,967 - $30,221.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DEWEY COUNTY

Broadway & Ruble PO Box 368
Taloga, OK 73667
www.alltheoklahoma.com

**Ph:** 580-328-5361
**Fax:** 580-328-5652

In west-central OK, southwest of Enid; original county; organized 1892 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Dewey (1837-1917), who captured Manila (1898) during the Spanish-American War and was given the rank of Admiral of the Navy.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,007.61 (land 999.48; water 8.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,810. **State rank:** 2868. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 4,568 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.8%, including 5.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,055; median household $39,940; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,604 - $31,910.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ELLIS COUNTY

PO Box 197
Arnett, OK 73832

**Ph:** 580-885-7301
**Fax:** 580-885-7258

On the western border of OK, below the panhandle; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Day (which had been the northern part of Roger Mills County and was now abolished) and Woodward counties. **Name Origin:** For Albert H. Ellis, an OK constitutional convention delegate in 1907.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,234.22 (land 1,231.52; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,151. **State rank:** 2904. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,963 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.0%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,767; median household $43,032; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,717 - $33,865.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GARFIELD COUNTY

114 W Broadway Ave
Enid, OK 73701

**Ph:** 580-237-0232
**Fax:** 580-249-5951

In north-central OK, southwest of Ponca City; original county; organized 1895 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For James Abram Garfield (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,060.02 (land 1,058.47; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.2.

**Pop 2010:** 60,580. **State rank:** 861. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 56,958 (White 83.9%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 8.8%, including 1.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,812; median household $40,636; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,614 - $36,649.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Enid 🏛 (49,379).

### GARVIN COUNTY

201 W Grant St
Pauls Valley, OK 73075
www.okgenweb.org

**Ph:** 405-238-2772
**Fax:** 405-238-6283

In south-central OK, east of Ada; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Samuel J. Garvin, a leader of the Chickasaw Nation.

**Area (sq mi):** 808.30 (land 802.12; water 6.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.4.

**Pop 2010:** 27,576. **State rank:** 1516. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,228 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.2%, including 7.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,176; median household $37,785; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,735 - $34,125.

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## Garvin County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRADY COUNTY**
326 Choctaw St PO Box 1009
Chickasha, OK 73023
www.gradycountyok.com
**Ph:** 405-224-7388
**Fax:** 405-222-4506

In south-central OK, southwest of Oklahoma City; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Caddo and Comanche counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Woodfin Grady (1850-89), orator and editor of the *Atlanta Constitution* newspaper, whose writings and ideas helped alleviate the post-Civil War depression of the South.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,104.84 (land 1,100.50; water 4.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 52,431. **State rank:** 943. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 49,369 (White 85.8%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,687; median household $45,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,323 - $28,810.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chickasha (16,036).

**GRANT COUNTY**
112 E Guthrie St PO Box 167
Medford, OK 73759
www.grantcountyok.com/index.html
**Ph:** 580-395-2274
**Fax:** 580-395-2086

On the central northern border of OK, north of Enid; original county; organized 1895 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Ulysses S. Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,003.92 (land 1,000.87; water 3.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 4,527. **State rank:** 2874. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,779 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.5%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,204; median household $42,043; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,642 - $37,315.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREER COUNTY**
106 E Jefferson St PO Box 207
Mangum, OK 73554
www.greercounty-ok.com
**Ph:** 580-782-3664
**Fax:** 580-782-3803

In southwestern OK, northwest of Lawton; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For John A. Greer, a lieutenant governor of TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 643.62 (land 639.32; water 4.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.8.

**Pop 2010:** 6,239. **State rank:** 2770. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,901 (White 83.0%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 9.8%, including 2.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,241; median household $35,096; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,727 - $27,947.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARMON COUNTY**
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**Ph:** 580-688-3617
**Fax:** 580-688-2900

On the southwestern border of OK, west of Lawton; organized May 22, 1909 from Greer County. **Name Origin:** For Judson C. Harmon (1846-1927), U.S. Attorney General (1895-97) and governor of OH (1908-13).

**Area (sq mi):** 537.93 (land 537.19; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,922. **State rank:** 2980. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,030 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 25.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 25.9%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,677; median household $31,679; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,440 - $33,098.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARPER COUNTY**
PO Box 369
Buffalo, OK 73834
**Ph:** 580-735-2130
**Fax:** 580-735-6034

On the northwestern border of OK, at eastern end of panhandle; organized Nov 16, 1905 from Woodward County. **Name Origin:** For Oscar G. Harper, an official at the OK constitutional convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,040.98 (land 1,039.02; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,685. **State rank:** 2939. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 -7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,313 (White 87.4%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 17.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 17.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,693; median household $39,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,986 - $31,117.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**HASKELL COUNTY**
202 E Main St
Stigler, OK 74462
**Ph:** 918-967-2884
**Fax:** 918-967-2885

In east-central OK, south of Muskogee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles Nathaniel Haskell (1860-1933), member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07) and first governor (1907-11).

**Area (sq mi):** 624.76 (land 576.52; water 48.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.1.

**Pop 2010:** 12,769. **State rank:** 2266. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 12,183 (White 74.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.3%, including 15.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,735; median household $37,474; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,856 - $29,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HUGHES COUNTY**
200 N Broadway St Suite 7
Holdenville, OK 74848
ok.chamberocommerce.com
**Ph:** 405-379-2746
**Fax:** 405-379-6739

In east-central OK, northeast of Ada; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For William C. Hughes, delegate to the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 812.55 (land 804.65; water 7.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.4.

**Pop 2010:** 14,003. **State rank:** 2169. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,835 (White 68.1%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.8%, including 18.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,083; median household $32,677; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,299 - $25,449.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
PO Box 515
Altus, OK 73522
www.jacksoncountyok.com
**Ph:** 580-482-4070
**Fax:** 580-482-4472

On the southwestern border of OK, west of Lawton; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Greer County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas J. Stonewall Jackson (1824-63), Confederate officer who stood firm against the enemy like a stonewall. Some claim Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 804.12 (land 802.65; water 1.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.9.

**Pop 2010:** 26,446. **State rank:** 1581. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 26,518 (White 72.8%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 20.9%; Asian 1.2%; Others 20.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,249; median household $41,437; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,994 - $32,333.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Altus 🏛 (19,813).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
220 N Main St, Suite 103
Waurika, OK 73573
**Ph:** 580-228-2029
**Fax:** 580-228-3608

On the central southern border of OK, southeast of Lawton; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Comanche County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 773.90 (land 758.83; water 15.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,472. **State rank:** 2729. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,461 (White 84.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.5%, including 6.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,491; median household $32,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,881 - $25,938.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSTON COUNTY**
403 W Main, Suite 103
Tishomingo, OK 73460
**Ph:** 580-371-3082
**Fax:** 580-371-2174

In south-central OK, south of Ada; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Douglas H. Johnston (1856-1939), last governor for the Chickasaw nation, who remained in office until his death.

**Area (sq mi):** 656.72 (land 642.94; water 13.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 10,957. **State rank:** 2395. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,259 (White 73.1%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.9%, including 15.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,451; median household $34,556; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,628 - $26,811.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KAY COUNTY**
201 S Main St
Newkirk, OK 74647
www.courthouse.kay.ok.us/home.html
**Ph:** 580-362-2537
**Fax:** 580-362-3300

On the central northern border of OK, northeast of Enid; original county; organized as 'K' County 1895 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the letter *K*. The first seven counties of OK were originally numbered. The next fifteen were lettered (A-Q, except I and J). All later received names except 'K' County, which became Kay.

**Area (sq mi):** 946.15 (land 919.73; water 26.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,562. **State rank:** 1026. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%;

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## Kay County (cont'd)

2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 46,480 (White 80.2%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.4%, including 9.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,167; median household $39,505; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,322 - $34,905.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ponca City (25,387).

### KINGFISHER COUNTY

101 S Main St, Rm 3
Kingfisher, OK 73750
www.kingfisherco.com

**Ph:** 405-375-3887
**Fax:** 405-375-6033

In central OK, northwest of Oklahoma City; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Kingfisher Creek, which runs through the county; itself named for King David Fisher (1819-63), who ran a stage and trading station on the Chisholm Trail.

**Area (sq mi):** 901.12 (land 898.16; water 2.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,034. **State rank:** 2135. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 14,302 (White 84.5%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 13.4%, including 3.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,481; median household $49,104; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,785 - $35,518.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KIOWA COUNTY

PO Box 73
Hobart, OK 73651

**Ph:** 580-726-5286
**Fax:** 580-726-6033

In southwestern OK, northwest of Lawton; original county; organized 1891 (prior to statehood); re-formed from part of the original county in 1901. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Tanoan linguistic stock; name means 'principal people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,031.33 (land 1,015.23; water 16.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,446. **State rank:** 2502. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.1%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,848 (White 80.2%; Black or African American 4.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.8%, including 6.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,921; median household $32,565; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,622 - $30,524.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LATIMER COUNTY

111 N Central St
Wilburton, OK 74578

**Ph:** 918-465-2021
**Fax:** 918-465-3736

In east-central OK, east of McAlester; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For James S. Latimer, member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 729.03 (land 722.08; water 6.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,154. **State rank:** 2383. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,635 (White 70.2%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 20.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,353; median household $42,639; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,833 - $30,811.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEFLORE COUNTY

PO Box 218
Poteau, OK 74953

**Ph:** 918-647-5738
**Fax:** 918-647-8930

On the eastern border of OK, east of McAlester; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Greenwood LeFlore (1800-65), leader of a prominent Choctaw family of French ancestry, a landowner, and MS state legislator. He remained in MS when most of the tribe were moved to OK.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,611.41 (land 1,589.21; water 22.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.7.

**Pop 2010:** 50,384. **State rank:** 962. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 49,528 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.9%, including 12.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,357; median household $36,335; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,480 - $26,556.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

811 Manuel St Suite 5
Chandler, OK 74834
www.ok.gov

**Ph:** 405-258-1264
**Fax:** 405-258-0439

In east-central OK, northeast of Oklahoma City; original county; organized Oct 1, 1891 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 960.19 (land 952.31; water 7.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.

**Pop 2010:** 34,273. **State rank:** 1370. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 32,311 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 6.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,774; median household $42,282; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,706 - $28,563.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lincoln County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOGAN COUNTY**
301 E Harrison Ave Suite 102 **Ph:** 405-282-0266
Guthrie, OK 73044 **Fax:** 405-282-0267
www.logancountyok.com

In north-central OK, north of Oklahoma City; original county; organized as County No. 1 in 1891 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Alexander Logan (1826-86), Civil War officer, U.S. senator from IL (1871-77; 1879-86), and national commander of the Grand Army of the Republic.

**Area (sq mi):** 748.29 (land 743.83; water 4.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.3.

**Pop 2010:** 41,848. **State rank:** 1181. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.4%; 2000-2005 +8.8%. **Pop 2005:** 36,894 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 9.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.2%, including 3.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,090; median household $48,683; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,933 - $35,226.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Guthrie 🏛 (10,191).

**LOVE COUNTY**
405 W Main St, Suite 203 **Ph:** 580-276-3059
Marietta, OK 73448

On the central southern border of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For a prominent Chickasaw family whose best-known member was Overton Love, a prominent judge of the Chickasaws.

**Area (sq mi):** 530.56 (land 514; water 16.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,423. **State rank:** 2499. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 9,126 (White 78.8%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 11.8%, including 6.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,817; median household $41,629; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,611 - $36,982.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MAJOR COUNTY**
PO Box 379 **Ph:** 580-227-4732
Fairview, OK 73737 **Fax:** 580-227-2736
major.oklahoma.usassessor.com

In north-central OK, west of Enid; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Woods County. **Name Origin:** For John C. Major, member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 956.10 (land 954.99; water 1.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,527. **State rank:** 2650. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,364 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.5%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,897; median household $46,748; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,773 - $32,738.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
1 Marshall County Courthouse Rm 106 **Ph:** 580-795-3165
Madill, OK 73446-6225 **Fax:** 580-795-3167

On the central southern border of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For the maiden name of the mother of George A. Hendshaw, a member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 426.92 (land 371.08; water 55.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,840. **State rank:** 2093. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.5%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 14,461 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 14.0%, including 9.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.6%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,794; median household $40,419; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,182 - $25,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MAYES COUNTY**
1 Court Pl, Suite 120 **Ph:** 918-825-2426
Pryor, OK 74361 **Fax:** 918-825-3803
mayes.okcounties.org

In northeastern OK, east of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Chief Samuel Houston Mayes (1845-1927), principal leader of the Cherokee Nation, also a prominent merchant and rancher.

**Area (sq mi):** 682.76 (land 655.39; water 27.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.

**Pop 2010:** 41,259. **State rank:** 1170. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 39,471 (White 68.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 21.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,975; median household $41,228; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,084 - $28,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MCCLAIN COUNTY**
121 N 2nd St, Suite 305 PO Box 629 **Ph:** 405-527-3360
Purcell, OK 73080
mcclain-co-ok.us

In south-central OK, south of Oklahoma City; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For Charles M. McClain, a member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 581.16 (land 570.70; water 10.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.5.

**Pop 2010:** 34,506. **State rank:** 1337. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.7%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 30,096 (White 84.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.0%, including 6.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,556; median household $53,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,929 - $39,790.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCCURTAIN COUNTY**
108 N Central St Suite F **Ph:** 580-286-2370
Idabel, OK 74745 **Fax:** 580-286-1040

In the southeastern corner of OK; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** For a prominent Choctaw family, of which the father and his three sons each served as chief of the Choctaw Nation.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,899.08 (land 1,850.01; water 49.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.9.

**Pop 2010:** 33,151. **State rank:** 1331. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 33,992 (White 67.1%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.7%, including 15.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,456; median household $31,082; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,065 - $27,540.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCINTOSH COUNTY**
110 1st St PO Box 110 **Ph:** 918-689-2111
Eufaula, OK 74432 **Fax:** 918-689-3385

In east-central OK, southwest of Muskogee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For a prominent Creek family, which included a number of prominent tribal chiefs.

**Area (sq mi):** 710.98 (land 618.50; water 92.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,252. **State rank:** 1826. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 19,965 (White 70.3%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 18.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,095; median household $30,620; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,602 - $28,304.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MURRAY COUNTY**
1001 W Wyandotte Ave PO Box 240 **Ph:** 580-622-3777
Sulphur, OK 73086-6446 **Fax:** 580-622-6209
www.murrayok.com

In south-central OK, north of Ardmore; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Chickasaw lands. **Name Origin:** For William Henry Alfalfa Bill Murray (1869-1956), U.S. representative from OK (1913-17) and governor (1931-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 423.13 (land 416.46; water 6.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.4.

**Pop 2010:** 13,488. **State rank:** 2234. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,880 (White 78.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.9%, including 12.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,634; median household $40,870; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,728 - $36,452.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MUSKOGEE COUNTY**
PO Box 1008 **Ph:** 918-682-7781
Muskogee, OK 74402 **Fax:** 918-682-8803

In east-cental OK, southeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the Muscogee Creek Indians, a tribe of Muskhogean linguistic stock.

**Area (sq mi):** 835.59 (land 810.45; water 25.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.6.

**Pop 2010:** 70,990. **State rank:** 745. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 70,607 (White 59.8%; Black or African American 11.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.2%, including 17.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,161; median household $37,002; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,004 - $30,648.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Muskogee (39,223).

**NOBLE COUNTY**
300 Courthouse Dr Rm 11 **Ph:** 580-336-2141
Perry, OK 73077 **Fax:** 580-336-2481
www.perryok.org/countyinfo.html

In north-central OK, east of Enid; organized as County P 1897 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Willock Noble (1831-1912), U.S. district attorney for the eastern district of MO (1867) and U.S. secretary of the interior (1889-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 742.44 (land 731.90; water 10.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.8.

**Pop 2010:** 11,561. **State rank:** 2354. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,211 (White 84.2%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.6%, including 8.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Noble County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,032; median household $39,515; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,144 - $29,991.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NOWATA COUNTY**
229 N Maple St
Nowata, OK 74048
**Ph:** 918-273-0175
**Fax:** 918-273-1936

On the northeastern border of OK, northeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For the town of Nowata.

**Area (sq mi):** 581.70 (land 565.78; water 15.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,536. **State rank:** 2393. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,864 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.3%, including 19.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,752; median household $37,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,558 - $27,841.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OKFUSKEE COUNTY**
PO Box 26
Okemah, OK 74859
**Ph:** 918-623-0939
**Fax:** 918-623-0635

In east-central OK, east of Oklahoma City; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For a Creek town in Cleburne County, AL, probably transferred by the Creek Indians; name possibly means point between streams or promontory.

**Area (sq mi):** 622.72 (land 618.57; water 4.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,191. **State rank:** 2357. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,434 (White 64.4%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,046; median household $33,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,878 - $22,759.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OKLAHOMA COUNTY**
320 Robert S Kerr Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
www.oklahomacounty.org
**Ph:** 405-270-0082

In central OK, north of Norman; original county; organized 1891 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Oklahoma City.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.04 (land 708.82; water 9.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 1013.8.

**Pop 2010:** 718,633. **State rank:** 83. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 684,543 (White 64.6%; Black or African American 15.4%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 3.0%; Others 15.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.8%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,723; median household $42,916; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,147 - $39,619.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 43 for cities).

**OKMULGEE COUNTY**
314 W 7th St. Suite 203 PO Box 904
Okmulgee, OK 74447
**Ph:** 918-756-0788
**Fax:** 918-758-1261

In east-central OK, south of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For a Creek town in Russell County, AL; from *oki mulgi* boiling waters, probably referring to a spring.

**Area (sq mi):** 702.69 (land 697.35; water 5.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.5.

**Pop 2010:** 40,069. **State rank:** 1182. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 39,732 (White 65.8%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.2%, including 16.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,071; median household $37,820; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,547 - $29,250.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Okmulgee 🏛 (12,321).

**OSAGE COUNTY**
600 Grandview Ave, Suite 304 PO Box 87
Pawhuska, OK 74056
**Ph:** 918-287-3136
**Fax:** 918-287-4979

On the central northern border of OK, northeast of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Osage Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Osage Indian tribe of Siouan linguistic stock from the area near the Osage River. The name is a French corruption of their tribal name, *Washazhe*, meaning unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,299.36 (land 2,246.36; water 53). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.1.

**Pop 2010:** 47,472. **State rank:** 1052. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 45,416 (White 66.0%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.9%, including 14.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,446; median household $41,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,909 - $32,894.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OTTAWA COUNTY**
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Miami, OK 74354
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**Fax:** 918-542-8260

On the northeastern border of OK, northeast of Tulsa; organized Nov

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## Ottawa County (cont'd)

16, 1907 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Ottawa Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock whose earliest known location was along the northern shore of Georgian Bay, Ont., Canada. The name is derived from Algonquian *adawe*, probably 'to trade.'

**Area (sq mi):** 484.23 (land 470.82; water 13.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.6.

**Pop 2010:** 31,848. **State rank:** 1382. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 32,866 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.7%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,638; median household $35,483; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,069 - $31,651.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Miami (13,570).

### PAWNEE COUNTY

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Pawnee, OK 74058
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**Ph:** 918-762-3621
**Fax:** 918-762-3714

In north-central OK, northwest of Tulsa; organized as County Q in 1892 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Pawnee Indian tribe of Caddoan linguistic stock. The name may mean 'horn,' for the shape in which they wore their hair lock. The Osages called them *Pa-in* 'long-haired'; they called themselves 'civilized people.'

**Area (sq mi):** 593.39 (land 567.96; water 25.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,577. **State rank:** 2001. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,860 (White 80.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.0%, including 11.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,520; median household $40,059; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,743 - $30,254.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PAYNE COUNTY

315 W 6th St, Suite 202
Stillwater, OK 74074
www.paynecounty.org

**Ph:** 405-747-8310
**Fax:** 405-747-8304

In north-central OK, west of Tulsa; original county; organized 1890 (prior to statehood), known as Old Oklahoma. **Name Origin:** For David L. Payne (1836-84), active in the Oklahoma Boomer (land development) movement.

**Area (sq mi):** 695.49 (land 684.70; water 10.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 113.

**Pop 2010:** 77,350. **State rank:** 684. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.9%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 69,151 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 3.5%; Others 3.9%, including 4.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 27.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,540; median household $34,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,377 - $31,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Stillwater (45,688).

### PITTSBURG COUNTY

113 E Carl Albert Pkwy Suite 1A
McAlester, OK 74501-1503

**Ph:** 918-426-0388
**Fax:** 918-423-7304

In east-central OK, southwest of Muskogee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Tobucksy County. **Name Origin:** For Pittsburgh, PA.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,377.37 (land 1,305.46; water 71.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.1.

**Pop 2010:** 45,837. **State rank:** 1048. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 44,641 (White 73.6%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.9%, including 13.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,714; median household $39,245; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,425 - $32,309.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** McAlester (18,383).

### PONTOTOC COUNTY

100 W 13th St
Ada, OK 74820

**Ph:** 580-332-1425

In south-central OK, southeast of Oklahoma City; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Choctaw lands. **Name Origin:** Of Chickasaw origin; the name of a chief, said to mean 'cattails growing on the prairie.'

**Area (sq mi):** 726.26 (land 720.44; water 5.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.

**Pop 2010:** 37,492. **State rank:** 1228. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 35,346 (White 71.2%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.1%, including 17.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,136; median household $37,484; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,410 - $32,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ada (16,810).

### POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY

325 N Broadway
Shawnee, OK 74801

**Ph:** 405-273-8222
**Fax:** 405-275-6898

In central OK, southeast of Oklahoma City; original county; organized as County B in 1891 (prior to statehood); name changed in 1892. **Name Origin:** For the Potawatomie Indian tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock. The name probably means 'people of the place of the fire.'

**Area (sq mi):** 793.24 (land 787.67; water 5.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 88.2.

**Pop 2010:** 69,442. **State rank:** 752. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 68,272 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 37.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Pottawatomie County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,437; median household $40,085; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,384 - $31,347.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shawnee 🏛 (29,857).

### PUSHMATAHA COUNTY

304 SW 'B' St
Antlers, OK 74523

**Ph:** 580-298-2512
**Fax:** 580-298-5299

In southeastern OK, southeast of McAlester; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Pushmataha district of the Choctaw Nation, named for the noted Choctaw chief (c.1765-1824) who served with Andrew Jackson (1767-1845) and is buried in the Congressional Cemetery. The name may mean 'ready to be a sapling,' ie., now grown to be a young man; or 'qualified sapling,' indicating a rank to which he belonged.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,421.31 (land 1,395.84; water 25.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.3.

**Pop 2010:** 11,572. **State rank:** 2303. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,693 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 17.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,460; median household $26,742; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,906 - $27,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROGER MILLS COUNTY

500 East Broadway PO Box 708
Cheyenne, OK 73628-8070
www.rogermills.org

**Ph:** 580-497-3365
**Fax:** 580-497-3199

On the central western border of OK; original county; organized as County F Apr 19, 1892; name changed Nov 1892; annexed part of Day County when the latter was abolished in 1907. **Name Origin:** For Col. Roger Quarles Mills (1832-1911), U.S. representative from TX (1873-92) and U.S. senator (1892-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,145.72 (land 1,141.14; water 4.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,647. **State rank:** 2937. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,311 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.5%, including 5.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,427; median household $48,917; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,632 - $35,066.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROGERS COUNTY

219 S Missouri St
Claremore, OK 74017
www.rogerscounty.org

**Ph:** 918-341-2518
**Fax:** 918-341-4529

In northeastern OK, east of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For Clement V. Rogers, member of the OK Constitutional Convention (1906-07) and father of the humorist Will Rogers (1879-1935).

**Area (sq mi):** 712.12 (land 675.63; water 36.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 128.6.

**Pop 2010:** 86,905. **State rank:** 652. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +14.3%. **Pop 2005:** 80,757 (White 75.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.7%, including 13.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,358; median household $57,443; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,017 - $35,633.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Claremore 🏛 (18,581).

### SEMINOLE COUNTY

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Wewoka, OK 74884
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**Ph:** 405-257-2501
**Fax:** 405-257-6422

In central OK, east of Shawnee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Seminole lands. **Name Origin:** For the Seminole Indians, a Muskhogean tribe from FL, forced to move to OK at the conclusion of the Seminole War (1835-42). The name is from Creek, probably 'the separate ones.'

**Area (sq mi):** 640.90 (land 632.84; water 8.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,482. **State rank:** 1616. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,770 (White 68.5%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,032; median household $32,985; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,030 - $28,414.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SEQUOYAH COUNTY

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Sallisaw, OK 74955
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**Fax:** 918-775-1218

On central eastern border of OK, west of Fort Smith, AR; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** From the Sequoyah District of the Cherokee Nation, named for the Indian chief Sequoyah (c.1773-1843), who invented the Cherokee alphabet. He was also called George Guess.

**Area (sq mi):** 714.33 (land 673.27; water 41.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.

**Pop 2010:** 42,391. **State rank:** 1124. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 40,868 (White 66.5%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.4%, including 20.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.

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## Sequoyah County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,049; median household $36,357; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,601 - $26,660.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STEPHENS COUNTY**
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Duncan, OK 73533
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**Fax:** 580-255-1771

In south-central OK, east of Lawton; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Comanche County. **Name Origin:** For John Hall Stephens (1847-1924), U.S. representative from TX (1897-1917) and strong advocate for OK statehood.

**Area (sq mi):** 887.32 (land 870.24; water 17.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.8.

**Pop 2010:** 45,048. **State rank:** 1083. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 42,946 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.2%, including 5.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,790; median household $43,524; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,678 - $33,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Duncan (23,431).

**TEXAS COUNTY**
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Guymon, OK 73942
www.txcountyok.com
**Ph:** 580-338-3233
**Fax:** 580-338-4311

In the central OK panhandle; organized Nov 16, 1907 from part of the old Beaver County. **Name Origin:** For the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,052.92 (land 2,041.26; water 11.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,640. **State rank:** 1755. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,112 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 42.0%; Asian 1.6%; Others 42.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 20.9%. **Median age:** 31.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,356; median household $44,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,013 - $32,018.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Guymon (11,442).

**TILLMAN COUNTY**
201 N Main St
Frederick, OK 73542
**Ph:** 580-335-3421
**Fax:** 580-335-3795

On the southwestern border of OK, southwest of Lawton; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Comanche County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Ryan Tillman (1847-1918), governor of SC (1890-94) and U.S. senator from SC (1895-1918), who was active in the formation of the state of OK.

**Area (sq mi):** 878.38 (land 871.13; water 7.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,992. **State rank:** 2606. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 -8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 8,513 (White 73.5%; Black or African American 7.7%; Hispanic or Latino 22.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 22.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,894; median household $29,832; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,858 - $28,673.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TULSA COUNTY**
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Tulsa, OK 74103
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**Ph:** 918-596-5801
**Fax:** 918-596-5819

In northeastern OK, northwest of Muskogee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For Tulsa, a town at the time.

**Area (sq mi):** 586.97 (land 570.25; water 16.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 1058.1.

**Pop 2010:** 603,403. **State rank:** 102. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 572,059 (White 69.2%; Black or African American 10.7%; Hispanic or Latino 11.0%; Asian 2.3%; Others 11.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 35.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,769; median household $45,613; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,533 - $42,468.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 43 for cities).

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In east-central OK, north of Muskogee; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Creek lands. **Name Origin:** For the city of Wagoner.

**Area (sq mi):** 589.63 (land 561.56; water 28.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 130.1.

**Pop 2010:** 73,085. **State rank:** 751. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.9%; 2000-2005 +11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 64,183 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 1.4%; Others 4.8%, including 10.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,049; median household $55,487; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,990 - $31,687.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
400 S Johnstone Ave Rm 100
Bartlesville, OK 74003
www.co.washington.ok.us
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**Fax:** 918-337-2892

On the northern border of OK, north of Tulsa; organized Nov 16, 1907 from Cherokee lands. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.79 (land 415.45; water 7.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 122.7.

**Pop 2010:** 50,976. **State rank:** 954. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 49,149 (White 78.3%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 5.0%, including 10.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,663; median household $44,823; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,338 - $41,734.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bartlesville 🏛 (35,750).

**WASHITA COUNTY**
PO Box 380
Cordell, OK 73632
www.okgenweb.org
**Ph:** 580-832-2284
**Fax:** 580-832-3526

In west-central OK, southwest of Oklahoma City; organized as County 'H' in 1892 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands; name changed later. **Name Origin:** For the Washita River, which runs through it. Name is believed to be from Choctaw *owa* and *chita* 'big hunt.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,008.90 (land 1,003.17; water 5.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,629. **State rank:** 2302. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,471 (White 88.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.1%, including 3.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,511; median household $43,039; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,377 - $30,173.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOODS COUNTY**
407 Government St
Alva, OK 73717
**Ph:** 580-327-2126
**Fax:** 580-327-1219

On the northern border of OK, northwest of Enid; original county; organized as County M in 1893 (prior to statehood); name changed later; re-formed Nov 16, 1907. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Samuel N. Wood (?-1814), career army officer killed in the war of 1812. The letter *s* was a clerical error allowed to stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,289.96 (land 1,286.45; water 3.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,878. **State rank:** 2555. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,546 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.8%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,292; median household $48,076; **Pop**

## Woods County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,354 - $30,887.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** -1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOODWARD COUNTY**
1600 Main St Suite 8
Woodward, OK 73801
**Ph:** 580-256-3625
**Fax:** 580-254-6840

In northwestern OK, west of Enid; organized as County N in 1893 from Indian lands; re-formed Nov 16, 1907. **Name Origin:** For the railroad station, itself named for Brinton W. Woodward, a director of the Santa Fe Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,246.11 (land 1,242.40; water 3.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,081. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,088 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 10.6%, including 2.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,635; median household $49,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,577 - $34,525.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Woodward 🏛 (12,051).

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# Oregon

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County boundary
Morrow — County name
County seat
Major city
State capital

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WASHINGTON

Astoria
Clatsop
Columbia
Saint Helens
Washington
Tillamook
Hillsboro
Tillamook
Portland
Multnomah
Hood River
Hood River
The Dalles
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Yamhill
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**OREGON STATE INFORMATION**
www.oregon.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 98,380.64 (land 95,996.79; water 2,383.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,831,074. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,641,056 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 11.7%; Asian 3.7%; Others 11.7%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,095; median household $49,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.00%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,950 - $36,317.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.5%.

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**BAKER COUNTY**
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Baker City, OR 97814
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**Fax:** 541-523-8240

On the northeastern border of OR; organized Sep 22, 1862 from Wasco County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Edward Dickinson Baker (1811-61), officer in the Civil War, U.S. representative from IL (1845-47; 1849-51), and U.S. senator from OR (1860-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,088.68 (land 3,068.36; water 20.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 16,134. **State rank:** 2029. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,287 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,683; median household $39,704; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,898 - $29,967.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENTON COUNTY**
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Corvallis, OR 97339
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**Fax:** 541-766-6893

In west-central OR, north of Eugene; original county; organized Dec 23, 1847 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 678.45 (land 675.94; water 2.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 126.6.

**Pop 2010:** 85,579. **State rank:** 662. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 78,640 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 5.2%; Others 6.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,177; median household $48,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,989 - $37,333.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corvallis 🏛 (54,462).

**CLACKAMAS COUNTY**
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Oregon City, OR 97045
www.co.clackamas.or.us

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**Fax:** 503-650-5688

In northern OR, south of Portland; original county; organized Jul 5, 1843 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Clackamas tribe of Chinook Indians; meaning of name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,881.15 (land 1,870.32; water 10.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 201.

**Pop 2010:** 375,992. **State rank:** 168. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 368,470 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 3.7%; Others 7.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,785; median household $62,007; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,468 - $44,954.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 43 for cities).

**CLATSOP COUNTY**
820 Exchange St 2nd Fl
Astoria, OR 97103
www.co.clatsop.or.us

**Ph:** 503-325-8511
**Fax:** 503-325-9307

In the northwestern corner of OR; original county; organized Jun 22, 1844 (prior to statehood) from the Tuality district. **Name Origin:** For the Clatsop Indian tribe of Chinook Indians, whose name means 'dried salmon.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,086.57 (land 829.05; water 257.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.7.

**Pop 2010:** 37,039. **State rank:** 1229. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 36,798 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 7.7%,

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## Clatsop County (cont'd)

including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,347; median household $42,223; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,439 - $34,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

County Courthouse 230 Strand St
Saint Helens, OR 97051
www.co.columbia.or.us

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**Fax:** 503-397-7266

On the northwestern border of OR, northwest of Portland; organized Jan 16, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the Columbia River, which forms its northern and eastern borders.

**Area (sq mi):** 688.97 (land 657.36; water 31.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.1.

**Pop 2010:** 49,351. **State rank:** 964. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +10.3%. **Pop 2005:** 48,065 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,613; median household $55,199; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,258 - $33,445.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COOS COUNTY

250 N Baxter St
Coquille, OR 97423
www.co.coos.or.us

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**Fax:** 541-396-4861

On the southwestern coast of OR, southwest of Eugene; organized Dec 22, 1853 (prior to statehood) from Umpqua and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For the Coos Bay Indian tribe, the name being interpreted as either 'take' or 'place of pines.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,802.07 (land 1,596.17; water 205.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.5.

**Pop 2010:** 63,043. **State rank:** 817. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 64,711 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 5.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,981; median household $37,491; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,004 - $31,272.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Coos Bay (15,967).

### CROOK COUNTY

300 NE 3rd St, Rm 23
Prineville, OR 97754
co.crook.or.us

**Ph:** 541-447-6553
**Fax:** 541-416-2145

In central OR; organized Oct 24, 1882 from Wasco and Grant counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Crook (1829-90), army officer in the OR Territory (1852-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,987.12 (land 2,979.09; water 8.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,978. **State rank:** 1696. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.9%; 2000-2005 +15.0%. **Pop 2005:** 22,067 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.0%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 45.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,275; median household $46,059; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,427 - $29,761.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.5%. **Change from 2007:** +11.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CURRY COUNTY

29821 Ellensburg Ave
Gold Beach, OR 97444
www.co.curry.or.us

**Ph:** 541-247-3295
**Fax:** 541-247-9361

On the southwestern coast of OR; organized Dec 18, 1855 (prior to statehood) from Coos County. **Name Origin:** For George Law Curry (1820-78), governor of OR Territory (1853-59).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,988.65 (land 1,627.46; water 361.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.7.

**Pop 2010:** 22,364. **State rank:** 1754. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 22,427 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 5.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 53.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,842; median household $37,469; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,386 - $31,611.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DESCHUTES COUNTY

1300 NW Wall St
Bend, OR 97701
www.co.deschutes.or.us

**Ph:** 541-388-6570
**Fax:** 541-385-3202

In central OR, east of Eugene; organized Dec 13, 1916 from Crook County. **Name Origin:** For the Deschutes River, which traverses the county; from French [river] of the falls.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,054.80 (land 3,018.19; water 36.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.3.

**Pop 2010:** 157,733. **State rank:** 383. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +22.5%. **Pop 2005:** 141,382 (White 92.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 7.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,920; median household $53,071; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Deschutes County (cont'd)

$36,840 - $36,449.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bend 🏛 (76,639); Redmond (26,215).

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
1036 SE Douglas St Rm 221
Roseburg, OR 97470
www.co.douglas.or.us
**Ph:** 541-440-4324
**Fax:** 541-440-4408

In southwestern OR, south of Eugene; organized Jan 7, 1852 (prior to statehood) from Umpqua County, which was organized in 1851 and whose remnant, after Coos County was broken off in 1855, was annexed to Douglas County in 1862. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,133.29 (land 5,036.08; water 97.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.4.

**Pop 2010:** 107,667. **State rank:** 558. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 104,202 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 4.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 46.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,342; median household $39,711; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,464 - $29,601.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Roseburg 🏛 (21,181).

**GILLIAM COUNTY**
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Condon, OR 97823
www.co.gilliam.or.us
**Ph:** 541-384-6712
**Fax:** 541-384-2166

On the central northern border of OR; organized Feb 25, 1885 from Wasco County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Cornelius Gilliam (1798-1848), veteran of Indian wars and former county official in MT.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,223.58 (land 1,204.81; water 18.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,871. **State rank:** 3074. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,794 (White 95.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.7%, including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 49.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,559; median household $42,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,472 - $38,204.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT COUNTY**
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Canyon City, OR 97820
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**Ph:** 541-575-1675
**Fax:** 541-575-2248

In northeastern OR; organized Oct 14, 1864. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,529.25 (land 4,528.54; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,445. **State rank:** 2688. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,297 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 50.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,041; median household $35,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,388 - $29,546.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARNEY COUNTY**
450 N Buena Vista
Burns, OR 97720
www.co.harney.or.us
**Ph:** 541-573-6641
**Fax:** 541-573-8370

In southeastern OR; organized Feb 25, 1889 from Grant County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Selby Harney (1800-89), officer in the Black Hawk War, Seminole War, and Mexican-American War; commander of department of OR who was instrumental in opening eastern OR for settlement.

**Area (sq mi):** 10,225.33 (land 10,133.17; water 92.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,422. **State rank:** 2695. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 -9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,898 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 3.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,849; median household $39,036; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,788 - $28,463.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 2.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOOD RIVER COUNTY**
601 State St
Hood River, OR 97031
www.co.hood-river.or.us
**Ph:** 541-386-3970
**Fax:** 541-386-9392

On northwestern border of OR, east of Portland; organized Jun 23, 1908 from Wasco County. **Name Origin:** For the river and the town; the river was named for either Samuel Hood (1724-1816), or for Arthur William Acland Hood (1824-1901), admirals in the British Navy.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.16 (land 521.95; water 11.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.8.

**Pop 2010:** 22,346. **State rank:** 1726. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 21,284 (White 83.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 29.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 29.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.3%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,930; median household $51,307; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,765 - $34,070.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel**

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## Hood River County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oak Grove (16,629).

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Medford, OR 97501
www.co.jackson.or.us
**Ph:** 541-774-6035
**Fax:** 541-774-6455

On the southwestern border of OR; organized Jan 12, 1852 (prior to statehood) from the original Yamhill and Champoeg districts. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,800.12 (land 2,783.55; water 16.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.

**Pop 2010:** 203,206. **State rank:** 302. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 195,322 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 10.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,410; median household $44,142; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,443 - $34,168.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Medford (74,907); Ashland (20,078); Central Point (17,169); Four Corners (15,947).

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Madras, OR 97741
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**Ph:** 541-475-4451
**Fax:** 541-325-5018

In north-central OR; organized Dec 12, 1914 from Crook County. **Name Origin:** For Mount Jefferson on the county's western border, itself named for Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,791.17 (land 1,780.79; water 10.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,720. **State rank:** 1821. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,100 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 19.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,009; median household $41,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,139 - $27,278.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOSEPHINE COUNTY**
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Grants Pass, OR 97526
www.co.josephine.or.us
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**Fax:** 541-474-5246

On the southwestern border of OR, west of Jackson; organized Jan 22, 1856 from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For either Josephine Rollins (1835-c.1911), daughter of the leader of a wagon train bound for California and first white woman to settle in the county, or for Josephine Creek, which was also named in her honor.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,641.71 (land 1,639.67; water 2.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.4.

**Pop 2010:** 82,713. **State rank:** 675. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 80,761 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,539; median household $38,035; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,700 - $29,580.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Grants Pass (34,533).

**KLAMATH COUNTY**
305 Main St
Klamath Falls, OR 97601
www.co.klamath.or.us
**Ph:** 541-883-5134
**Fax:** 541-885-6757

On central southern border of OR; organized Oct 17, 1882 from Lake County. **Name Origin:** For the Klamath Indians; the name is probably from Chinook *tlamatl*, their name for the sister tribe of the Modocs; the meaning is unknown. Also spelled *Claminitt* and *Clammittee*.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,132.61 (land 5,941.05; water 191.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.2.

**Pop 2010:** 66,380. **State rank:** 784. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 66,192 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 10.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 10.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,081; median household $41,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,537 - $29,419.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Klamath Falls (20,840); Altamont (19,257).

**LAKE COUNTY**
513 Center St
Lakeview, OR 97630
www.lakecountyor.org
**Ph:** 541-947-6006
**Fax:** 541-947-0905

On central southern border of OR; organized Oct 24, 1874 from Jackson County. **Name Origin:** For the many lakes in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 8,361.69 (land 8,138.98; water 222.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,895. **State rank:** 2660. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 7,313 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,586; median household $41,105; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,019 - $29,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**LANE COUNTY**
125 E 8th Ave Public Service Building
Eugene, OR 97401
www.co.lane.or.us
**Ph:** 541-682-4203
**Fax:** 541-682-4616

On central-western coast of OR; organized Jan 28, 1851 (prior to statehood) from Linn and Benton counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Lane (1801-81). OR territorial governor (1849-50; 1853) and first U.S. senator from OR (1859-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,720.91 (land 4,553.12; water 167.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.2.

**Pop 2010:** 351,715. **State rank:** 186. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 335,180 (White 88.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.4%; Asian 2.4%; Others 7.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,869; median household $42,923; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,076 - $33,277.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eugene 🏛 (156,185); Springfield (59,403).

**LINCOLN COUNTY**
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Newport, OR 97365
www.co.lincoln.or.us
**Ph:** 541-265-4121
**Fax:** 541-265-4114

On central western coast of OR; organized Feb 20, 1893 from Benton and Polk counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,194 (land 979.77; water 214.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.

**Pop 2010:** 46,034. **State rank:** 1021. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 45,994 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.9%; Asian 1.1%; Others 7.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 49.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,354; median household $39,738; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,698 - $33,681.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LINN COUNTY**
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Albany, OR 97321
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**Ph:** 541-967-3831
**Fax:** 541-926-5109

In northwest OR, northeast of Eugene; original county; organized 1847 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Lewis Fields Linn (1795-1843), physician and U.S. senator from MO (1833-43); author of the Donation Land Law, which gave free land in the west to settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,308.10 (land 2,290.13; water 17.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.9.

**Pop 2010:** 116,672. **State rank:** 506. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 108,914 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 7.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,165; median household $45,832; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,155 - $29,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Albany 🏛 (50,158); Lebanon (15,518).

**MALHEUR COUNTY**
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Vale, OR 97918
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**Ph:** 541-473-5151
**Fax:** 541-473-5523

On eastern border of OR; organized Feb 17, 1887 from Baker county. **Name Origin:** For the Malheur River, which flows through it; from French 'misfortune', given to the river by trappers who were attacked by Indians and lost all their furs.

**Area (sq mi):** 9,930.43 (land 9,887.53; water 42.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.2.

**Pop 2010:** 31,313. **State rank:** 1407. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,330 (White 77.5%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 31.5%; Asian 1.7%; Others 31.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.8%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,335; median household $39,144; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,314 - $24,503.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ontario (11,366).

**MARION COUNTY**
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Salem, OR 97309
www.co.marion.or.us
**Ph:** 503-588-5225
**Fax:** 503-373-4408

In northwest OR, south of Portland; original county; organized as Champoick County Jul 5, 1843 (prior to statehood); name changed 1849. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c. 1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,192.51 (land 1,182.33; water 10.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 266.7.

**Pop 2010:** 315,335. **State rank:** 200. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 305,265 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 24.3%; Asian 1.9%; Others 24.3%, including 0.7% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 14.1%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,915; median household $46,069; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,258 - $33,605.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salem 🏛 (154,637); Keizer (36,478); Woodburn (24,080); Hayesville (19,936); Four Corners (15,947).

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**MORROW COUNTY**
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Heppner, OR 97836
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**Fax:** 541-676-9876

On central northern border of OR; organized Feb 16, 1885 from Umatilla County. **Name Origin:** For Jackson L. Morrow (1827-99), member of the first state legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,047.76 (land 2,031.61; water 16.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,173. **State rank:** 2318. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,666 (White 77.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 31.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 31.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.9%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,201; median household $43,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,597 - $35,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MULTNOMAH COUNTY**
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Portland, OR 97204
www.co.multnomah.or.us
**Ph:** 503-823-4000
**Fax:** 503-988-5773

On central northern border of OR; organized Dec 22, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Clackamas and Washington counties. The smallest county in OR by size and largest by population. **Name Origin:** For the Multnomah Indian village on Sauvie Island; Lewis and Clark applied the name to all local Indians. From *nemathlonamaq*, probably meaning 'downriver.'

**Area (sq mi):** 461.72 (land 431.30; water 30.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 1704.9.

**Pop 2010:** 735,334. **State rank:** 80. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 672,906 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.9%; Asian 6.5%; Others 10.9%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.7%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,883; median household $49,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,462 - $39,945.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portland (583,776); Gresham (105,594); Troutdale (15,962).

**POLK COUNTY**
850 Main St
Dallas, OR 97338
www.co.polk.or.us
**Ph:** 503-623-8172
**Fax:** 503-623-0717

In northwest OR, west of Salem; original county; organized Dec 22, 1845 (prior to statehood) from the Yamhill district. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 743.91 (land 740.79; water 3.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.8.

**Pop 2010:** 75,403. **State rank:** 695. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +12.7%. **Pop 2005:** 70,295 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 1.9%; Others 12.1%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,345; median household $50,975; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,232 - $30,877.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dallas (14,583).

**SHERMAN COUNTY**
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Moro, OR 97039
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**Fax:** 541-565-3771

On central northern border of OR; organized Feb 25, 1889 from Wasco County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Tecumseh Sherman (1820-91), officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War, remembered for his march to the sea through the South.

**Area (sq mi):** 831.69 (land 823.69; water 8). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,765. **State rank:** 3069. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,749 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,688; median household $41,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,776 - $52,530.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TILLAMOOK COUNTY**
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Tillamook, OR 97141
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**Fax:** 503-842-1599

On the northwestern coast of OR, west of Portland; organized Dec 15, 1853 (prior to statehood) from Clatsop and Yamhill counties. **Name Origin:** For the Tillamook Indians, from Chinook 'people of Nekelim,' because the tribe lived on the Nehalem and Salmon rivers.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,333.21 (land 1,102.58; water 230.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.9.

**Pop 2010:** 25,250. **State rank:** 1598. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 25,277 (White 91.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 9.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,824; median household $39,412; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,805 - $33,011.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UMATILLA COUNTY**
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Pendleton, OR 97801
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**Fax:** 541-278-6345

On northeastern border of OR; organized Sep 27, 1862 from Wasco

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## Umatilla County (cont'd)

County. **Name Origin:** For the Umatilla River, which runs through the county; the river is itself named for the Umatilla Indian tribe. The meaning of the name is disputed: possibly 'water rippling over sand.'

**Area (sq mi):** 3,231.50 (land 3,215.51; water 15.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.6.

**Pop 2010:** 75,889. **State rank:** 728. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 73,878 (White 79.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 23.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 23.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,035; median household $45,861; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,406 - $29,554.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hermiston (16,745); Pendleton 🏛 (16,612).

**UNION COUNTY**
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La Grande, OR 97850
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**Fax:** 541-963-1079

In northeastern OR; organized Oct 14, 1864 from Baker County. **Name Origin:** For the town of Union, named in 1862 in support of the Union forces in the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,038.61 (land 2,036.61; water 2). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.6.

**Pop 2010:** 25,748. **State rank:** 1593. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,540 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.9%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,947; median household $42,162; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,657 - $30,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** La Grande 🏛 (13,082).

**WALLOWA COUNTY**
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Enterprise, OR 97828
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**Fax:** 541-426-5901

On northeastern border of OR; organized Feb 11, 1887 from Union County. **Name Origin:** A Nez Perce word for the 'tripod' used to support netting to catch fish.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,152.55 (land 3,146.19; water 6.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,008. **State rank:** 2678. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,014 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,023; median household $41,116; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,755 - $33,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASCO COUNTY**
511 Washington St
The Dalles, OR 97058
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**Ph:** 541-506-2530
**Fax:** 541-298-3607

On the central northern border of OR; organized Jan 11, 1854 (prior to statehood), from the original Champoeg district; it covered all of Oregon east of the Cascade Range, most of Idaho, and parts of MT and WY. **Name Origin:** For the Wasco or Wascopam Indian tribe of Chinookan linguistic stock; the name means 'cup' or 'bowl.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,395.80 (land 2,381.52; water 14.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.6.

**Pop 2010:** 25,213. **State rank:** 1620. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 23,593 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 14.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 14.8%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,922; median household $42,133; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,834 - $33,185.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** The Dalles (13,620).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 503-846-8636

In northwest OR, west of Portland; original county; organized as Tuality County Jul 5, 1843 (prior to statehood); name changed Sep 3, 1849. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 726.86 (land 724.23; water 2.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 731.4.

**Pop 2010:** 529,710. **State rank:** 115. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 499,794 (White 76.6%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 15.7%; Asian 8.6%; Others 15.7%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 16.8%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,522; median household $62,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,481 - $40,606.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 11 (see page 43 for cities).

**WHEELER COUNTY**
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In north-central OR; organized Feb 17, 1899 from Crook, Gilliam, and Grant counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry H. Wheeler (1826-1915), who operated the first stage line through the county and later became a prominent rancher in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,715.30 (land 1,714.75; water 0.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,441. **State rank:** 3088. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%;

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2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,455 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 53.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,598; median household $33,403; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,921 - $26,510.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### YAMHILL COUNTY

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In northwest OR, southwest of Portland; original county; organized 1843 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Yamhela or Yamhill Indian tribe; meaning of name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.65 (land 715.86; water 2.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 138.6.

**Pop 2010:** 99,193. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 92,196 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 14.7%; Asian 1.5%; Others 14.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.0%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,017; median household $52,485; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,790 - $32,768.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** McMinnville 🏛 (32,187); Newberg (22,068).

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**PENNSYLVANIA STATE INFORMATION**
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**Area (sq mi):** 46,055.24 (land 44,816.61; water 1,238.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 283.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,702,379. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 12,429,616 (White 81.9%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 2.7%; Others 5.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $41,152; median household $50,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.40%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,927 - $40,604.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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On central southern border of PA, southwest of Harrisburg; organized Jan 22, 1800 from York County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 520.18 (land 518.67; water 1.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 195.5.

**Pop 2010:** 101,407. **State rank:** 562. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 99,749 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,606; median household $56,529; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,542 - $32,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Whitehall (13,944).

**ALLEGHENY COUNTY**
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In southwestern PA; organized Sep 24, 1788 from Westmoreland and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For the Allegheny River.

**Area (sq mi):** 744.62 (land 730.08; water 14.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 1675.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,223,348. **State rank:** 30. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,235,841 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 2.8%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,549; median household $47,961; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,367 - $46,274.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 43 for cities).

**ARMSTRONG COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 724-548-3285

In central portion of western PA, northeast of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny, Lycoming, and Westmoreland counties. **Name Origin:** For John Armstrong (1758-1843), officer in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812, U.S. senator from NY (1800-02; 1803-04), and U.S. secretary of war (1813-14).

**Area (sq mi):** 663.71 (land 653.20; water 10.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.5.

**Pop 2010:** 68,941. **State rank:** 770. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 70,586 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,828; median household $42,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,342 - $32,692.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEAVER COUNTY**
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On central western border of PA, northwest of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For the Beaver River, which traverses it.

**Area (sq mi):** 444.40 (land 434.71; water 9.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 392.3.

**Pop 2010:** 170,539. **State rank:** 355. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 177,377 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,168; median household $46,190; **Pop**

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## Beaver County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,830 - $36,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BEDFORD COUNTY

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**Fax:** 814-623-0991

On southern border with MD, southeast of Johnstown; organized May 9, 1771 (prior to statehood) from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Bedford, which became the site of the county seat of Bedford. The fort was named in 1759 to honor England's Duke of Bedford.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,015.19 (land 1,012.30; water 2.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.2.

**Pop 2010:** 49,762. **State rank:** 965. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 50,091 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,545; median household $40,249; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,973 - $30,144.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BERKS COUNTY

633 Court St, 4th Fl
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In southeastern PA, southwest of Allentown; established Mar 11, 1752 from Chester, Lancaster, and Philadelphia counties. **Name Origin:** The shortened form for Berkshire, England, which also has a Reading as its county seat; site of large land holdings of the Penn family.

**Area (sq mi):** 863.30 (land 856.51; water 6.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 480.4.

**Pop 2010:** 411,442. **State rank:** 163. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 396,314 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 16.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 16.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,518; median household $53,470; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,502 - $36,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Reading 🏛 (88,082); Bloomsburg (14,855); Wyomissing (10,461).

### BLAIR COUNTY

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In western PA, east of Johnstown; organized Feb 26, 1846 from Huntingdon and Bedford counties. **Name Origin:** For John Blair, PA legislator and prominent citizen. The only county in PA named for a local citizen.

**Area (sq mi):** 527.11 (land 525.80; water 1.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 241.7.

**Pop 2010:** 127,089. **State rank:** 478. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 126,795 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,880; median household $42,363; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,744 - $32,955.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Altoona (46,320).

### BRADFORD COUNTY

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On northern border of PA, northwest of Scranton; organized as Ontario County Feb 10, 1810 from Luzerne and Lycoming counties. **Name Origin:** For William Bradford (1755-95), associate justice of the PA supreme court (1791) and U.S. attorney general (1794-95). Name changed Mar 24, 1812 from Ontario (named for the lake).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,157.77 (land 1,147.40; water 10.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.6.

**Pop 2010:** 62,622. **State rank:** 837. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 62,537 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,979; median household $40,543; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,227 - $31,212.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUCKS COUNTY

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On southeastern border of PA, north of Philadelphia; original county, organized as Buckingham County Mar 10, 1682. **Name Origin:** Shortened from the original name, Buckingham, for the English county of Buckinghamshire (also called Bucks), home of the Penn family and of many original settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 619.05 (land 604.31; water 14.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 1034.7.

**Pop 2010:** 625,249. **State rank:** 98. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 621,342 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 3.8%; Others 4.3%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Bucks County (cont'd)

including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.1%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,687; median household $74,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,079 - $52,594.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Levittown (52,983).

**BUTLER COUNTY**
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Butler, PA 16001
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In central portion of western PA, north of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Gen. Richard Butler (1743-91), officer and Indian commissioner after the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 794.86 (land 788.60; water 6.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 233.1.

**Pop 2010:** 183,862. **State rank:** 333. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 182,087 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,446; median household $56,878; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,667 - $41,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Butler 🏛 (13,757); Fernway (12,414).

**CAMBRIA COUNTY**
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In western PA, west of Altoona; organized Mar 26, 1804 from Somerset, Bedford, and Huntingdon counties. **Name Origin:** For Cambria township in Somerset County. Cambria is an ancient, poetic name for Wales, from Welsh *cymy* or *cumbri* 'brotherhood' or 'fraternity.'

**Area (sq mi):** 693.76 (land 688.35; water 5.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 208.7.

**Pop 2010:** 143,679. **State rank:** 428. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 148,073 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,278; median household $39,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,042 - $32,445.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Johnstown (20,978); Oil City (10,557).

**CAMERON COUNTY**
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Emporium, PA 15834
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In north-west central PA, west of Williamsport; organized Mar 29, 1860 from Clinton, Elk, McKean, and Potter counties. **Name Origin:** For Simon Cameron (1799-1889), U.S. senator from PA (1845-49; 1857-61; 1867-77), U.S. secretary of war (1861-62), and U.S. Minister to Russia (1862).

**Area (sq mi):** 397.67 (land 396.23; water 1.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,085. **State rank:** 2816. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.8%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,639 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,375; median household $40,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,731 - $31,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARBON COUNTY**
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Jim Thorpe, PA 18229
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In eastern PA, south of Scranton; organized Mar 13, 1843 from Northampton and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For its rich deposits of anthracite coal.

**Area (sq mi):** 387.66 (land 381.46; water 6.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 171.1.

**Pop 2010:** 65,249. **State rank:** 805. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 61,959 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,956; median household $47,744; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,799 - $31,141.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CENTRE COUNTY**
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In central PA, southwest of Williamsport; organized Feb 13, 1800 from Lycoming, Mifflin, Northumberland, and Huntingdon counties. **Name Origin:** For its location in the geographic center of the state, with the British spelling of the time.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,114.24 (land 1,109.92; water 4.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 138.7.

**Pop 2010:** 153,990. **State rank:** 421. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 140,561 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 5.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 28.7.

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## Centre County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,744; median household $47,016; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,433 - $33,370.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** State College (42,034).

### CHESTER COUNTY

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On southeastern border of PA, west of Philadelphia; original county, organized as Upland County Mar 10, 1682; name changed soon after. **Name Origin:** For Chester, Cheshire, England, home of many settlers brought to America by William Penn (1644-1718).

**Area (sq mi):** 754.35 (land 750.51; water 3.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 664.7.

**Pop 2010:** 498,886. **State rank:** 128. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 474,027 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 3.9%; Others 6.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $41,251; median household $84,741; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $58,083 - $57,555.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** West Chester (18,461); Phoenixville (16,440); Coatesville (13,100).

### CLARION COUNTY

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Clarion, PA 16214
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In central portion of western PA, northeast of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 11, 1839 from Venango and Armstrong counties. **Name Origin:** For the Clarion River, which flows through it. The rippling waters of the river sounded like the notes of a distant clarion to Daniel Stanard, one of the state surveyors.

**Area (sq mi):** 607.34 (land 600.83; water 6.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.6.

**Pop 2010:** 39,988. **State rank:** 1178. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 40,589 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,259; median household $40,028; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,992 - $33,704.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Easton (26,800).

### CLEARFIELD COUNTY

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In west-central PA, north of Altoona; organized Mar 26, 1804 from Lycoming and Huntingdon counties. Functioned as part of Centre County in early years; first county commissioners elected 1812, courts established 1822. **Name Origin:** For Clearfield Creek, which runs through a part of the county where buffalo had cleared the undergrowth.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,151.21 (land 1,144.72; water 6.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.3.

**Pop 2010:** 81,642. **State rank:** 665. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 82,783 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,142; median household $37,130; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,999 - $30,614.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bethlehem (74,982); Shiloh (11,218).

### CLINTON COUNTY

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In north-central PA, west of Williamsport; organized Jun 21, 1839 from Lycoming and Centre counties. **Name Origin:** Most likely for DeWitt Clinton (1769-1828), governor of NY, and supporter of the Erie Canal. The name may have been a substitute to the originally proposed name, Eagle, to thwart political opponents of county formation.

**Area (sq mi):** 895.21 (land 887.98; water 7.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.2.

**Pop 2010:** 39,238. **State rank:** 1244. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 37,439 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,261; median household $39,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,534 - $29,842.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

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In east-central PA, southwest of Scranton; organized Mar 22, 1813 from Northumberland County. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 487.35 (land 483.11; water 4.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 139.3.

**Pop 2010:** 67,295. **State rank:** 792. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 64,939 (White 95.4%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Columbia County (cont'd)

American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,403; median household $42,788; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,143 - $28,406.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bloomsburg 🏛 (14,855); Berwick (10,477).

### CRAWFORD COUNTY

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Meadville, PA 16335
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**Fax:** 814-337-0457

On northwest border of PA, south of Erie; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Crawford (1732-82), surveyor, army officer, and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,037.31 (land 1,012.30; water 25.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.7.

**Pop 2010:** 88,765. **State rank:** 634. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 89,442 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,383; median household $38,924; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,844 - $29,912.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Meadville 🏛 (13,388).

### CUMBERLAND COUNTY

1 Courthouse Sq
Carlisle, PA 17013
www.ccpa.net

**Ph:** 717-240-6100
**Fax:** 717-240-6448

In south-central PA, west of Harrisburg; organized Jan 27, 1750 from Lancaster County. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus, Duke of Cumberland (1721-65), British general and second son of George II (1683-1760).

**Area (sq mi):** 546.44 (land 545.46; water 0.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 431.6.

**Pop 2010:** 235,406. **State rank:** 271. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 223,089 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 3.0%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,119; median household $60,219; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,727 - $40,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Carlisle 🏛 (18,682); Washington (13,663).

### DAUPHIN COUNTY

2 S 2nd St
Harrisburg, PA 17101
www.dauphincounty.org

**Ph:** 717-780-6300
**Fax:** 717-255-2684

In south-central PA, northwest of Lancaster; organized Mar 4, 1785 from Lancaster County. **Name Origin:** To honor France, ally of the American states in the Revolutionary War, by use of the hereditary title of the eldest son of the king of France, dauphin. Louis Joseph (1781-89), son of Louis XVI (1754-93) and Marie Antoinette (1755-93), was *dauphin* at the time the county was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 557.29 (land 525.05; water 32.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 510.6.

**Pop 2010:** 268,100. **State rank:** 247. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 253,995 (White 72.7%; Black or African American 18.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 3.2%; Others 7.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,727; median household $52,371; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,596 - $39,968.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Harrisburg 🏛 (49,528); Hershey (14,257); Colonial Park (13,229).

### DELAWARE COUNTY

201 W Front St Government Center Bldg
Media, PA 19063
www.co.delaware.pa.us

**Ph:** 610-891-4000
**Fax:** 610-891-0647

On southeastern border of PA, west of Philadelphia; organized Sept 6, 1789 from Chester County. **Name Origin:** For the Delaware River, which forms its southeastern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 190.37 (land 183.84; water 6.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 3040.5.

**Pop 2010:** 558,979. **State rank:** 109. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 555,648 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 19.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 4.7%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,067; median household $61,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $47,810 - $48,655.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 43 for cities).

### ELK COUNTY

PO Box 448
Ridgway, PA 15853
www.co.elk.pa.us

**Ph:** 814-776-1161
**Fax:** 814-776-5379

In west-central PA, west of Williamsport; organized Apr 18, 1843 from Jefferson, Clearfield, and McKean counties. **Name Origin:** For the North American elk, once common in the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 830.94 (land 827.36; water 3.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.6.

**Pop 2010:** 31,946. **State rank:** 1375. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.9%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 33,577 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.1.

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## Elk County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,729; median household $43,745; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,169 - $34,652.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ERIE COUNTY

140 W 6th St
Erie, PA 16501
www.eriecountygov.org

**Ph:** 814-451-6000
**Fax:** 814-451-6350

At northwestern corner of PA, along southern shore of Lake Erie; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Erie, which forms its northern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,555.61 (land 799.15; water 756.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 351.1.

**Pop 2010:** 280,566. **State rank:** 228. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 280,446 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,644; median household $43,595; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,341 - $32,870.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Erie (101,786).

### FAYETTE COUNTY

61 E Main St
Uniontown, PA 15401
www.fayettepa.org

**Ph:** 724-430-1201
**Fax:** 724-430-1265

On southern border of western PA, southeast of Pittsburgh; organized Sep 26, 1783 from Westmoreland County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette or La Fayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 798.20 (land 790.34; water 7.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 172.8.

**Pop 2010:** 136,606. **State rank:** 433. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 146,142 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,209; median household $34,796; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,788 - $32,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Uniontown (10,372).

### FOREST COUNTY

526 Elm St PO Box 3
Tionesta, PA 16353
www.co.forest.pa.us

**Ph:** 814-755-3537
**Fax:** 814-755-8837

In north-western PA, east of Oil City; organized Apr 11, 1848 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** Named by Cyrus Blood (1795-?), pioneer settler, because the county was virgin forestland.

**Area (sq mi):** 430.47 (land 427.19; water 3.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,716. **State rank:** 2691. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +34.4%; 2000-2005 +16.0%. **Pop 2005:** 5,739 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 18.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 5.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,325; median household $35,150; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,245 - $22,736.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

14 N Main St
Chambersburg, PA 17201
www.co.franklin.pa.us

**Ph:** 717-261-3810
**Fax:** 717-267-3438

On central southern border of PA, southwest of Harrisburg; organized Sep 9, 1784 from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 772.93 (land 772.22; water 0.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.7.

**Pop 2010:** 149,618. **State rank:** 425. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 137,409 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,307; median household $51,035; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,712 - $32,898.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chambersburg (20,268); Waynesboro (10,568).

### FULTON COUNTY

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McConnellsburg, PA 17233
www.fultoncountypa.com

**Ph:** 717-485-4064
**Fax:** 717-325-0023

On central southern border of PA, southeast of Altoona; organized Apr 19, 1851 from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Fulton (1765-1815), developer of the *Clermont*, the first commercially successful steamboat.

**Area (sq mi):** 438.01 (land 437.55; water 0.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,845. **State rank:** 2106. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,673 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,739; median household $45,240; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Fulton County (cont'd)

$30,103 - $30,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

93 E High St
Waynesburg, PA 15370
www.co.greene.pa.us

**Ph:** 724-852-5210
**Fax:** 724-627-5428

At southwestern corner of PA, south of Pittsburgh; organized Feb 9, 1796 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War; quartermaster general (1778-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 578.04 (land 575.95; water 2.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.2.

**Pop 2010:** 38,686. **State rank:** 1186. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 39,808 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,258; median household $40,498; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,953 - $32,944.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HUNTINGDON COUNTY

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Huntingdon, PA 16652
www.huntingdoncounty.net

**Ph:** 814-643-3091
**Fax:** 814-643-8152

In south-central PA, east of Altoona; organized Sep 20, 1787 from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 889.62 (land 874.64; water 14.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.5.

**Pop 2010:** 45,913. **State rank:** 1045. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 45,947 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,616; median household $41,700; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,807 - $27,484.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### INDIANA COUNTY

825 Philadelphia St Courthouse, 2nd Fl
Indiana, PA 15701
www.indianacounty.org

**Ph:** 724-465-3805
**Fax:** 724-465-3953

In central porton of western PA, northeast of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 30, 1803 from Westmoreland and Lycoming territories. **Name Origin:** For the Indiana Territory, which had been formed as part of the Northwest Territory in 1800.

**Area (sq mi):** 832.05 (land 827.03; water 5.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 107.5.

**Pop 2010:** 88,880. **State rank:** 641. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 88,703 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,587; median household $40,225; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,739 - $32,843.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Indiana 🏛 (13,975); Uniontown (10,372).

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

155 Main St, 2nd Fl
Brookville, PA 15825
www.jeffersoncountypa.com

**Ph:** 814-849-1603
**Fax:** 814-849-5049

In central portion of western PA, northeast of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 26, 1804 from Lycoming County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 653.82 (land 652.43; water 1.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.3.

**Pop 2010:** 45,200. **State rank:** 1059. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 45,759 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,305; median household $38,406; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,065 - $31,206.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JUNIATA COUNTY

PO Box 68 Bridge & Main St
Mifflintown, PA 17059
www.co.juniata.pa.us

**Ph:** 717-436-7715
**Fax:** 717-436-7734

In central PA, northwest of Harrisburg; organized Mar 2, 1831 from Mifflin County. **Name Origin:** For the Juniata River, which flows through it; it is named for an Indian word of uncertain origin.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.33 (land 391.35; water 1.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.

**Pop 2010:** 24,636. **State rank:** 1666. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 23,507 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,682; median household $44,276; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,016 - $29,874.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**LACKAWANNA COUNTY**
436 Spruce St
Scranton, PA 18503-3184
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**Ph:** 570-963-6723
**Fax:** 570-963-6387

In northeastern PA, northeast of Wilkes-Barre. Organized Aug 13, 1878 from Luzerne County, the last PA county to be created. **Name Origin:** For the Lackawanna River, which runs through it. From a Delaware Indian word probably meaning the stream that forks.

**Area (sq mi):** 464.96 (land 459.08; water 5.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 467.1.

**Pop 2010:** 214,437. **State rank:** 296. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 209,525 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 1.7%; Others 5.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,152; median household $43,673; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,660 - $36,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Scranton (76,089); Dunmore (14,057).

**LANCASTER COUNTY**
50 N Duke St PO Box 83480
Lancaster, PA 17608
www.co.lancaster.pa.us
**Ph:** 717-299-8000
**Fax:** 717-293-7208

In southeastern PA, southeast of Harrisburg; organized May 10, 1729 from Chester County. **Name Origin:** For Lancaster, Lancashire, England, former home of John Wright, a prime figure in the formation of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 978.56 (land 943.81; water 34.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 550.4.

**Pop 2010:** 519,445. **State rank:** 126. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 490,562 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 1.9%; Others 8.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,854; median household $54,765; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,583 - $36,366.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lancaster (59,322); Ephrata (13,394); Elizabethtown (11,545); Mountain Top (10,982); Columbia (10,400).

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
County Courthouse 430 Court St
New Castle, PA 16101
www.co.lawrence.pa.us
**Ph:** 724-658-2541
**Fax:** 724-652-9646

On central-western border of PA, northwest of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 20, 1849 from Beaver and Mercer counties. **Name Origin:** For the *Lawrence*, the flagship of American commander Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819) in the Battle of Lake Erie (1813).

**Area (sq mi):** 360.48 (land 358.18; water 2.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 254.4.

**Pop 2010:** 91,108. **State rank:** 624. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 92,809 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,467; median household $42,570; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,139 - $32,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Castle (23,273); Willow Grove (15,726).

**LEBANON COUNTY**
400 S 8th St
Lebanon, PA 17042
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**Ph:** 717-274-2801
**Fax:** 717-274-8094

In east-central PA, east of Harrisburg; organized Feb 16, 1815 from Dauphin and Lancaster counties. **Name Origin:** For Lebanon Township, from which the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 362.57 (land 361.83; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 369.1.

**Pop 2010:** 133,568. **State rank:** 463. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 125,578 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 9.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 9.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,525; median household $52,356; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,639 - $36,543.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon (25,477); Johnstown (20,978).

**LEHIGH COUNTY**
455 W Hamilton St, Rm 132
Allentown, PA 18101-1161
www.lehighcounty.org
**Ph:** 610-782-3148
**Fax:** 610-770-3840

In mideastern PA, northeast of Reading; organized Mar 6, 1812 from Northampton County. **Name Origin:** For the Lehigh River, which forms most of its eastern border. From Algonquian *lechauwekink* 'where there are forks'; shortened by Germans to *Lecha*, then anglicized.

**Area (sq mi):** 346.85 (land 345.17; water 1.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 1012.5.

**Pop 2010:** 349,497. **State rank:** 189. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 330,433 (White 79.1%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 18.8%; Asian 2.9%; Others 18.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,301; median household $53,541; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,818 - $39,279.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Allentown (118,032); Fullerton (14,925); Emmaus (11,211).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**LUZERNE COUNTY**
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Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711
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**Fax:** 570-825-9343

In north-central PA, southwest of Scranton; organized Sep 25, 1786 from Northumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Anne Cesar, Chevalier de la Luzerne (1741-91), French diplomat who helped negotiate the termination of the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 906.65 (land 890.33; water 16.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 360.4.

**Pop 2010:** 320,918. **State rank:** 202. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 312,861 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,245; median household $42,224; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,734 - $35,029.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 43 for cities).

**LYCOMING COUNTY**
48 W 3rd St
Williamsport, PA 17701
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**Ph:** 570-327-2256
**Fax:** 570-327-2505

In north-central PA, west of Wilkes-Barre; organized Apr 13, 1795 from Northumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Lycoming Creek, which runs through it and had for many years been the dividing line between settled and disputed Indian lands. From Delaware Indian word probably meaning 'sandy or gravel-bed creek.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,237.50 (land 1,228.59; water 8.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.5.

**Pop 2010:** 116,111. **State rank:** 505. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 118,395 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,802; median household $42,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,229 - $33,000.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Williamsport 🏛 (29,381).

**MCKEAN COUNTY**
500 W Main St PO Box 1507
Smethport, PA 16749
www.mckeancountypa.org
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**Fax:** 814-887-2242

On northern border of western PA. Organized Mar 26, 1804 from Lycoming County, but administered through Centre County until 1814, then Potter and Lycoming counties; fully organized in 1826. **Name Origin:** For Thomas McKean (1734-1817), signer of the Declaration of Independence, chief justice of PA (1777-79), and governor (1799-1808).

**Area (sq mi):** 981.80 (land 979.20; water 2.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.4.

**Pop 2010:** 43,450. **State rank:** 1087. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 44,370 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,022; median household $40,097; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,629 - $31,803.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fullerton (14,925).

**MERCER COUNTY**
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Mercer, PA 16137
www.merlink.org/mcjac/governmt.htm
**Ph:** 724-662-3800
**Fax:** 724-662-1530

On central-western border of PA, north of New Castle; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 683.34 (land 672.58; water 10.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 173.4.

**Pop 2010:** 116,638. **State rank:** 510. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 119,598 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,765; median household $42,573; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,689 - $31,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hermitage (16,220); Sharon (14,038).

**MIFFLIN COUNTY**
20 N Wayne St
Lewistown, PA 17044
www.co.mifflin.pa.us
**Ph:** 717-248-6733
**Fax:** 717-248-3695

In central PA, east of Altoona; organized Sep 19, 1789 from Cumberland and Northumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Mifflin (1744-1800), member of the Continental Congress (1774-76; 1782-84), PA legislator, and longest-serving governor of PA (1788-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 413.78 (land 411.03; water 2.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 113.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,682. **State rank:** 1030. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 46,235 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,085; median household $37,539; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,004 - $29,119.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONROE COUNTY**
County Courthouse Sq
Stroudsburg, PA 18360
www.co.monroe.pa.us
**Ph:** 570-420-3400
**Fax:** 570-420-3458

On central eastern border of PA, southeast of Scranton; organized

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## Monroe County (cont'd)

Apr 1, 1836 from Northampton and Pike counties. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 617.21 (land 608.29; water 8.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 279.2.

**Pop 2010:** 169,842. **State rank:** 367. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +17.7%. **Pop 2005:** 163,234 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 13.2%; Hispanic or Latino 13.1%; Asian 2.1%; Others 13.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.3%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,824; median household $56,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,126 - $31,252.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Norristown, PA 19404
www.montcopa.org

**Ph:** 610-278-3346
**Fax:** 610-278-5188

In southeastern PA, northwest of Philadelphia; organized Sep 10, 1784 from old Philadelphia County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-1775), Revolutionary War officer and hero.

**Area (sq mi):** 487.37 (land 483.04; water 4.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 1655.9.

**Pop 2010:** 799,874. **State rank:** 72. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 775,883 (White 81.1%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 6.4%; Others 4.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.3%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,076; median household $76,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $62,271 - $62,675.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 43 for cities).

### MONTOUR COUNTY

29 Mill St
Danville, PA 17821
www.montourco.org

**Ph:** 570-271-3010
**Fax:** 570-271-3089

In central PA, southeast of Williamsport; organized May 3, 1850 from Columbia County. **Name Origin:** For Madame Montour (c. 1682-1752), an early PA settler. Of French-Canadian and Indian stock, she was captured and adopted at age ten by an Iroquois tribe. She later used her background as an Indian interpreter and greatly influenced Indian affairs in PA and NY.

**Area (sq mi):** 131.79 (land 130.24; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 140.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,267. **State rank:** 1928. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 18,032 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 1.8%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,124; median household $45,255; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,733 - $40,117.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

669 Washington St
Easton, PA 18042
www.northamptoncounty.org

**Ph:** 610-559-3000
**Fax:** 610-559-6702

On central eastern border of PA, east of Allentown; organized Mar 11, 1752 from Bucks County. **Name Origin:** For Northamptonshire, England, home of Thomas Penn's father-in-law, Thomas Fermor, the Earl of Pomfret.

**Area (sq mi):** 373.23 (land 369.67; water 3.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 805.4.

**Pop 2010:** 297,735. **State rank:** 214. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 287,767 (White 86.3%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.5%; Asian 2.4%; Others 10.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,362; median household $58,762; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,626 - $38,028.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bethlehem (74,982); Easton (26,800); Hanover (15,289).

### NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY

201 Market St
Sunbury, PA 17801
www.northumberlandco.org

**Ph:** 570-988-4151

In central PA, southeast of Williamsport; organized Mar 21, 1772 from Lancaster, Bedford, Berks, Northampton, and Cumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For the county of Northumberland in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 475.84 (land 458.37; water 17.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 206.2.

**Pop 2010:** 94,528. **State rank:** 615. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 92,610 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,654; median household $38,387; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,323 - $32,484.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Colonial Park (13,229).

### PERRY COUNTY

25 W Main St PO Box 37
New Bloomfield, PA 17068
www.perryco.org

**Ph:** 717-582-2131
**Fax:** 717-582-5162

In south-central PA, northwest of Harrisburg; organized Mar 22, 1820 from Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message, We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 553.70 (land 551.45; water 2.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.4.

**Pop 2010:** 45,969. **State rank:** 1041. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 44,728 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Perry County (cont'd)

including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,701; median household $52,659; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,046 - $33,261.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

Broad St
Philadelphia, PA 19107
www.phila.gov

**Ph:** 215-686-1776
**Fax:** 215-567-7380

On southeastern border of PA, southwest of Trenton, NJ; original county, organized Mar 10, 1682. The county is coterminous with the city. **Name Origin:** Named by William Penn (1644-1718) for either Philadelphia, an ancient biblical city of Lydia, in western Asia Minor, seat of one of the seven early Christian churches, or the abstract Greek noun *philadelphia* 'brotherly love.'

**Area (sq mi):** 141.65 (land 134.10; water 7.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 11379.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,526,006. **State rank:** 21. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,463,281 (White 41.0%; Black or African American 43.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.3%; Asian 6.3%; Others 12.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.5%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,117; median household $36,251; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,933 - $37,282.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Philadelphia 🏛 (1,526,006).

### PIKE COUNTY

506 Broad St
Milford, PA 18337
www.pikepa.org

**Ph:** 570-296-7613
**Fax:** 570-296-6055

On northeastern border of PA, east of Scranton; organized Mar 26, 1814 from Wayne County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Zebulon Montgomery Pike (1779-1813), U.S. army officer and discoverer of Pikes Peak, CO.

**Area (sq mi):** 564.79 (land 544.96; water 19.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.3.

**Pop 2010:** 57,369. **State rank:** 843. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +21.7%. **Pop 2005:** 56,337 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 9.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,564; median household $56,843; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,338 - $33,997.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 42.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### POTTER COUNTY

1 E 2nd St, Rm 22
Coudersport, PA 16915
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**Ph:** 814-274-8290
**Fax:** 814-274-8284

On central northern border of PA; organized Mar 26, 1804 from Lycoming County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Potter (1729-89), hero of the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,081.57 (land 1,081.32; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.1.

**Pop 2010:** 17,457. **State rank:** 1978. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 17,834 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,594; median household $39,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,931 - $30,016.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCHUYLKILL COUNTY

401 N 2nd St
Pottsville, PA 17901
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**Ph:** 570-628-1200
**Fax:** 570-628-1210

In east-central PA, west of Allentown; organized Mar 1, 1811 from Berks and Northampton counties. **Name Origin:** For the Schuylkill River, which traverses it; from Dutch *schuy* hidden, and *kill* stream.

**Area (sq mi):** 782.88 (land 778.63; water 4.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 190.4.

**Pop 2010:** 148,289. **State rank:** 419. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 147,447 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,408; median household $42,315; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,190 - $31,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pottsville 🏛 (14,324).

### SNYDER COUNTY

9 W Market St
Middleburg, PA 17842
www.snydercounty.org

**Ph:** 570-837-4207
**Fax:** 570-837-4282

In central PA, south of Williamsport; organized Mar 2, 1855 from Union County. **Name Origin:** For Simon Snyder (1759-1819), member of the PA assembly (1797-1807), speaker of the house (1802-07), and governor (1808-17).

**Area (sq mi):** 329.66 (land 328.71; water 0.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 120.8.

**Pop 2010:** 39,702. **State rank:** 1201. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 38,207 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,072; median household $44,713; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Snyder County (cont'd)

$29,357 - $29,835.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SOMERSET COUNTY**
300 N Center Ave Suite 500 **Ph:** 814-445-1400
Somerset, PA 15501 **Fax:** 814-445-1447
www.co.somerset.pa.us

On the southern border of western PA, south of Johnstown; organized Apr 17, 1795 from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For Somersetshire, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,080.88 (land 1,074.37; water 6.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.4.

**Pop 2010:** 77,742. **State rank:** 702. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 78,907 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,903; median household $39,194; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,611 - $30,474.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**
245 Muncy St PO Box 157 **Ph:** 570-946-5201
Laporte, PA 18626 **Fax:** 570-946-4421
www.sullivancounty-pa.us

In north-central PA, west of Scranton; organized Mar 15, 1847 from Lycoming County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Sullivan (1740-95), Revolutionary War officer, member of the Continental Congress (1774-75), and chief executive of NH (1786-88; 1789-90). He led the punitive expedition against the Iroquois Indians (1779) who had caused the Wyoming Massacre.

**Area (sq mi):** 452.35 (land 449.94; water 2.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,428. **State rank:** 2748. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,391 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 49.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,718; median household $36,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,114 - $30,055.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY**
11 Maple St PO Box 218 **Ph:** 570-278-4600
Montrose, PA 18801 **Fax:** 570-278-9268
www.susquehanna.pa.us

On northern border of eastern PA, north of Scranton, organized Feb 21, 1810 from Luzerne County. **Name Origin:** For the Susquehanna River, which runs through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 832.98 (land 823.44; water 9.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.7.

**Pop 2010:** 43,356. **State rank:** 1158. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 42,124 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,173; median household $43,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,663 - $29,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TIOGA COUNTY**
118 Main St **Ph:** 570-723-8191
Wellsboro, PA 16901
www.tiogacountypa.us

On central northern border of PA, north of Williamsport; organized Mar 26, 1804 from Lycoming County. **Name Origin:** For the Tioga River, which flows through it; from Iroquoian for 'place between two points' or 'at the forks,' for the Indian town on the Susquehanna River near Athens, PA; the town was called *Diahoga* or *Tioga*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,137.37 (land 1,133.79; water 3.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.

**Pop 2010:** 41,981. **State rank:** 1148. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,649 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,358; median household $40,338; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,153 - $27,447.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
103 S 2nd St **Ph:** 570-524-8786
Lewisburg, PA 17837 **Fax:** 570-524-8635
www.unioncountypa.org

In central PA, south of Williamsport; organized Mar 22, 1813 from Northumberland County. **Name Origin:** As an expression of belief in the federal union of the states.

**Area (sq mi):** 316.37 (land 315.98; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 142.2.

**Pop 2010:** 44,947. **State rank:** 1080. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 43,131 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.2%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,612; median household $45,474; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,653 - $30,705.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Johnstown (20,978).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**VENANGO COUNTY**
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Franklin, PA 16323
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In northwestern PA, southeast of Erie; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny, Westmoreland and Lycoming counties. **Name Origin:** For the Venango River (now called French Creek), which flows through it; from an Indian term of uncertain origin, possibly from *innungah* 'a figure carved on a tree.'

**Area (sq mi):** 682.26 (land 674.28; water 7.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.5.

**Pop 2010:** 54,984. **State rank:** 911. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 55,928 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,522; median household $39,812; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,122 - $32,324.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oil City (10,557); Uniontown (10,372).

**WARREN COUNTY**
204 4th Ave
Warren, PA 16365
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**Fax:** 814-728-3479

On northern border of western PA, southeast of Erie; organized Mar 12, 1800 from Allegheny and Lycoming counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Continental Congress who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 898.50 (land 884.14; water 14.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.3.

**Pop 2010:** 41,815. **State rank:** 1159. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 42,033 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,170; median household $41,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,008 - $31,530.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
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www.co.washington.pa.us
**Ph:** 724-228-6787
**Fax:** 724-250-4658

On western border of PA, southwest of Pittsburgh; organized Mar 28, 1781 from Westmoreland County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), commander-in-chief of the Revolutionary forces at the time the country was formed; later the first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 860.85 (land 856.99; water 3.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 242.5.

**Pop 2010:** 207,820. **State rank:** 297. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 206,406 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,045; median household $49,687; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,023 - $42,477.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Washington 🏛 (13,663).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
925 Court St
Honesdale, PA 18431
www.co.wayne.pa.us
**Ph:** 570-253-5970
**Fax:** 570-253-5432

At the northeastern corner of PA, east of Scranton; organized Mar 21, 1798 from Northampton County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-1796), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 746.92 (land 725.60; water 21.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.8.

**Pop 2010:** 52,822. **State rank:** 948. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 50,113 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,525; median household $45,930; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,480 - $31,083.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WESTMORELAND COUNTY**
2 N Main St Suite 203
Greensburg, PA 15601
www.co.westmoreland.pa.us
**Ph:** 724-830-3734
**Fax:** 724-830-3979

In southwestern PA, east of Pittsburgh; organized Feb 26, 1773 (prior to statehood) from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For the former county of Westmorland in northwest England, with spelling change.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,038.41 (land 1,027.55; water 10.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 355.4.

**Pop 2010:** 365,169. **State rank:** 179. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 367,635 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,845; median household $47,689; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,092 - $39,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Murrysville (20,079); Greensburg 🏛 (14,892); Kingston (13,182); New Kensington (13,116); Lower Burrell (11,761).

**WYOMING COUNTY**
1 Courthouse Sq
Tunkhannock, PA 18657
www.pacounties.org/wyoming
**Ph:** 570-836-3200
**Fax:** 570-836-7244

In northeastern PA, west of Scranton; organized Apr 4, 1842 from

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## Wyoming County (cont'd)

Luzerne County. **Name Origin:** For the Wyoming Valley, the northern extent of which is in the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.91 (land 397.32; water 7.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.2.

**Pop 2010:** 28,276. **State rank:** 1492. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 28,160 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,899; median household $47,403; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,679 - $32,051.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### YORK COUNTY

45 N George St
York, PA 17401
www.york-county.org

**Ph:** 717-771-9612
**Fax:** 717-771-9096

On southeastern border of PA, south of Harrisburg; organized Aug 19, 1749 from Lancaster County. **Name Origin:** For York and Yorkshire, England, and for James, Duke of York and Albany (1633-1701), later James II, king of England. Name perhaps suggested by its proximity to Lancaster County; the houses of York and Lancaster are linked in English history.

**Area (sq mi):** 909.98 (land 904.18; water 5.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 481.1.

**Pop 2010:** 434,972. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 408,801 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 5.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,196; median household $57,494; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,879 - $36,427.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** York 🏛 (43,718); Hanover (15,289); Weigelstown (12,875); Shiloh (11,218); Uniontown (10,372).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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State capital

# Rhode Island

**RHODE ISLAND STATE INFORMATION**
www.ri.gov **Ph:** 401-222-2000

**Area (sq mi):** 1,545.05 (land 1,044.93; water 500.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 1018.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,052,567. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 1,076,189 (White 81.4%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 2.9%; Others 12.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,579; median household $54,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.20%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,349 - $41,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

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**BRISTOL COUNTY**
10 Court St **Ph:** 401-253-7000
Bristol, RI 02809 **Fax:** 401-253-3080
www.bristolri.us

Largely peninsular area in eastern RI, south of Providence; organized Feb 17, 1747 from Newport County. **Name Origin:** For Bristol, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 44.19 (land 24.16; water 20.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 2064.

**Pop 2010:** 49,875. **State rank:** 966. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.4%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 52,743 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,588; median household $68,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,904 - $52,711.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KENT COUNTY**
222 Quaker Ln Suite 6 **Ph:** 401-822-1311
Warwick, RI 02886
www.kentrhodeisland.com

In central RI, south of Cranston; organized Jun 11, 1750 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 186.45 (land 168.53; water 17.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 985.9.

**Pop 2010:** 166,158. **State rank:** 358. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 171,590 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 2.0%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,221; median household $61,088; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,971 - $44,738.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Warwick 🏛 (82,672).

**NEWPORT COUNTY**
45 Washington Sq **Ph:** 401-841-8330
Newport, RI 02840 **Fax:** 401-846-1673

In southeastern RI, comprising the islands in Narragansett Bay and mainland along the eastern border of RI, south of Fall River, MA. Original county, organized as Rhode Island County Jun 22, 1703; name changed Jun 16, 1729. **Name Origin:** Descriptive, or possibly recalling Newport, Monmouthshire, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 311.98 (land 102.39; water 209.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 809.6.

**Pop 2010:** 82,888. **State rank:** 679. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 83,740 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 1.6%; Others 4.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,994; median household $67,239; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,157 - $50,259.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newport 🏛 (24,672).

**PROVIDENCE COUNTY**
1 Dorrance Plaza **Ph:** 401-458-5400
Providence, RI 02903 **Fax:** 401-458-3190
www.town-court.com/getTownCourt.php?courtID=1961

In northern RI; original county, organized as the County of Providence Plantations Jun 22, 1703; name modified Jun 16, 1729. **Name Origin:** For the city, its county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.06 (land 409.50; water 22.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 1530.3.

**Pop 2010:** 626,667. **State rank:** 97. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 639,653 (White 73.4%; Black or African American 8.5%; Hispanic or Latino 18.8%; Asian 3.7%; Others 18.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.5%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,169; median household $48,500; **Pop**

## Providence County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,420 - $38,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 44 for cities).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
4800 Tower Hill Rd
Wakefield, RI 02879

**Ph:** 401-782-4121
**Fax:** 401-782-4190

In southwestern RI; incorporated as King's County Jun 16, 1729 from Newport County. **Name Origin:** For George Washingtron (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president. Name changed from King's County on Oct 29, 1781. Originally called the Narragansett Country; changed to King's Province on Mar 20, 1654.

**Area (sq mi):** 559.26 (land 329.24; water 230.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 385.7.

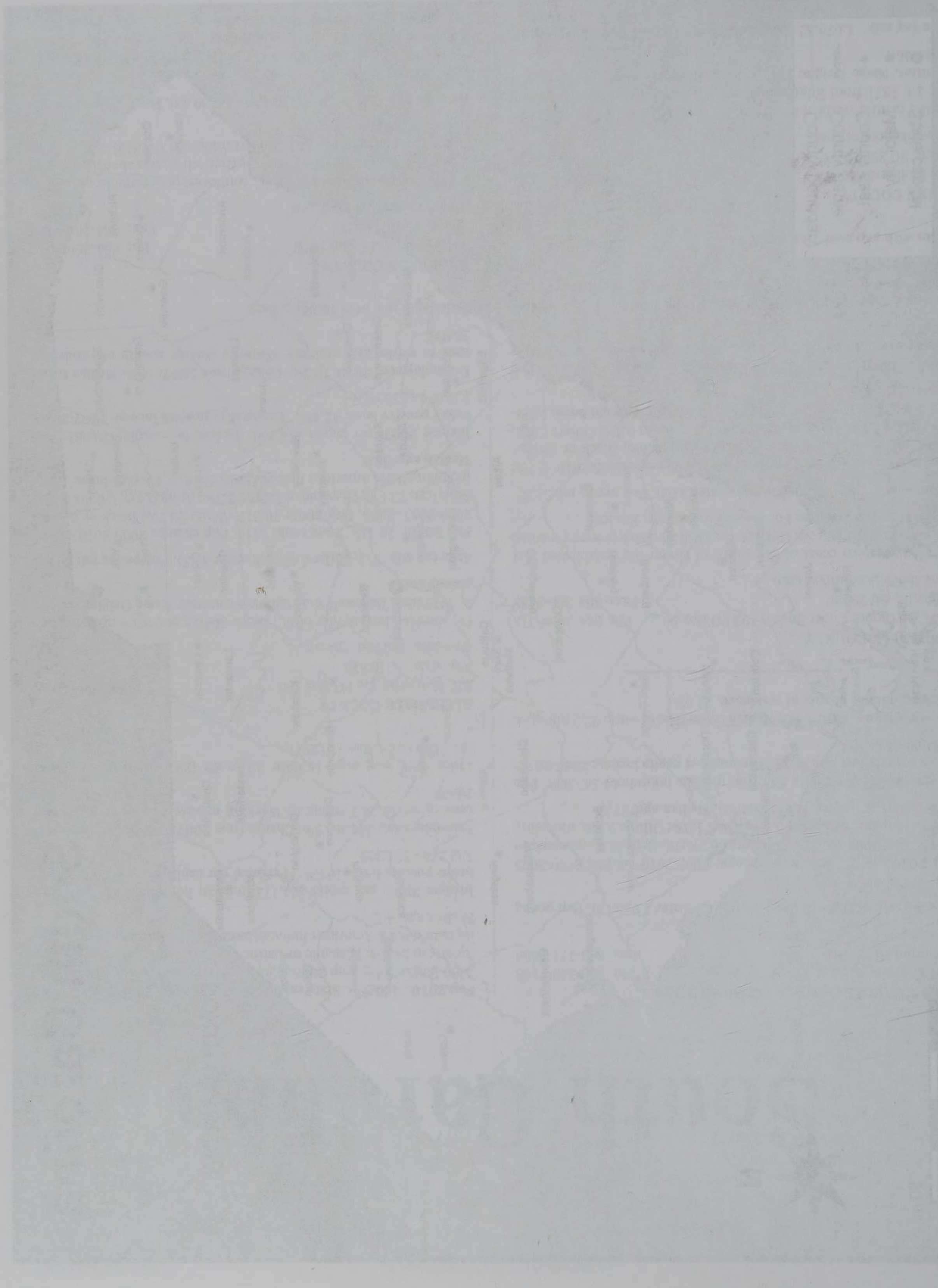
**Pop 2010:** 126,979. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 128,463 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.4%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,737; median household $70,285; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,979 - $46,452.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Westerly (17,936).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*



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# South Carolina

**SOUTH CAROLINA STATE INFORMATION**
1301 Gervais St, Suite 710 **Ph:** 866-340-7105
Columbia, SC 29201 **Fax:** 803-771-7660
www.sc.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 32,020.20 (land 30,109.47; water 1,910.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,625,364. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,255,083 (White 66.2%; Black or African American 27.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,163; median household $43,939; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.40%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,990 - $32,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

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**ABBEVILLE COUNTY**
102 Courthouse Court Sq Rm 103 PO Box 99 **Ph:** 864-366-5312
Abbeville, SC 29620 **Fax:** 864-366-9188
www.abbevillecountysc.com

On northwestern coast of SC, south of Greenville; established Mar 12, 1785 from Ninety Six District. (In 1868 all districts were renamed counties.). **Name Origin:** For the city in Somme, France.

**Area (sq mi):** 493.50 (land 490.48; water 3.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.8.

**Pop 2010:** 25,417. **State rank:** 1588. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 26,133 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 28.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,653; median household $33,143; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,900 - $26,339.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**AIKEN COUNTY**
828 Richland Ave W **Ph:** 803-642-2012
Aiken, SC 29801 **Fax:** 803-642-2124
www.aikencounty.net

On the central western border of SC, east of Augusta, GA; organized Mar 10, 1871 from Edgefield, Barnwell, Lexington, and Orangeburg counties. **Name Origin:** For William Aiken (1806-87), SC governor (1844-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,078.82 (land 1,071.03; water 7.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 149.5.

**Pop 2010:** 160,099. **State rank:** 396. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 150,181 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 24.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 4.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,172; median household $44,468; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,234 - $34,325.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Aiken 🏛 (29,524); North Augusta (21,348); Oak Grove (10,291).

**ALLENDALE COUNTY**
526 Memorial Ave PO Box 190 **Ph:** 803-584-3438
Allendale, SC 29810 **Fax:** 803-584-7042
www.allendalecounty.com

On southwestern border of SC, south of Augusta, GA; organized Feb 6, 1919 from Barnwell and Hampton counties. **Name Origin:** For the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 412.47 (land 408.09; water 4.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,419. **State rank:** 2414. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,917 (White 23.7%; Black or African American 73.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,190; median household $20,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 42.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,684 - $25,907.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.2%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ANDERSON COUNTY**
101 S Main St PO Box 8002 **Ph:** 864-260-4000
Anderson, SC 29622 **Fax:** 864-260-4106
www.andersoncountysc.org

On the northwestern border of SC, southwest of Greenville; organized Dec 20, 1826 from Old Pendleton District, which was abolished at that time. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Robert Anderson (?-1813), a SC officer in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 754.86 (land 715.43; water 39.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 261.6.

**Pop 2010:** 187,126. **State rank:** 332. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 175,514 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 16.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%.

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## Anderson County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,117; median household $42,871; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,603 - $29,916.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Anderson 🏛 (26,686); Five Forks (14,140).

### BAMBERG COUNTY

2340 Main Hwy
Bamberg, SC 29003
bambergsc.com

**Ph:** 803-245-5128
**Fax:** 803-245-5156

In south-central SC, south of Columbia; organized Feb 25, 1897 from Barnwell County. **Name Origin:** For the Bamberg family, original settlers of the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 395.59 (land 393.37; water 2.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.6.

**Pop 2010:** 15,987. **State rank:** 2095. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,880 (White 36.1%; Black or African American 61.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,236; median household $32,538; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,894 - $26,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BARNWELL COUNTY

PO Box 723
Barnwell, SC 29812
www.barnwellcountysc.com

**Ph:** 803-541-1020
**Fax:** 803-541-1025

On the central western border of SC, south of Augusta, GA; organized as Winston District in 1798 from Orangeburg District. **Name Origin:** For John (1748-99) and Robert (1761-1814) Barnwell, legislators.

**Area (sq mi):** 557.23 (land 548.39; water 8.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,621. **State rank:** 1688. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 23,345 (White 52.6%; Black or African American 44.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,592; median household $33,816; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,779 - $25,430.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BEAUFORT COUNTY

102 Ribaut Rd
Beaufort, SC 29902
www.co.beaufort.sc.us

**Ph:** 843-255-5050
**Fax:** 843-470-5248

On southern border of SC, southwest of Charleston; original county; organized 1769 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the town.

**Area (sq mi):** 912.31 (land 576.28; water 336.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 281.5.

**Pop 2010:** 162,233. **State rank:** 399. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.7%; 2000-2005 +14.0%. **Pop 2005:** 137,849 (White 71.9%; Black or African American 19.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.1%; Asian 1.2%; Others 12.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,731; median household $55,286; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,123 - $42,430.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hilton Head Island (37,099); Bluffton (12,530); Beaufort 🏛 (12,361); Port Royal (10,678).

### BERKELEY COUNTY

300-B California Ave PO Box 219
Moncks Corner, SC 29461
www.berkeleycountysc.gov

**Ph:** 843-719-4403
**Fax:** 843-719-4511

On southeastern border of SC, north of Charleston; organized Jan 31, 1882 from Charleston County. **Name Origin:** For John Berkeley (1607-78), one of eight original lords proprietor of Carolina, and for his brother Sir William Berkeley (1610-77), governor of VA (1642-49; 1660-77).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,229.21 (land 1,098.86; water 130.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 161.8.

**Pop 2010:** 177,843. **State rank:** 352. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.3%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 151,673 (White 66.5%; Black or African American 25.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 2.3%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,865; median household $50,777; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,916 - $31,870.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Goose Creek (35,938); Hanahan (17,997); Ladson (13,790).

### CALHOUN COUNTY

102 Courthouse Dr Suite 108 Courthouse Annex
Saint Matthews, SC 29135
www.calhouncounty.sc.gov/Pages/default.aspx

**Ph:** 803-874-2435
**Fax:** 803-874-1242

In central SC, south of Columbia; organized Feb 14, 1908 from Lexington and Orangeburg counties. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.26 (land 381.15; water 12.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,175. **State rank:** 2118. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,100 (White 53.9%; Black or African American 42.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,845; median household $36,790; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,235 - $33,279.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oak Grove (10,291).

**CHARLESTON COUNTY**
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Charleston, SC 29405
www.charlestoncounty.org
**Ph:** 843-958-4030
**Fax:** 843-958-4035

On the southeastern border of SC; original district; organized Mar 12, 1785 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Charles II (1630-85), king of Great Britian, with whose help the American colonies grew vigorously.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,355.70 (land 916.09; water 439.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 382.3.

**Pop 2010:** 350,209. **State rank:** 183. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 330,368 (White 64.2%; Black or African American 29.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 5.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,401; median household $48,433; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,454 - $40,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Charleston 🏛 (120,083); North Charleston (97,471); Mount Pleasant (67,843).

**CHEROKEE COUNTY**
210 N Limestone St
Gaffney, SC 29340
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**Fax:** 864-487-2594

On the central northern border of SC, east of Spartanburg; organized Feb 25, 1897 from Union, Spartanburg, and York counties. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* 'people of a different speech.'

**Area (sq mi):** 397.25 (land 392.66; water 4.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 140.9.

**Pop 2010:** 55,342. **State rank:** 904. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 53,844 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 20.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,862; median household $34,132; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,572 - $26,532.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gaffney 🏛 (12,414).

**CHESTER COUNTY**
1476 JA Cochran Bypass PO Box 580
Chester, SC 29706
www.chestercounty.org
**Ph:** 803-385-5133
**Fax:** 803-581-7975

In north-central SC, south of Rock Hill; organized Mar 12, 1785 from Camden District. **Name Origin:** For Chester, PA.

**Area (sq mi):** 586.30 (land 580.66; water 5.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.1.

**Pop 2010:** 33,140. **State rank:** 1365. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 33,228 (White 59.8%; Black or African American 37.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,687; median household $32,743; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,745 - $27,299.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHESTERFIELD COUNTY**
200 W Main St PO Box 529
Chesterfield, SC 29709
www.chesterfieldcountysc.com
**Ph:** 843-623-2574
**Fax:** 843-623-6944

On northeastern border of SC, northwest of Florence; organized 1798 from Cheraws District. **Name Origin:** For Philip Dormer Stanhope (1694-1773), 4th Earl of Chesterfield, English statesman and writer.

**Area (sq mi):** 806.26 (land 799.08; water 7.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.5.

**Pop 2010:** 46,734. **State rank:** 1091. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 43,435 (White 62.8%; Black or African American 32.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.6%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,162; median household $32,979; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,331 - $24,002.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLARENDON COUNTY**
3 W Key St
Manning, SC 29102
www.clarendoncounty.com
**Ph:** 803-435-8424
**Fax:** 803-435-8258

In central SC, south of Sumter; organized 1855 from Sumter District. **Name Origin:** For Edward Hyde (1661-1724), 3rd Earl of Clarendon, colonial governor of NY and NJ (1702-08).

**Area (sq mi):** 695.40 (land 606.94; water 88.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.6.

**Pop 2010:** 34,971. **State rank:** 1341. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 33,363 (White 47.0%; Black or African American 50.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,562; median household $33,066; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,128 - $24,486.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**COLLETON COUNTY**
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Walterboro, SC 29488
www.colletoncounty.org/default.aspx?pageID=1
**Ph:** 843-549-5221
**Fax:** 843-549-7215

In south-central SC, west of Charleston; organized 1798 from part of the Province of Carolina. **Name Origin:** For Sir John Colleton, an original lord proprietor.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,133.35 (land 1,056.49; water 76.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 38,892. **State rank:** 1185. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 39,605 (White 57.0%; Black or African American 39.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,842; median household $33,263; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,891 - $28,375.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DARLINGTON COUNTY**
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Darlington, SC 29532
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**Fax:** 843-393-6871

In northeastern SC, north of Florence; established Mar 12, 1785 from Cheraws District. **Name Origin:** Traditionally for Darlington, Durham, England, but possibly for a Col. Darlington of the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 566.78 (land 561.15; water 5.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 122.4.

**Pop 2010:** 68,681. **State rank:** 780. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 67,346 (White 55.9%; Black or African American 41.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,096; median household $38,379; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,453 - $28,779.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DILLON COUNTY**
109 S 3rd Ave PO Box 449
Dillon, SC 29536
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**Ph:** 843-774-1400
**Fax:** 843-774-1443

On the northeastern border of PA, northeast of Florence; organized Feb 5, 1910 from Marion County. **Name Origin:** For the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 406.57 (land 404.87; water 1.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.2.

**Pop 2010:** 32,062. **State rank:** 1404. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 30,974 (White 48.0%; Black or African American 46.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 2.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,684; median household $26,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,363 - $23,589.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Five Forks (14,140); Oak Grove (10,291).

**DORCHESTER COUNTY**
201 Johnston St
Saint George, SC 29477
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In south-central SC, northwest of Charleston; organized Feb 25, 1897 from Colleton and Berkeley counties. **Name Origin:** For the town in SC, named for Dorchester, MA, former home of the town founders.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.19 (land 573.23; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 238.2.

**Pop 2010:** 136,555. **State rank:** 464. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.0%; 2000-2005 +17.1%. **Pop 2005:** 112,858 (White 67.8%; Black or African American 25.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,497; median household $55,034; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,349 - $31,545.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Summerville (43,392).

**EDGEFIELD COUNTY**
129 Courthouse Sq P.O. Box 34
Edgefield, SC 29824
www.edgefieldcounty.sc.gov
**Ph:** 803-637-4080
**Fax:** 803-637-4007

On the central western border of SC, north of Augusta, GA; established Mar 12, 1785 from Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** Said to be so named because the old district of Edgefield was bordered by the Savannah River and by Indian lands, and thus was the edge of SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 505.05 (land 500.41; water 4.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.9.

**Pop 2010:** 26,985. **State rank:** 1560. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 25,528 (White 58.6%; Black or African American 37.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,901; median household $42,834; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,418 - $32,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FAIRFIELD COUNTY**
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Winnsboro, SC 29180
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In north-central SC, north of Columbia; established Mar 12, 1785 from Camden District. **Name Origin:** From Lord Cornwallis' (1738-1805) exclamation when his army first camped there, 'What fair fields!'

**Area (sq mi):** 709.62 (land 686.28; water 23.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,956. **State rank:** 1654. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,047 (White 38.6%; Black or African American 59.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Fairfield County (cont'd)

including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,877; median household $32,022; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,832 - $26,602.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rock Hill (66,154).

### FLORENCE COUNTY

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Florence, SC 29501
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**Fax:** 843-665-3097

In east-central SC, east of Sumter; organized Dec 22, 1888 from Marion, Darlington, Williamsburg, and Clarendon counties. **Name Origin:** For Florence Harllee, daughter of Gen. William Harllee, first president of the Wilmington and Manchester Railroad Co.

**Area (sq mi):** 803.86 (land 799.96; water 3.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 171.1.

**Pop 2010:** 136,885. **State rank:** 451. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 131,097 (White 54.9%; Black or African American 41.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,932; median household $40,487; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,583 - $33,685.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Florence 🏛 (37,056); Oak Grove (10,291).

### GEORGETOWN COUNTY

129 Screven St PO Box 421270
Georgetown, SC 29442
www.georgetowncountysc.org

**Ph:** 843-545-3063
**Fax:** 843-545-3292

On the central eastern border of SC, northeast of Charleston; original district; organized 1768 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,033.71 (land 813.55; water 220.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.9.

**Pop 2010:** 60,158. **State rank:** 841. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 60,983 (White 63.2%; Black or African American 33.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 45.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,942; median household $42,666; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,901 - $37,340.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Red Hill (13,223); Oak Grove (10,291).

### GREENVILLE COUNTY

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Greenville, SC 29601
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**Fax:** 864-467-8540

On the northwestern border of SC, west of Spartanburg; organized Mar 22, 1786 from Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** Either for Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), Revolutionary War hero, or for Isaac Green (1762-1831), pioneer and owner of the mill around which the town of Greenville grew.

**Area (sq mi):** 790 (land 785.12; water 4.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 574.7.

**Pop 2010:** 451,225. **State rank:** 144. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 407,383 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 18.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 2.0%; Others 8.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,931; median household $46,830; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,883 - $36,426.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 44 for cities).

### GREENWOOD COUNTY

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Greenwood, SC 29646
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**Fax:** 864-942-8566

In west-central SC, south of Spartanburg; organized June 3, 1897 from Abbeville and Edgefield counties. **Name Origin:** For the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 462.15 (land 454.73; water 7.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.2.

**Pop 2010:** 69,661. **State rank:** 758. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 67,979 (White 62.9%; Black or African American 31.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 5.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,728; median household $38,797; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,337 - $29,658.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenwood 🏛 (23,222).

### HAMPTON COUNTY

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Hampton, SC 29924
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**Fax:** 803-943-7502

On the southwestern border of SC, west of Charleston; organized Feb 18, 1875 from Old Beaufort County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Wade Hampton (1818-1902), SC governor (1876-79), U.S. senator (1858-62; 1878-91), and U.S. railroad commissioner.

**Area (sq mi):** 562.75 (land 559.90; water 2.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 21,090. **State rank:** 1762. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 21,329 (White 42.7%; Black or African American 53.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,262; median household $34,846; **Pop**

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## Hampton County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,312 - $27,208.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HORRY COUNTY

1301 2nd Ave PO Box 677
Conway, SC 29528
www.horrycounty.org

**Ph:** 843-915-5080
**Fax:** 843-915-6081

On the central eastern border of SC, southeast of Florence; organized Dec 19, 1801 from All Saints Parish. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Peter Horry (1743-1815), officer in the Revolutionary War and prominent citizen. Referred to by inhabitants as The Independent Republic of Horry.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,255.18 (land 1,133.90; water 121.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 237.5.

**Pop 2010:** 269,291. **State rank:** 244. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.6%; 2000-2005 +15.4%. **Pop 2005:** 226,992 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 13.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 6.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,811; median household $43,142; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,888 - $28,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Myrtle Beach (27,109); Socastee (19,952); Conway (17,103); North Myrtle Beach (13,752); Red Hill (13,223).

### JASPER COUNTY

265 Russell St PO Box 248
Ridgeland, SC 29936
www.jaspersc.org

**Ph:** 843-726-7710
**Fax:** 843-726-7782

On the southwestern border of SC, west of Beaufort; organized Jan 30, 1912 from Beaufort and Hampton counties. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), American Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 698.99 (land 655.32; water 43.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.8.

**Pop 2010:** 24,777. **State rank:** 1660. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.8%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 21,398 (White 43.0%; Black or African American 46.0%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 15.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,997; median household $37,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,081 - $26,282.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KERSHAW COUNTY

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Camden, SC 29020
www.kershawcountysc.org

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**Fax:** 803-425-6044

In north-central SC, northeast of Columbia; organized 1798 from old Craven County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Joseph Kershaw, SC army officer during the Revolutionary War and SC legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 740.56 (land 726.56; water 14). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.9.

**Pop 2010:** 61,697. **State rank:** 851. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 56,486 (White 71.3%; Black or African American 24.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,777; median household $44,064; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,940 - $32,667.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LANCASTER COUNTY

101 N. Main St
Lancaster, SC 29721
www.lancastercountysc.net

**Ph:** 803-285-1565
**Fax:** 803-416-9388

On the central border of SC, northeast of Columbia; established Mar 12, 1785 from Camden District. **Name Origin:** For Lancaster, PA, home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 555.46 (land 549.16; water 6.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 139.6.

**Pop 2010:** 76,652. **State rank:** 696. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.5%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 63,113 (White 71.5%; Black or African American 23.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,308; median household $38,959; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,797 - $25,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAURENS COUNTY

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Laurens, SC 29360
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**Ph:** 864-984-3538
**Fax:** 864-984-3726

In west-central SC, south of Spartanburg; established Mar 12, 1785 from Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** For Henry Laurens (1724-92), president of the Continental Congress (1777-78).

**Area (sq mi):** 722.67 (land 713.80; water 8.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.2.

**Pop 2010:** 66,537. **State rank:** 754. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 70,293 (White 70.4%; Black or African American 25.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,757; median household $37,529; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,030 - $28,524.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
PO Box 481
Bishopville, SC 29010
**Ph:** 803-484-5341
**Fax:** 803-484-4373

In north-central SC, north of Sumter; organized Feb 25, 1902 from Darlington, Sumter, and Kershaw counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 411.18 (land 410.18; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,220. **State rank:** 1833. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 20,638 (White 33.4%; Black or African American 64.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,924; median household $23,378; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,112 - $25,709.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Red Hill (13,223).

**LEXINGTON COUNTY**
205 E Main St, Suite 464
Lexington, SC 29072
www.co.lexington.sc.us
**Ph:** 803-785-2140
**Fax:** 803-785-2198

In west-central SC, west of Columbia; organized Mar 12, 1785 from Orangeburg District. **Name Origin:** For the Battle of Lexington, the first conflict in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 757.54 (land 698.91; water 58.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 375.4.

**Pop 2010:** 262,391. **State rank:** 251. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 235,272 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 14.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 1.4%; Others 5.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,393; median household $52,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,624 - $34,456.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 44 for cities).

**MARION COUNTY**
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Marion, SC 29571
www.co.marion.sc.us
**Ph:** 843-423-3904
**Fax:** 843-423-8306

In east-central SC, east of Florence; organized as Liberty County in 1798; name changed 1800. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 494.26 (land 489.23; water 5.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.6.

**Pop 2010:** 33,062. **State rank:** 1326. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,904 (White 40.6%; Black or African American 55.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,653; median household $30,629; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,543 - $26,145.

**Unemployment 2010:** 20.7%. **Change from 2007:** +9.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARLBORO COUNTY**
PO Box 419
Bennettsville, SC 29512
www.marlborocounty.sc.gov
**Ph:** 843-479-5600
**Fax:** 843-479-5639

On northeastern border of SC, north of Florence; organized 1798 from Cheraws District. **Name Origin:** For John Churchill (1650-1722), Duke of Marlborough.

**Area (sq mi):** 485.24 (land 479.67; water 5.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.3.

**Pop 2010:** 28,933. **State rank:** 1462. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 28,021 (White 41.4%; Black or African American 50.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.8%, including 4.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,817; median household $27,688; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,627 - $23,464.

**Unemployment 2010:** 19.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Five Forks (14,140).

**MCCORMICK COUNTY**
610 South Mine St
McCormick, SC 29835
mccormickcountysc.org
**Ph:** 864-852-2231
**Fax:** 864-852-2783

On the central western border of SC, northwest of Augusta, GA; established Feb 19, 1916 from Edgefield, Greenwood, and Abbeville counties. **Name Origin:** For Cyrus Hall McCormick (1809-84), inventor of farm implements and local landowner.

**Area (sq mi):** 393.42 (land 359.13; water 34.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,233. **State rank:** 2417. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,108 (White 48.7%; Black or African American 49.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 50.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,411; median household $35,858; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,516 - $26,404.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NEWBERRY COUNTY**
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Newberry, SC 29108
www.newberrycounty.net
**Ph:** 803-321-2110
**Fax:** 803-321-2111

In north-central SC, northwest of Columbia; organized 1789 from

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## Newberry County (cont'd)

Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** Origin is uncertain, but believed to be for Capt. John Newberry of Gen. Thomas Sumter's (1734-1832) Revolutionary War troops.

**Area (sq mi):** 646.55 (land 630.04; water 16.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 59.5.

**Pop 2010:** 37,508. **State rank:** 1197. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 37,250 (White 62.1%; Black or African American 31.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,410; median household $41,815; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,875 - $29,116.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Newberry (10,277).

### OCONEE COUNTY

415 S Pine St
Walhalla, SC 29691
www.oconeesc.com

**Ph:** 864-638-4242
**Fax:** 864-638-4241

On the northwestern border of SC, west of Greenville; organized Jan 29, 1868 from Pickens County. **Name Origin:** For an Indian word of uncertain meaning. Possibly refers to the mythical Cherokee snake dragon, or to mean water eyes of the hills or beautiful springs.

**Area (sq mi):** 674.50 (land 626.33; water 48.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 118.6.

**Pop 2010:** 74,273. **State rank:** 742. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 69,577 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 7.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,055; median household $42,266; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,643 - $31,527.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ORANGEBURG COUNTY

PO Box 9000
Orangeburg, SC 29116
www.orangeburgcounty.org

**Ph:** 803-533-6243
**Fax:** 803-534-3848

In south-central SC, south of Columbia; original district; organized 1768 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Prince William IV of Orange (1738-1820), who later became King George III of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,128.03 (land 1,106.10; water 21.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.6.

**Pop 2010:** 92,501. **State rank:** 625. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 92,167 (White 34.3%; Black or African American 62.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,579; median household $32,849; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,760 - $28,307.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Orangeburg (13,964).

### PICKENS COUNTY

PO Box 215
Pickens, SC 29671-1021
www.co.pickens.sc.us

**Ph:** 864-898-5866
**Fax:** 864-898-5863

On the northeastern border of SC, west of Greenville; organized Dec 20, 1826 from Pendleton District, which was abolished at that time. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Andrew Pickens (1739-1817), Revolutionary War hero and U.S. representative from SC (1793-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 511.37 (land 496.41; water 14.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 240.2.

**Pop 2010:** 119,224. **State rank:** 502. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 113,575 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,647; median household $41,898; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,944 - $27,385.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Easley (19,993); Five Forks (14,140); Clemson (13,905).

### RICHLAND COUNTY

2020 Hampton St PO Box 192
Columbia, SC 29204
www.richlandonline.com

**Ph:** 803-576-2050
**Fax:** 803-576-2137

In north-central SC, west of Sumter; established Mar 12, 1785. **Name Origin:** For the fertile farmland along its rivers.

**Area (sq mi):** 772.37 (land 757.07; water 15.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 507.9.

**Pop 2010:** 384,504. **State rank:** 175. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.1%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 340,078 (White 47.3%; Black or African American 45.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 4.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 32.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,805; median household $47,922; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,960 - $35,266.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbia (129,272); Dentsville (14,062); Forest Acres (10,361).

### SALUDA COUNTY

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Saluda, SC 29138
www.saludacounty.sc.gov

**Ph:** 864-445-4500
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In west-central SC, west of Columbia; organized 1895 from Edgefield County. **Name Origin:** For the Saluda River, which forms its northern border, itself named perhaps from Cherokee *selu* 'corn,' for the corn-growing area, with ending *tah* 'river': 'corn river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 462.08 (land 452.78; water 9.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,875. **State rank:** 1855. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,895 (White 61.1%; Black or African American 26.3%; Hispanic or Latino 14.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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14.4%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,717; median household $40,508; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,160 - $32,929.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SPARTANBURG COUNTY

180 Magnolia St
Spartanburg, SC 29306
www.spartanburgcounty.org

**Ph:** 864-596-2591
**Fax:** 864-596-2239

On the central northern border of SC, east of Greenville; established Mar 12, 1785 from Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** For the Spartan Regiment of SC militia, which distinguished itself in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 816.15 (land 807.93; water 8.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 351.9.

**Pop 2010:** 284,307. **State rank:** 222. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.6%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 266,809 (White 72.3%; Black or African American 20.6%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 2.0%; Others 5.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.7%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,924; median household $42,680; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,361 - $30,939.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spartanburg 🏛 (37,013).

### SUMTER COUNTY

141 N Main St 2nd Fl, Rm 202
Sumter, SC 29150
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**Ph:** 803-436-2227
**Fax:** 803-436-2223

In east-central SC, east of Columbia; organized 1798 from Camden District. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Sumter (1734-1832), American Revolutionary officer nicknamed the 'Gamecock of the Revolution,' U.S. representative from GA (1789-93; 1797-1801), and U.S. senator (1801-10).

**Area (sq mi):** 681.70 (land 665.07; water 16.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 161.6.

**Pop 2010:** 107,456. **State rank:** 553. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 105,517 (White 48.2%; Black or African American 46.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,944; median household $39,137; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,918 - $29,212.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sumter 🏛 (40,524).

### UNION COUNTY

210 W Main St PO Box 703
Union, SC 29379
www.countyofunion.org

**Ph:** 864-429-1630
**Fax:** 864-429-1715

In north-central SC, southeast of Spartanburg; organized 1798 from Ninety Six District. **Name Origin:** For the old Union Church, erected in 1765 for use by many different denominations.

**Area (sq mi):** 515.97 (land 514.17; water 1.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.3.

**Pop 2010:** 28,961. **State rank:** 1507. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,539 (White 66.6%; Black or African American 31.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,495; median household $33,470; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,567 - $25,947.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.6%. **Change from 2007:** +9.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY

147 W Main St
Kingstree, SC 29556
www.williamsburgcounty.sc.gov

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**Fax:** 843-355-2106

In east-central SC, north of Charleston; organized 1804 from Georgetown District. **Name Origin:** For William III (1650-1702), king of England with Queen Mary (1689-1702).

**Area (sq mi):** 937.18 (land 934.16; water 3.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 34,423. **State rank:** 1303. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 35,395 (White 31.8%; Black or African American 65.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,513; median household $24,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,524 - $25,474.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### YORK COUNTY

300 W Liberty St PO Box 649
York, SC 29745
www.yorkcountygov.com

**Ph:** 803-684-8507
**Fax:** 803-684-8575

On central northern border of SC, north of Columbia; organized 1798 from Camden District. **Name Origin:** For York, PA, former home of many early settlers. Formerly called *New Acquisition*.

**Area (sq mi):** 693.87 (land 680.60; water 13.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 332.2.

**Pop 2010:** 226,073. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.9%; 2000-2005 +15.5%. **Pop 2005:** 190,097 (White 74.8%; Black or African American 19.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,707; median household $51,925; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,659 - $32,906.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +10.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rock Hill (66,154); Fort Mill (10,811).

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# South Dakota

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Marshall

Sisseton

Roberts

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Webster

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Timber Lake

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Faulkton

Spink

Redfield

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Watertown

Dupree

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Hughes

De Smet

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Haakon

Rapid City

Pennington

Philip

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Kennebec

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**Area (sq mi):** 77,116.49 (land 75,884.64; water 1,231.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.7.

**Pop 2010:** 814,180. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 775,933 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.7%, including 8.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,865; median household $46,369; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.70%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,993 - $39,519.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

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**AURORA COUNTY**
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In south-central SD, west of Sioux Falls; created Feb 22, 1879 and organized 1882 (prior to statehood) from land that had been parts of Hanson County (what was later Davison, Jerauld and Cragin counties). **Name Origin:** For the Roman goddess of dawn.

**Area (sq mi):** 712.78 (land 708.43; water 4.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 2,710. **State rank:** 2978. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,901 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,291; median household $45,230; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,387 - $45,276.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEADLE COUNTY**
4530 3rd Stret SW PO Box 1358
Huron, SD 57350
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**Ph:** 605-353-7165
**Fax:** 605-353-0118

In east-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; created Feb 22, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Spink and Clark counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Henry Harrison Beadle (1838-1915), officer in the Civil War, surveyor general of the Dakota Territory (1869-73), and educator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,264.84 (land 1,258.71; water 6.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,398. **State rank:** 2013. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,896 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 3.6%; Others 7.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,409; median household $40,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,090 - $44,512.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Huron 🏛 (12,592).

**BENNETT COUNTY**
PO Box 281
Martin, SD 57551
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**Fax:** 605-685-1075

On the central southern border of SD, southeast of Rapid City; created Mar 9, 1909 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For either John E. Bennett, SD supreme court judge, or jointly for John E. Bennett and Granville G. Bennett, IL legislator and federally appointed judge in Dakota Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,190.01 (land 1,184.71; water 5.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,431. **State rank:** 2941. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,585 (White 33.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 28.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,153; median household $32,841; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,316 - $27,641.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BON HOMME COUNTY**
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Tyndall, SD 57066
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On the southeastern border of SD, west of Sioux Falls; original county; organized Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For a village, which was named for a nearby large island in the Missouri River; mentioned in Lewis and Clark's journals. French 'good man,' name used by fourteenth-century French aristocracy for peasants.

**Area (sq mi):** 581.68 (land 563.70; water 17.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.5.

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## Bon Homme County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 7,070. **State rank:** 2670. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,087 (White 89.8%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 7.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,074; median household $41,107; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,271 - $33,855.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROOKINGS COUNTY**
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On the central eastern border of SD, north of Sioux Falls; created Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Wilmot W. Brookings (1833-85), prominent legislator and associate justice on the Dakota Territory supreme court (1869-73). He promoted the Southern Dakota Railway, and Judge Brookings was the name of the first locomotive to enter what is now SD.

**Area (sq mi):** 802.51 (land 792.21; water 10.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.3.

**Pop 2010:** 31,965. **State rank:** 1423. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.7%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,121 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 2.7%; Others 2.0%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 26.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,995; median household $45,134; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,337 - $36,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brookings (22,056).

**BROWN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-626-4010

On the northeastern border of SD; created Feb 22, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Beadle County. **Name Origin:** For Alfred Brown (1836-?), member of the Dakota Territory legislature instrumental in consolidating the then existing counties, which earned him the nickname Consolidation Brown.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,731.12 (land 1,712.98; water 18.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.3.

**Pop 2010:** 36,531. **State rank:** 1289. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 34,706 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,878; median household $45,615; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,092 - $44,397.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Aberdeen (26,091).

**BRULE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-734-4582

In south-central SD, west of Sioux Falls; created Jan 14, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For the Brule tribe of Sioux Indians. French 'burned,' partial transliteration of *sicangu* 'burned thighs,' a name derisively given to a group of Sioux who tried to raid the Pawnees, who set the plains on fire. Many of the unsuccessful raiders were badly burned but escaped.

**Area (sq mi):** 844.78 (land 817.24; water 27.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,255. **State rank:** 2802. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 5,187 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 8.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,779; median household $48,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,091 - $39,580.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUFFALO COUNTY**
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Gann Valley, SD 57341
**Ph:** 605-293-3234
**Fax:** 605-293-3240

In south-central SD, southeast of Pierre; organized 1864 (prior to statehood) from territorial country. **Name Origin:** For the once-plentiful herds of buffalo.

**Area (sq mi):** 488.21 (land 471.38; water 16.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,912. **State rank:** 3039. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.0%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 2,100 (White 14.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian Z%; Others 1.8%, including 84.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 25.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,410; median household $27,926; **Pop below poverty level:** 49.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,132 - $24,567.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BUTTE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-892-2836

On the central western border of SD; organized Mar 2, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Harding County. **Name Origin:** For nearby buttes (flat-topped mounds or mountains).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,267.74 (land 2,249.90; water 17.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,110. **State rank:** 2460. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,326 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Butte County (cont'd)

**born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,418; median household $39,041; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,402 - $27,869.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CAMPBELL COUNTY

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On the central northern border of SD, northwest of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Norman B. Campbell, Dakota Territory legislator (1872-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 769.22 (land 733.68; water 35.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,466. **State rank:** 3091. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 -12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,565 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,338; median household $42,833; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,121 - $41,339.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHARLES MIX COUNTY

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Lake Andes, SD 57356
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On the southeastern border of SD, southwest of Sioux Falls; original county; created May 8, 1862 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For either Charles E. Mix, a commissioner of Indian affairs, or Charles H. Mix, a scout during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,150.10 (land 1,097.49; water 52.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,129. **State rank:** 2511. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 -1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,194 (White 65.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 31.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,403; median household $35,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,204 - $35,621.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLARK COUNTY

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In east-central SD, southeast of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson County. **Name Origin:** For Newton Clark, pioneer schoolteacher and Dakota territorial legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 967.47 (land 957.60; water 9.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,691. **State rank:** 2935. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,799 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,909; median household $43,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,727 - $33,565.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAY COUNTY

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Vermillion, SD 57069
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**Fax:** 605-677-7104

In southeastern SD, south of Sioux Falls; original county; organized Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the 'Great Pacificator' for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 417.29 (land 412.19; water 5.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,864. **State rank:** 2201. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,995 (White 91.1%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.0%, including 3.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 25.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,518; median household $37,198; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,536 - $41,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vermillion (10,571).

### CODINGTON COUNTY

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In east-central SD, southeast of Aberdeen; organized Aug 7, 1878 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For the Rev. G.S.S. Codington, clergyman and Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 717.91 (land 688.50; water 29.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.5.

**Pop 2010:** 27,227. **State rank:** 1544. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,010 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,781; median household $43,275; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,679 - $37,521.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Watertown 🏛 (21,482).

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**CORSON COUNTY**
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On the central northern border of SD; organized Mar 2, 1909 from Dewey County. **Name Origin:** For Dighton Corson (1827-1915), WI legislator, a framer of the SD constitution, and SD Supreme Court Justice (1889-1913).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,526.17 (land 2,469.69; water 56.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,050. **State rank:** 2888. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.2%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,366 (White 29.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.6%, including 67.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,359; median household $30,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 35.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,079 - $29,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUSTER COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of SD, south of Rapid City; created Jan 11, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Armstrong Custer (1839-76), U.S. soldier and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,558.45 (land 1,557; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,216. **State rank:** 2594. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,904 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 2.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 50.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,353; median household $46,743; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,352 - $34,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAVISON COUNTY**
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Mitchell, SD 57301
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**Fax:** 605-995-8648

In southeastern SD, west of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson County. **Name Origin:** For Henry C. Davison, prominent merchant and homesteader.

**Area (sq mi):** 436.90 (land 435.56; water 1.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.8.

**Pop 2010:** 19,504. **State rank:** 1865. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,777 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,794; median household $41,867; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,570 - $41,065.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mitchell (15,254).

**DAY COUNTY**
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In northeastern SD, east of Aberdeen; created Feb 22, 1879 (prior to statehood) from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For Merritt H. Day (1844-1900), Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,090.50 (land 1,027.87; water 62.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,710. **State rank:** 2790. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.8%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,757 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 9.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 47.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,542; median household $36,818; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,522 - $37,305.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DEUEL COUNTY**
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On central eastern border of SD, north of Sioux Falls; created Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from Brookings County. **Name Origin:** For Jacob S. Deuel (1830-?), sawmill owner and a member of the first Territorial legislature (1862-63).

**Area (sq mi):** 635.86 (land 622.69; water 13.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.

**Pop 2010:** 4,364. **State rank:** 2880. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,296 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 43.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,276; median household $47,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,955 - $39,694.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DEWEY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-865-3691

In north-central SD, north of Pierre; created as Rusk County in 1883 (prior to statehood); organized 1909 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt Dewey (?-1900), surveyor general of the Dakota Territory (1873-77).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Dewey County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 2,445.52 (land 2,302.49; water 143.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,301. **State rank:** 2762. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -14.0%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,161 (White 21.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 74.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,632; median household $33,255; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,228 - $34,986.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DOUGLAS COUNTY

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Armour, SD 57313 **Fax:** 605-724-2508
www.sdjudicial.com/cc/FirstCircuit/Douglas.aspx

In south-central SD, southwest of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Charles Mix County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.40 (land 431.80; water 0.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,002. **State rank:** 2970. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.3%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 3,309 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 1.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,200; median household $42,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,673 - $47,354.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EDMUNDS COUNTY

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Ipswich, SD 57451 **Fax:** 605-426-6323

In north-central SD, west of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Newton Edmunds (1819-1908), governor of Dakota Territory (1863-66).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,131.54 (land 1,125.96; water 5.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,071. **State rank:** 2902. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 4,112 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,268; median household $47,026; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,530 - $43,602.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FALL RIVER COUNTY

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Hot Springs, SD 57747 **Fax:** 605-745-6835
www.fallriver.sdcounties.org

On the southwestern border of SD, south of Rapid City; organized Mar 6, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Custer County. Seat of government for Shannon County. **Name Origin:** For the Fall River, which flows through the county. Literal translation of the Indian name.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,749.20 (land 1,739.92; water 9.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,094. **State rank:** 2645. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,355 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 7.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,574; median household $35,833; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,752 - $34,269.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FAULK COUNTY

PO Box 309 **Ph:** 605-598-6224
Faulkton, SD 57438

In north-central SD, southwest of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County and unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson Faulk (1814-98), a governor of Dakota Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 987.30 (land 981.75; water 5.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,364. **State rank:** 3026. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,386 (White 98.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian Z%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,898; median household $38,203; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,694 - $37,848.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRANT COUNTY

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On the northeastern border of SD, northeast of Watertown; organized Jun 12, 1878 (prior to statehood) from Codington and Deuel counties. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 686.86 (land 681.46; water 5.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.8.

**Pop 2010:** 7,356. **State rank:** 2663. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,384 (White 97.1%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,887; median household $42,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,760 - $43,179.

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**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREGORY COUNTY**
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Burke, SD 57523
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**Fax:** 605-775-2965

On the central southern border of SD, east of Winner; created May 8, 1862 (prior to statehood) from Yankton County. **Name Origin:** For John Shaw Gregory (1831-?), Indian agent and Dakota territorial legislator (1862-64).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,052.47 (land 1,014.96; water 37.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,271. **State rank:** 2894. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,290 (White 89.6%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 7.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,311; median household $33,940; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,294 - $38,082.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAAKON COUNTY**
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Philip, SD 57567
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In west-central SD, west of Pierre; created Nov, 1914 from Stanley County. **Name Origin:** For Haakon VII (1872-1957), king of Norway; the name was suggested by Hugh J. McMahon, an Irish immigrant who wished to gain the votes of the Norwegian immigrants in favor of the division of Stanley County into two new counties.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,824.79 (land 1,810.53; water 14.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,937. **State rank:** 3062. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 -12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,912 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 48.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,877; median household $46,281; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,522 - $49,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAMLIN COUNTY**
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In east-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Deuel County. **Name Origin:** For Hannibal Hamlin (1809-91), governor of ME (1857), U.S. senator from ME (1848-67; 1857-61; 1869-81), and vice president (1861-65) under Lincoln.

**Area (sq mi):** 538.33 (land 507.23; water 31.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,903. **State rank:** 2776. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 5,707 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,558; median household $44,439; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,538 - $34,818.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAND COUNTY**
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**Ph:** 605-853-3337
**Fax:** 605-853-3779

In east-central SD, southwest of Aberdeen; created 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For George H. Hand (1837-91), secretary of Dakota Territory (1874-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,440.24 (land 1,436.61; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,431. **State rank:** 2949. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 -11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,307 (White 98.4%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 48.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,238; median household $45,895; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,571 - $36,600.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.1%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HANSON COUNTY**
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In southeastern SD, west of Sioux Falls; organized Jan 13, 1871 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo and Deuel counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Joseph R. Hanson (1837-1917), Dakota Territory legislator and Indian affairs official.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.38 (land 434.51; water 0.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,331. **State rank:** 2929. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.1%; 2000-2005 +19.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,747 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,391; median household $46,556; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,359 - $51,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**HARDING COUNTY**
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On the northwest border of SD; organized Feb 26, 1909 from Butte County. **Name Origin:** For J.A. Harding, a Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,678.46 (land 2,671.38; water 7.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,255. **State rank:** 3102. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,218 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.6%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,004; median household $34,792; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,889 - $39,963.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HUGHES COUNTY**
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Pierre, SD 57501
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**Ph:** 605-773-3713

In central SD, east of Pierre; organized Nov 26, 1880 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hughes, Dakota Territory legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 800.93 (land 741.56; water 59.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.

**Pop 2010:** 17,022. **State rank:** 1964. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,875 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 10.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,236; median household $53,501; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,205 - $42,155.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.3%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pierre 🏛 (13,646).

**HUTCHINSON COUNTY**
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In southeastern SD, southwest of Sioux Falls; created May 8, 1862 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For John S. Hutchinson (1821-?), secretary of the Dakota Territory (1861-65), during which time he was frequently acting governor; member of the Hutchinson family singing and bell-ringing group, famous during the mid-1850's.

**Area (sq mi):** 814.45 (land 812.90; water 1.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,343. **State rank:** 2655. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,581 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,944; median household $39,310; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,646 - $44,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HYDE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-852-2767

In central SD, east of Pierre; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For James Hyde (1842-1902), Civil War prisoner of war at Andersonville and Dakota territorial legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 866.14 (land 860.52; water 5.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,420. **State rank:** 3086. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.0%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,614 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,995; median household $41,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,507 - $46,382.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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In south-central SD, southwest of Pierre; created Nov, 1914 from Stanley County. In 1976 annexed Washabaugh County, which was organized 1883 from Indian lands and continued as an Indian reservation. An original Jackson County, formed in 1883, gradually disappeared as parts of its territory joined other counties. **Name Origin:** For John R. Jackson, Dakota Territory legislator when the original Jackson county was formed in 1883. A claim has been made for Andrew Jackson, but seems to be unjustified.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,866.03 (land 1,863.91; water 2.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,031. **State rank:** 2993. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,858 (White 42.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian Z%; Others 1.3%, including 52.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 31.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,568; median household $36,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,874 - $24,633.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JERAULD COUNTY**
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In south-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Aurora County. **Name Origin:** For H.A. Jerauld, Dakota Territory legislator when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 528.95 (land 526.23; water 2.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,071. **State rank:** 3049. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,136 (White 97.0%; Black or African

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American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,942; median household $40,607; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,926 - $49,906.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JONES COUNTY

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Murdo, SD 57559 **Fax:** 605-669-2641

In south-central SD, south of Pierre; organized Jan 16, 1917 from Lyman County. **Name Origin:** For Jones County, IA, former home of some settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 970.82 (land 969.68; water 1.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,006. **State rank:** 3107. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,033 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.0%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 46.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,630; median household $49,464; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,441 - $40,664.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.6%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KINGSBURY COUNTY

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De Smet, SD 57231 **Fax:** 605-854-9080

In east-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington Kingsbury (1837-1925) and T.A. Kingsbury, brothers prominent in territorial affairs and members of several Territorial legislatures. George was a newspaper publisher and author of *History of Dakota Territory*.

**Area (sq mi):** 857.54 (land 832.24; water 25.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.2.

**Pop 2010:** 5,148. **State rank:** 2801. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,532 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,660; median household $44,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,660 - $44,433.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAKE COUNTY

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Madison, SD 57042 **Fax:** 605-256-5012
www.lakecountysd.com

In east-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; organized Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Brookings and Hanson counties. **Name Origin:** For the area's numerous lakes.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.11 (land 563.28; water 11.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,200. **State rank:** 2292. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,039 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,447; median household $45,606; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,104 - $43,904.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

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Deadwood, SD 57732 **Fax:** 605-578-1065
www.lawrence.sd.us

On the central western border of SD, northwest of Rapid City; created Jan 11, 1875 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For John Lawrence, Dakota Territory legislator and first treasurer of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 800.32 (land 800.04; water 0.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,097. **State rank:** 1646. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 22,395 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.5%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,465; median household $42,356; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,577 - $33,615.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spearfish (10,494).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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On the southeastern border of SD, south of Sioux Falls; created Dec 30, 1867 (prior to statehood) from Minnehaha County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 577.78 (land 577.28; water 0.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.7.

**Pop 2010:** 44,828. **State rank:** 1135. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +34.3%; 2000-2005 +38.3%. **Pop 2005:** 33,381 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,261; median household $67,365; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,461 - $49,870.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 71.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LYMAN COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-869-2203

In south-central SD, southeast of Pierre; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For W.P. Lyman, member of the Dakota territorial legislature and first settler in Yankton County.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,709.04 (land 1,641.94; water 67.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,755. **State rank:** 2906. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,919 (White 58.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 38.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,930; median household $36,323; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,042 - $39,883.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of SD, northeast of Aberdeen; organized Mar 10, 1885 (prior to statehood) from Day County. **Name Origin:** For Marshall Vincent of NY, an early homesteader and one of the first Marshall County commissioners.

**Area (sq mi):** 885.99 (land 838.07; water 47.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,656. **State rank:** 2885. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,418 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.8%, including 7.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,441; median household $41,023; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,821 - $35,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCCOOK COUNTY**
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In southeastern SD, west of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin S. McCook (1837-73), secretary of the Dakota Territory, killed in a political dispute.

**Area (sq mi):** 576.84 (land 574.20; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,618. **State rank:** 2784. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,930 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,502; median household $42,022; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,901 - $48,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCPHERSON COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-439-3394

On the central northern border of SD, northwest of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Birdseye McPherson (1828-64), commander of the Union Army of the Tennessee during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,151.55 (land 1,136.64; water 14.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,459. **State rank:** 3003. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,617 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 50.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,255; median household $31,923; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,048 - $35,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MEADE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-347-3526

In west-central SD, north of Rapid City; created Feb 7, 1889 from Lawrence County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Meade, named for Gen. George Gordon Meade (1815-72), officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War, Union commander who defeated Gen. Lee at Gettysburg.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,482.80 (land 3,470.98; water 11.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,434. **State rank:** 1626. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,623 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,045; median household $46,180; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,213 - $36,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MELLETTE COUNTY**
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White River, SD 57579-9025 **Fax:** 605-259-3030

In south-central SD, south of Pierre; organized May 25, 1911 from Tripp County. **Name Origin:** For Arthur C. Mellette (1842-96), first governor of SD (1889-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,310.57 (land 1,307.31; water 3.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,048. **State rank:** 3045. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,088 (White 39.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 54.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,971; median household $34,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,043 - $31,922.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MINER COUNTY**
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In east-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Nelson Miner (1827-79) and Ephraim Miner (1833-?), members of the Dakota Territory legislature when the county was formed.

**Area (sq mi):** 571.96 (land 570.31; water 1.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,389. **State rank:** 3009. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.5%; 2000-2005 -10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,584 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,450; median household $43,958; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,833 - $42,281.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MINNEHAHA COUNTY**
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Sioux Falls, SD 57104 **Fax:** 605-367-8314
www.minnehahacounty.org

On the southeastern border of SD; original county; organized Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from Big Sioux, a territorial county. **Name Origin:** Siouan, literally 'waterfall,' popularly 'laughing water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 811.16 (land 807.15; water 4.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 210.

**Pop 2010:** 169,468. **State rank:** 336. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 160,087 (White 88.1%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 1.5%; Others 4.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,392; median household $51,799; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,080 - $38,595.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sioux Falls (153,888).

**MOODY COUNTY**
101 E Pipestone Ave, Suite D **Ph:** 605-997-3161
Flandreau, SD 57028 **Fax:** 605-997-9996
www.moodycounty.net

On the central eastern border of SD, north of Sioux Falls; organized Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Brookings and Minnehaha counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Gideon Curtis Moody (1832-1906), officer in the Civil War, Dakota Territory legislator, and one of the first two U.S. senators from SD (1889-91).

**Area (sq mi):** 520.82 (land 519.39; water 1.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,486. **State rank:** 2721. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,637 (White 81.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 1.1%; Others 1.7%, including 14.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,948; median household $52,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,586 - $44,115.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PENNINGTON COUNTY**
315 Saint Joseph St Ste 156 **Ph:** 605-394-2171
Rapid City, SD 57701 **Fax:** 605-394-6833
www.co.pennington.sd.us

On the southwestern border of SD; created Jan 11, 1875 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For John L. Pennington, Dakota Territory governor (1874-78).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,784.71 (land 2,776.55; water 8.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.4.

**Pop 2010:** 100,948. **State rank:** 568. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.9%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 93,580 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 1.0%; Others 4.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,894; median household $46,849; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,162 - $38,989.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rapid City (67,956).

**PERKINS COUNTY**
100 E Main St PO Box 426 **Ph:** 605-244-5626
Bison, SD 57620 **Fax:** 605-244-7110

On the northwestern border of SD; organized Feb 26, 1909 from Harding and Butte counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry E.Perkins, state senator who helped pass the act that established the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,889.57 (land 2,870.48; water 19.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,982. **State rank:** 2977. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -10.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,023 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Perkins County (cont'd)

including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 48.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,780; median household $33,361; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,341 - $32,508.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.9%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### POTTER COUNTY

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Gettysburg, SD 57442

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**Fax:** 605-765-9670

In north-central SD, northeast of Pierre; created as Ashmore County Jan 14, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Buffalo County; name changed 1877. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Joel A. Potter, legislator and steward of the State Hospital for the Insane, Yankton. Originally named for Samuel Ashmore, legislator (1872-73).

**Area (sq mi):** 893.08 (land 861.14; water 31.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 2,329. **State rank:** 3042. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -12.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,351 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 50.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,986; median household $42,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,403 - $54,217.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.3%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROBERTS COUNTY

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Sisseton, SD 57262
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On the northeastern border of SD, east of Aberdeen; organized Mar 8, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Grant County. **Name Origin:** Most likely for S.G. Roberts, a publisher and a member of the Dakota territorial legislature when the county was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,135.12 (land 1,101.04; water 34.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.2.

**Pop 2010:** 10,149. **State rank:** 2435. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 10,044 (White 61.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 34.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,825; median household $37,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,414 - $34,488.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SANBORN COUNTY

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In south-central SD, northwest of Sioux Falls; organized Mar 9, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Miner County. **Name Origin:** For George W. Sanborn, a Milwaukee Railroad official.

**Area (sq mi):** 570.52 (land 569.32; water 1.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,355. **State rank:** 3007. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.3%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,541 (White 98.0%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,055; median household $44,732; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,997 - $45,653.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHANNON COUNTY

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On the southwestern border of SD, southeast of Rapid City; created Jan 11, 1875 (prior to statehood) from territorial county. Unorganized; attached to Fall River County for government purposes. County seat is in Fall River County. **Name Origin:** For Peter C. Shannon (1821-?), chief justice of the Dakota Territory Supreme Court (1873-82).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,096.67 (land 2,093.90; water 2.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,586. **State rank:** 2177. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 13,657 (White 2.9%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.2%, including 96.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 23.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $7,772; median household $24,392; **Pop below poverty level:** 53.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $16,604 - $20,514.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SPINK COUNTY

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In east-central SD, south of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Hanson and Walworth counties. **Name Origin:** For Solomon Lewis Spink (1831-81), Dakota Territory secretary and territorial delegate to Congress (1869-71).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,510.11 (land 1,503.93; water 6.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 6,415. **State rank:** 2710. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.0%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,899 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.1%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,295; median household $45,000; **Pop**

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## Spink County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,434 - $52,709.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STANLEY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 605-223-7791

In central SD, created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Gen. David Sloane Stanley (1829-1902), army officer; after retirement, he served as director of the U.S. Soldiers' Home in Washington, D.C.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,518.14 (land 1,444.43; water 73.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,966. **State rank:** 2985. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,829 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 6.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,435; median household $51,875; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,339 - $44,911.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SULLY COUNTY**
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In central SD, north of Pierre; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Potter County. **Name Origin:** For Fort Sully, which was named for Gen. Alfred Sully (1821-79), its builder and commander, famous as an Indian fighter and cited several times for bravery during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,070.28 (land 1,006.82; water 63.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,373. **State rank:** 3090. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,430 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.9%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,596; median household $48,958; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $63,167 - $80,165.

**Unemployment 2010:** 2.9%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TODD COUNTY**
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Winner, SD 57580
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On the central southern border of SD, south of Pierre; created Mar 9, 1909 from Indian lands. Unorganized; attached to Tripp County for governmental purposes. County seat is in Tripp County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Blair Smith Todd (1814-72), officer in the Seminole War and the Mexican-American War, U.S. congressional delegate from the Dakota Territory (1862-65), and territorial legislator (1866-67).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,391.34 (land 1,388.56; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,612. **State rank:** 2421. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,882 (White 9.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 88.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 24.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,010; median household $25,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 48.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,144 - $22,937.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TRIPP COUNTY**
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On the central southern border of SD, southeast of Pierre; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. Seat of government for Todd County. **Name Origin:** For Bartlett Tripp (1842-1911), promoter of SD's statehood, U.S. minister to Austria-Hungary (1893), chief justice of the Dakota Territory (1886-89), and trustee of Yankton College.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,616.33 (land 1,612.45; water 3.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,644. **State rank:** 2789. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,065 (White 83.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 14.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,192; median household $40,221; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,291 - $39,200.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TURNER COUNTY**
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In southeastern SD, southwest of Sioux Falls; organized Jan 13, 1871 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County and part of the now-defunct Jayne County. **Name Origin:** For John W. Turner (1800-83), member of the Dakota Territory legislature (1865-66; 1872) and a superintendent of public instruction.

**Area (sq mi):** 617.69 (land 617.06; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,347. **State rank:** 2568. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 8,520 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,871; median household $48,068; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,112 - $46,904.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Turner County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
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In southeastern SD, south of Sioux Falls; organized as Cole County Apr 10, 1862 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory; name changed 1864. **Name Origin:** For support of the Union in the Civil War. Originally for Austin Cole, member of the first Territorial legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 467.24 (land 460.54; water 6.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,399. **State rank:** 2120. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.0%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,462 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,783; median household $59,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $52,027 - $58,345.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WALWORTH COUNTY**
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In north-central SD, west of Aberdeen; created Jan 8, 1873 (prior to statehood) from territorial county. **Name Origin:** For Walworth County, WI, former home of early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 745.04 (land 708.63; water 36.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,438. **State rank:** 2807. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 -8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 5,494 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 14.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,716; median household $39,517; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,371 - $36,314.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YANKTON COUNTY**
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Yankton, SD 57078
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**Fax:** 605-665-4729

On the southeastern border of SD, southwest of Sioux Falls; original county; organized Apr 5, 1862 (prior to statehood) from territorial county. **Name Origin:** The County was named for the Yankton band of the Sioux Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 532.23 (land 521.16; water 11.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.1.

**Pop 2010:** 22,438. **State rank:** 1721. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 21,718 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.7%, including 2.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,776; median household $47,124; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,166 - $37,142.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yankton 🏛 (14,454).

**ZIEBACH COUNTY**
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In west-central SD, northwest of Pierre; organized Feb 1, 1911 from Pennington County. **Name Origin:** For Frank M. Ziebach (1830-1929), publisher of the *Weekly Dakotian*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,969.99 (land 1,961.27; water 8.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,801. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,631 (White 21.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 3.1%, including 74.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,069; median household $27,578; **Pop below poverty level:** 46.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $16,383 - $21,455.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +0.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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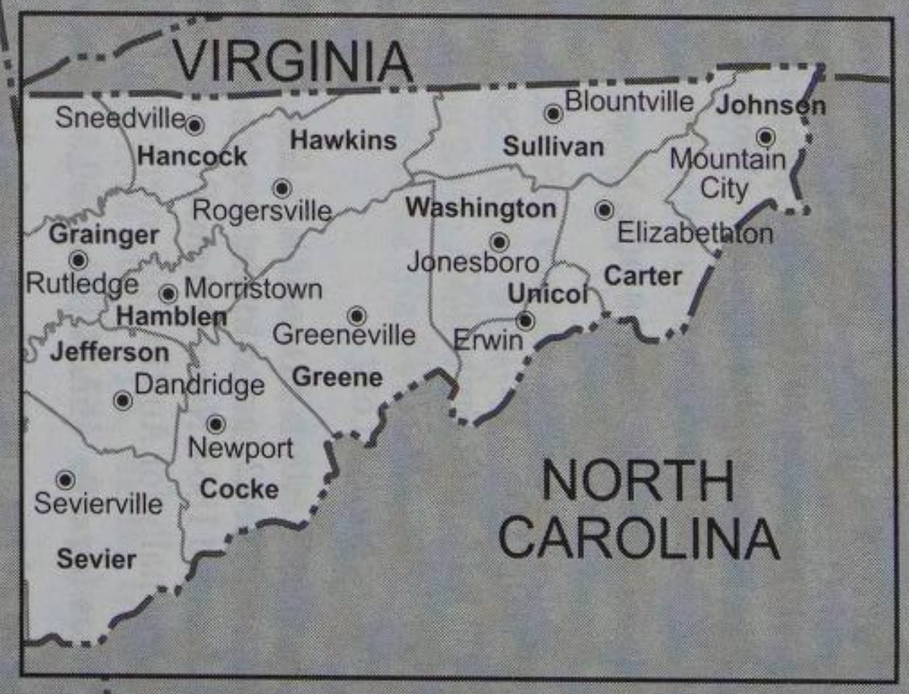


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# Tennessee

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www.tennessee.gov **Ph:** 615-741-3011

**Area (sq mi):** 42,143.27 (land 41,217.12; water 926.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,346,105. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,962,959 (White 77.6%; Black or African American 16.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 4.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,307; median household $43,314; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.50%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,221 - $34,921.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

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**ANDERSON COUNTY**
245 N Main St, Suite 200 **Ph:** 865-457-2559
Clinton, TN 37716 **Fax:** 865-463-7480
www.andersoncountychamber.org

In northeastern TN, west of Knoxville; organized Nov 6, 1801 from Knox and Grainger counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Joseph Anderson (1757-1837), U.S. senator from TN (1797-1815) and first comptroller of the U.S. Treasury (1815-36).

**Area (sq mi):** 344.47 (land 337.16; water 7.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 222.8.

**Pop 2010:** 75,129. **State rank:** 720. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 72,430 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,242; median household $44,650; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,005 - $34,358.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oak Ridge (29,330).

**BEDFORD COUNTY**
104 Northside Sq **Ph:** 931-684-1921
Shelbyville, TN 37160 **Fax:** 931-685-9590
www.bedfordcountytn.org

In south-central TN, south of Murfreesboro; organized Dec 3, 1807 from Rutherford County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Thomas Bedford, an army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 474.81 (land 473.64; water 1.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.1.

**Pop 2010:** 45,058. **State rank:** 1029. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 42,204 (White 81.8%; Black or African American 7.9%; Hispanic or Latino 11.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 11.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,471; median household $38,550; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,145 - $29,667.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Shelbyville 🏛 (20,335).

**BENTON COUNTY**
1 E Court Sq, Rm 102 **Ph:** 731-584-6011
Camden, TN 38320 **Fax:** 731-584-4640
www.bentoncounty.us

In northwestern TN, west of Nashville; organized 1835 from Henry and Humphreys counties. **Name Origin:** For David Benton, an old and respectable citizen of said county.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.51 (land 394.14; water 41.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.8.

**Pop 2010:** 16,489. **State rank:** 2036. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,467 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,114; median household $33,953; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,059 - $27,129.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLEDSOE COUNTY**
104 N Frazier St **Ph:** 423-447-6855
Pikeville, TN 37367 **Fax:** 423-447-7265

In east-central TN, north of Chattanooga; organized Nov 30, 1807 from Roane County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For either Anthony Bledsoe (1733-88), member of the VA legislature, active in establishing TN as a state; or for Maj. Abraham Bledsoe, an officer in the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 406.83 (land 406.43; water 0.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,876. **State rank:** 2233. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,928 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,907; median household $29,729; **Pop**

## Bledsoe County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 23.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,419 - $23,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BLOUNT COUNTY**
341 Court St
Maryville, TN 37804
www.blounttn.org
**Ph:** 865-273-5700
**Fax:** 865-273-5705

On southeastern border of TN, south of Knoxville; organized Jul 11, 1795 (prior to statehood) from Knox County. **Name Origin:** For William Blount (1749-1800), territorial governor of TN (1790-96) and U.S. senator from TN (1796-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 566.79 (land 558.71; water 8.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 220.2.

**Pop 2010:** 123,010. **State rank:** 487. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 115,535 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,071; median household $47,322; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,824 - $29,365.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Maryville (27,465); Red Bank (11,651).

**BRADLEY COUNTY**
155 N Ocoee St Rm 101
Cleveland, TN 37311
www.bradleyco.net
**Ph:** 423-728-7226
**Fax:** 423-478-8845

On the southwestern border of TN, east of Chattanooga; organized Feb 10, 1836 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Edward Bradley (?-1829), an officer in the War of 1812 and the Southern Indian wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 331.54 (land 328.76; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 301.

**Pop 2010:** 98,963. **State rank:** 591. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 92,092 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 4.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,444; median household $40,032; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,670 - $30,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cleveland (41,285); Lebanon (26,190).

**CAMPBELL COUNTY**
195 Kentucky St, Suite 2
Jacksboro, TN 37757
co.campbell.tn.us
**Ph:** 423-562-4985
**Fax:** 423-566-3852

On the central northern border of TN, north of Oak Ridge; organized Sep 11, 1806 from Anderson and Claiborne counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington Campbell (1769-1848), U.S. senator from TN (1811-14; 1815-18), U.S. secretary of the treasury (1814), and ambassador to Russia (1818-20). Others claim Arthur Campbell, a negotiator with the Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.38 (land 480.19; water 18.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.8.

**Pop 2010:** 40,716. **State rank:** 1145. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 40,686 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,426; median household $30,686; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,628 - $27,236.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CANNON COUNTY**
1 County Courthouse
Woodbury, TN 37190
**Ph:** 615-563-4278
**Fax:** 615-563-1289

In central TN, southeast of Nashville; organized Jan 31, 1836 from Rutherford, Warren, and Smith counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Newton Cannon (1781-1842), U.S. representative from TN (1814-17; 1819-23) and governor (1836-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 265.70 (land 265.64; water 0.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.

**Pop 2010:** 13,801. **State rank:** 2165. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,337 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,076; median household $38,733; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,799 - $29,927.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
625 High St, Suite 103
Huntingdon, TN 38344
www.carrollcounty-tn-chamber.com
**Ph:** 731-986-1961
**Fax:** 731-986-1978

In western TN, northeast of Jackson; organized Nov 7, 1821 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Carroll (1788-1844), officer in the Battle of New Orleans (1815) and TN governor (1821-27; 1829-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 600.09 (land 599.25; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,522. **State rank:** 1468. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 29,121 (White 86.8%; Black or African American 10.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,712; median household $36,160; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,322 - $29,227.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.2%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Smyrna (39,974).

**CARTER COUNTY**
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Elizabethton, TN 37643
www.cartercountytn.gov
**Ph:** 423-542-1814
**Fax:** 423-547-1502

On the northeastern border of TN, east of Johnson City; organized as Carteret County Apr 9, 1796 from Washington County; name changed later. **Name Origin:** For Col. Landon Carter (1760-1800), officer in the Revolutionary and Indian wars; officeholder in NC, the territories, and in TN, whose statehood he advocated.

**Area (sq mi):** 347.77 (land 341.20; water 6.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 168.3.

**Pop 2010:** 57,424. **State rank:** 859. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 58,865 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,601; median household $31,173; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,903 - $27,108.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Elizabethton 🏛 (14,176).

**CHEATHAM COUNTY**
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Ashland City, TN 37015
cheathamcountytn.gov
**Ph:** 615-792-4316
**Fax:** 615-792-2001

In west-central TN, northwest of Nashville; organized Feb 28, 1856 from Dickson, Montgomery, Davidson, and Robertson counties. **Name Origin:** Probably for Edwin S. Cheatham, speaker of the TN senate when county was formed. Others claim Gen. Benjamin F. Cheatham (1820-86), an officer in the Mexican-American War and for the Confederacy; or Nathaniel Cheatham.

**Area (sq mi):** 306.91 (land 302.44; water 4.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.3.

**Pop 2010:** 39,105. **State rank:** 1173. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 38,603 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,392; median household $52,585; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,577 - $30,950.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Germantown (38,844).

**CHESTER COUNTY**
130 E Main St
Henderson, TN 38340
www.chestercountychamber.com
**Ph:** 731-989-5222
**Fax:** 731-989-9602

In southwestern TN, southeast of Jackson; organized Mar 4, 1879 from Hardeman, Madison, McNairy, and Henderson counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert I. Chester (1793-c.1860), officer in the Republic of Texas army and TN state legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 285.96 (land 285.74; water 0.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.

**Pop 2010:** 17,131. **State rank:** 2009. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,941 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 9.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,343; median household $39,915; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,224 - $26,679.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAIBORNE COUNTY**
1740 Main St
Tazewell, TN 37879
www.claibornecounty.com
**Ph:** 423-626-3276

On central northern border of TN, north of Knoxville; organized Oct 29, 1801 from Grainger and Hawkins counties. **Name Origin:** For William Charles Coles Claiborne (1775-1817), governor of the Mississippi Territory (1801-05), of the Orleans Territory (1804-12), and of LA (1812-16), and U.S. representative from TN (1797-1801).

**Area (sq mi):** 441.85 (land 434.58; water 7.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.1.

**Pop 2010:** 32,213. **State rank:** 1396. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 31,033 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,128; median household $31,353; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,349 - $26,810.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CLAY COUNTY**
PO Box 387
Celina, TN 38551
**Ph:** 931-243-2161
**Fax:** 931-243-2436

On the central northern border of TN, northeast of Nashville; organized Jun 24, 1870 from Jackson and Overton counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 259.68 (land 236.54; water 23.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,861. **State rank:** 2600. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,992 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,367; median household $32,106; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,738 - $25,449.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**COCKE COUNTY**
360 E Main St
Newport, TN 37821
www.cockecounty.com
**Ph:** 423-623-8791
**Fax:** 423-623-8792

On the central eastern border of TN, east of Knoxville; organized Aug 9, 1797 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For William Cocke (1747-1828), explorer with Daniel Boone (c.1734-1820), TN legislator and judge, and U.S. senator (1796-97; 1799-1805).

**Area (sq mi):** 443.32 (land 434.57; water 8.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.1.

**Pop 2010:** 35,662. **State rank:** 1266. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 34,929 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,957; median household $28,809; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,471 - $24,742.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COFFEE COUNTY**
1329 McArthur St
Manchester, TN 37355
www.coffeecountytn.org
**Ph:** 931-723-5100
**Fax:** 931-723-8248

In south-central TN, southeast of Murfreesboro; organized Jan 8, 1836 from Franklin, Warren, and Bedford counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Coffee (1772-1833), officer in the War of 1812 who later oversaw the removal of the Choctaws and Chickasaws to OK Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.58 (land 428.96; water 5.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 123.1.

**Pop 2010:** 52,796. **State rank:** 932. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 50,869 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,737; median household $40,078; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,885 - $31,913.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tullahoma (18,655); Manchester (10,102).

**CROCKETT COUNTY**
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Alamo, TN 38001
**Ph:** 731-696-5460
**Fax:** 731-696-4101

In central-western TN, northwest of Jackson; established Dec 20, 1845 from Dyer, Madison, Gibson, and Haywood counties. **Name Origin:** For David Davy Crockett (1786-1836), soldier, scout, and U.S. representative from TN (1827-31; 1833-35), killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 265.75 (land 265.54; water 0.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,586. **State rank:** 2128. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,595 (White 78.7%; Black or African American 12.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,742; median household $36,556; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,927 - $29,336.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CUMBERLAND COUNTY**
2 N Main St, Suite 206
Crossville, TN 38555
cumberlandcountytn.gov
**Ph:** 931-484-6442
**Fax:** 931-484-6440

In east-central TN, west of Oak Ridge; organized Nov 16, 1855 from Bledsoe, Morgan, Roane, White, Putnam, Rhea, Van Buren, and Fentress counties. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus, Duke of Cumberland (1721-65), British general and second son of George II of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 684.37 (land 681.03; water 3.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.3.

**Pop 2010:** 56,053. **State rank:** 912. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 51,346 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,544; median household $36,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,423 - $27,920.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Crossville (10,795).

**DAVIDSON COUNTY**
205 Metro Courthouse
Nashville, TN 37201
www.nashville.gov
**Ph:** 615-862-6770
**Fax:** 615-862-6774

In west-central TN, northwest of Murfreesboro; organized Apr 18, 1783 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Lee Davidson (1746-81), officer killed during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 527.88 (land 504.03; water 23.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 1243.3.

**Pop 2010:** 626,681. **State rank:** 96. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 575,261 (White 61.4%; Black or African American 27.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 3.0%; Others 9.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.5%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,780; median household $45,668; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,213 - $45,913.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Germantown (38,844); Goodlettsville (15,921).

**DECATUR COUNTY**
22 West Main St PO Box 488
Decaturville, TN 38329
www.decaturcountytn.org
**Ph:** 731-852-2131
**Fax:** 731-852-2130

In western TN, southeast of Jackson; organized Nov 1845 from Perry

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Decatur County (cont'd)

County. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Decatur (1779-1820), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812 and in actions against the Barbary pirates near Tripoli, who said that might she always be in the right; but their country, right or wrong.

**Area (sq mi):** 344.86 (land 333.85; water 11.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.2.

**Pop 2010:** 11,757. **State rank:** 2320. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,686 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,757; median household $30,445; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,249 - $31,265.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DEKALB COUNTY

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Smithville, TN 37166 — **Fax:** 615-597-7799
www.dekalbelections.com

In east-central TN, southeast of Nashville; organized 1837 from Cannon, Warren, White, Wilson, and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Johann, Baron de Kalb (1721-80), German-born French soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 328.76 (land 304.35; water 24.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.5.

**Pop 2010:** 18,723. **State rank:** 1864. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 18,254 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,976; median household $34,863; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,797 - $29,971.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DICKSON COUNTY

4 Court Sq PO Box 267 — **Ph:** 615-789-7003
Charlotte, TN 37036 — **Fax:** 615-789-6075
www.dicksoncounty.net

In west-central TN, west of Nashville; organized Oct 25, 1803 from Montgomery and Robertson counties. **Name Origin:** For William Dickson (1770-1816), physician, TN legislator, and U.S. representative (1801-07).

**Area (sq mi):** 491.32 (land 489.90; water 1.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.4.

**Pop 2010:** 49,666. **State rank:** 991. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 45,894 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,415; median household $44,554; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,348 - $29,655.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dickson (14,538).

### DYER COUNTY

PO Box 1360 — **Ph:** 731-286-7818
Dyersburg, TN 38025-5136 — **Fax:** 731-288-7706
www.co.dyer.tn.us

On northwestern border of TN, northwest of Jackson; organized Oct 16, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Robert H. Dyer, a prominent fighter in the Indian wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 528.31 (land 512.33; water 15.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.8.

**Pop 2010:** 38,335. **State rank:** 1216. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 37,829 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 14.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,169; median household $36,856; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,078 - $31,136.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dyersburg 🏛 (17,145).

### FAYETTE COUNTY

PO Box 218 — **Ph:** 901-465-5213
Somerville, TN 38068 — **Fax:** 901-465-5293
www.fayettetn.us

On the southwestern border of TN, east of Memphis; organized Sep 29, 1824 from Shelby and Hardeman counties. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 706.52 (land 704.79; water 1.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.5.

**Pop 2010:** 38,413. **State rank:** 1196. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +19.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,458 (White 69.2%; Black or African American 28.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,898; median household $56,729; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,851 - $41,652.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 33 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FENTRESS COUNTY

PO Box 823 — **Ph:** 931-879-8014
Jamestown, TN 38556 — **Fax:** 931-879-8438
www.jamestowntn.org

In north-central TN, northwest of Oak Ridge; organized Nov 28, 1823 from Overton, White, and Morgan counties. **Name Origin:** For James Fentress, speaker of the TN House of Representatives.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.94 (land 498.61; water 0.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.

**Pop 2010:** 17,959. **State rank:** 1931. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 17,159 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%.

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## Fentress County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,291; median household $29,642; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,317 - $27,347.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

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Winchester, TN 37398
www.franklincotn.us

**Ph:** 931-967-2541
**Fax:** 931-962-3394

On the central southern border of TN, west of Chattanooga; organized Dec 3, 1807 from Rutherford County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 575.79 (land 554.54; water 21.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.

**Pop 2010:** 41,052. **State rank:** 1133. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 41,003 (White 90.8%; Black or African American 5.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,817; median household $40,983; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,782 - $28,169.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GIBSON COUNTY

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Trenton, TN 38382
www.gibsoncountytn.com

**Ph:** 731-855-0973
**Fax:** 731-855-7643

In northwestern TN, north of Jackson; organized Oct 21, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Maj. John Gibson, an officer in Gen. Andrew Jackson's (1767-1845) Natchez expedition (1812-13).

**Area (sq mi):** 603.66 (land 602.74; water 0.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.4.

**Pop 2010:** 49,683. **State rank:** 967. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 48,148 (White 78.5%; Black or African American 18.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,065; median household $35,947; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,046 - $28,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GILES COUNTY

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Pulaski, TN 38478
www.gilescounty-tn.us

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**Fax:** 931-424-4795

On the central southern border of TN, south of Columbia; organized Nov 14, 1809 from Maury County. **Name Origin:** For William Branch Giles (1762-1830), U.S. senator from VA (1804-15) and governor (1827-30).

**Area (sq mi):** 611.18 (land 610.93; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.3.

**Pop 2010:** 29,485. **State rank:** 1450. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 29,297 (White 86.4%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,778; median household $37,860; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,012 - $28,574.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAINGER COUNTY

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Rutledge, TN 37861
graingertn.com

**Ph:** 865-828-3513
**Fax:** 865-828-4165

In northeastern TN, northeast of Knoxville; organized Apr 22, 1796 from Hawkins County. **Name Origin:** For Mary Grainger Blount, wife of William Blount (1749-1800), governor (1790-95) of the territory south of the Ohio River, present-day TN.

**Area (sq mi):** 302.71 (land 280.60; water 22.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 80.7.

**Pop 2010:** 22,657. **State rank:** 1680. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 22,283 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,783; median household $30,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,190 - $27,966.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

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Greeneville, TN 37745
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**Fax:** 423-798-1822

On the northeastern border of TN, west of Johnson City; organized Apr 18, 1783 (prior to statehood) North Carolina general assembly from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 624.59 (land 622.17; water 2.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 110.6.

**Pop 2010:** 68,831. **State rank:** 783. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 65,318 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Greene County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,782; median household $36,867; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,623 - $29,700.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greeneville 🏛 (15,062).

### GRUNDY COUNTY

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Altamont, TN 37301
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**Ph:** 931-692-3718
**Fax:** 931-692-3721

In east-central TN, northeast of Chattanooga; organized Jan 29, 1844 from Franklin and Warren counties. **Name Origin:** For Felix Grundy (1777-1840), U.S. representative from TN (1811-15) who played a leading part in bringing on and sustaining the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 361.11 (land 360.53; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 13,703. **State rank:** 2149. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.2%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,608 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,000; median household $26,529; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,922 - $24,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.1%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMBLEN COUNTY

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Morristown, TN 37814
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**Ph:** 423-586-1993
**Fax:** 423-318-2508

In northeastern TN, northeast of Knoxville; organized Jun 8, 1870 from Grainger, Hawkins, and Jefferson counties. **Name Origin:** For Hezekiah Hamblen (1775-1854?), member of the Hawkins County court.

**Area (sq mi):** 175.92 (land 161.18; water 14.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 388.

**Pop 2010:** 62,544. **State rank:** 813. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 59,898 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 10.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,162; median household $39,807; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,879 - $28,935.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Morristown 🏛 (29,137).

### HAMILTON COUNTY

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Chattanooga, TN 37402
www.hamiltontn.gov

**Ph:** 423-209-6500
**Fax:** 423-209-6501

On the southeastern border of TN, west of Cleveland; organized Oct 25, 1819 from Rhea County and Indian lands, and in January 1920 annexed James County, which was organized 1871 from Hamilton and Bradley counties. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804), first U.S. secretary of the treasury (1789-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 575.71 (land 542.43; water 33.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 620.3.

**Pop 2010:** 336,463. **State rank:** 191. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 310,935 (White 73.9%; Black or African American 20.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.8%; Others 4.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,588; median household $45,408; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,789 - $38,368.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chattanooga 🏛 (167,674); East Ridge (20,979); Soddy-Daisy (12,714); Middle Valley (12,684); Red Bank (11,651).

### HANCOCK COUNTY

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Sneedville, TN 37869
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**Fax:** 423-733-4509

On the northeastern border of TN, west of Kingsport; organized Jan 7, 1844 from Claiborne and Hawkins counties. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 223.55 (land 222.34; water 1.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,819. **State rank:** 2706. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,704 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,717; median household $23,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,234 - $19,465.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.4%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDEMAN COUNTY

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Bolivar, TN 38008
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On the southwestern border of TN, south of Jackson; organized Oct 16, 1823 from Hardin County and Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Col. Thomas Jones Hardeman (1788-1854), TN officer in the War of 1812, later a Texas patriot and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 670.61 (land 667.77; water 2.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.8.

**Pop 2010:** 27,253. **State rank:** 1499. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 28,170 (White 56.4%; Black or African American 41.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,838; median household $32,539; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,545 - $25,007.

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## Hardeman County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARDIN COUNTY**
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Savannah, TN 38372
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On the southwestern border of TN, southeast of Jackson; organized Nov 13, 1819 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Joseph Hardin, a soldier in the Revolutionary War and a TN legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 595.77 (land 577.32; water 18.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.1.

**Pop 2010:** 26,026. **State rank:** 1541. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 25,930 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,122; median household $30,732; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,918 - $30,649.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon (26,190).

**HAWKINS COUNTY**
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Rogersville, TN 37857
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**Fax:** 423-272-5801

On the northeastern border of TN, west of Kingsport; organized Nov 18, 1786 (prior to statehood) from Sullivan County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Hawkins (1754-1816), French interpreter for George Washington (1732-99), member of the Continental Congress (1781-84; 1786-87), U.S. senator from NC (1789-95), and Indian agent for all tribes south of the Ohio River.

**Area (sq mi):** 499.95 (land 486.98; water 12.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 116.7.

**Pop 2010:** 56,833. **State rank:** 873. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 56,196 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,600; median household $35,392; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,767 - $26,860.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAYWOOD COUNTY**
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Brownsville, TN 38012

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**Fax:** 731-772-3864

In southwestern TN, west of Jackson; organized Nov 3, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For John Haywood (1753-1826), NC attorney-general (1791-94) and TN supreme court judge (1816-26).

**Area (sq mi):** 534.06 (land 533.11; water 0.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.2.

**Pop 2010:** 18,787. **State rank:** 1867. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.4%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,656 (White 45.9%; Black or African American 50.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 3.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,047; median household $32,414; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,184 - $30,914.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (29,036); Brownsville (10,292).

**HENDERSON COUNTY**
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Lexington, TN 38351
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**Fax:** 731-968-6644

In western TN, east of Jackson; organized Nov 7, 1821 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For James Henderson, an officer under the command of Andrew Jackson (1767-1845) in the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 525.96 (land 520.07; water 5.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.4.

**Pop 2010:** 27,769. **State rank:** 1518. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 26,425 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 7.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,988; median household $38,887; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,742 - $25,688.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +9.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (29,036).

**HENRY COUNTY**
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On northwestern border of TN, southwest of Clarksville; organized Nov 7, 1821 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for declaring, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 593.87 (land 562.10; water 31.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.5.

**Pop 2010:** 32,330. **State rank:** 1377. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 31,511 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,687; median household $36,836; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,469 - $28,949.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Paris (10,156).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**HICKMAN COUNTY**
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Centerville, TN 37033
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**Fax:** 931-729-9951

In west-central TN, southwest of Nashville; organized Dec 3, 1807 from Dickson County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin Hickman (?-1791), American explorer killed by Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 612.68 (land 612.50; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,690. **State rank:** 1636. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 23,793 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,447; median household $42,075; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,595 - $23,266.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOUSTON COUNTY**
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In west-central TN, southwest of Clarksville; organized Jan 23, 1871 from Dickson, Montgomery, Stewart, and Humphreys counties. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Houston (1793-1863), governor of TN (1827-29), president of the Republic of Texas (1836-38; 1841-44), U.S. senator from TX (1846-59), and governor (1859-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 207 (land 200.29; water 6.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,426. **State rank:** 2576. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,988 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,791; median household $33,738; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,215 - $26,455.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (29,036); Arlington (11,517); Brownsville (10,292).

**HUMPHREYS COUNTY**
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Waverly, TN 37185
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**Ph:** 931-296-7795
**Fax:** 931-296-5011

In west-central TN, west of Nashville; organized Oct 19, 1809 from Stewart County. **Name Origin:** For Parry Wayne Humphreys (1780-1839), TN superior court judge (1807-13; 1818-36) and U.S. representative (1813-15).

**Area (sq mi):** 555.48 (land 530.98; water 24.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,538. **State rank:** 1896. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 18,212 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,874; median household $41,486; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,122 - $30,551.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Gainesboro, TN 38562
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**Ph:** 931-268-9314
**Fax:** 931-268-4555

In north-central TN, northeast of Nashville; organized Nov 6, 1801 from Smith County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 318.99 (land 308.32; water 10.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,638. **State rank:** 2362. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,072 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,452; median household $32,722; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,679 - $29,934.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
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Dandridge, TN 37725
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**Ph:** 865-397-2935
**Fax:** 865-397-3839

In northeastern TN, east of Knoxville; organized Jun 11, 1792 (prior to statehood) from Greene and Hawkins counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 314.59 (land 274.08; water 40.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 187.6.

**Pop 2010:** 51,407. **State rank:** 941. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.2%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 48,394 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,680; median household $38,239; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,618 - $27,680.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12%. **Change from 2007:** +6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JOHNSON COUNTY**
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Mountain City, TN 37683
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**Fax:** 423-727-7047

On the northeastern border of TN, east of Kingsport; organized Jan 2, 1836 from Carter County. **Name Origin:** For Cave Johnson (1793-1866), U.S. representative from TN (1829-37; 1839-45) and U.S. postmaster general (1845-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 302.74 (land 298.48; water 4.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.1.

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## Johnson County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 18,244. **State rank:** 1909. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,116 (White 96.2%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,638; median household $29,949; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,861 - $23,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KNOX COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 865-215-2038

In central eastern TN, east of Oak Ridge; organized Jun 11, 1792 (prior to statehood) from Greene and Hawkins counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 525.54 (land 508.22; water 17.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 850.5.

**Pop 2010:** 432,226. **State rank:** 149. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 404,972 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 8.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.9%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,349; median household $46,759; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,211 - $37,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Knoxville (178,874); Brentwood (37,060); Farragut (20,676); Arlington (11,517).

**LAKE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 731-253-6815

On the northern border of TN; organized Jun 24, 1870 from Obion County. **Name Origin:** For Reelfoot Lake, on its eastern border. The lake formed in 1811 and 1812, when earthquakes caused the Mississippi River to flow backward.

**Area (sq mi):** 196.16 (land 165.78; water 30.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,832. **State rank:** 2643. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,583 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 27.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,813; median household $24,700; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,020 - $19,523.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAUDERDALE COUNTY**
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Ripley, TN 38063
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On central western border of TN, northeast of Memphis; organized Nov 24, 1835 from Dyer, Tipton, and Haywood counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. James Lauderdale (?-1814), a soldier killed at the Battle of New Orleans during the War of 1812.

**Area (sq mi):** 508.68 (land 471.99; water 36.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.9.

**Pop 2010:** 27,815. **State rank:** 1530. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 26,795 (White 62.0%; Black or African American 34.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,006; median household $32,894; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,928 - $21,932.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.7%. **Change from 2007:** +9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAWRENCE COUNTY**
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Lawrenceburg, TN 38464
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On the central southern border of TN, southwest of Nashville; organized Oct 21, 1817 from Hickman and Maury counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. James Lawrence (1781-1813), U.S. Navy commander in the War of 1812 who said, Don't give up the ship!

**Area (sq mi):** 617.87 (land 617.13; water 0.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.8.

**Pop 2010:** 41,869. **State rank:** 1132. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 41,101 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,086; median household $34,985; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,626 - $24,781.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lawrenceburg (10,428).

**LEWIS COUNTY**
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In west-central TN, southwest of Nashville; organized Dec 21, 1843 from Hickman, Maury, Wayne, and Lawrence counties. **Name Origin:** For Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809), co-leader of the Lewis and Clark Expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 282.47 (land 282.09; water 0.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.1.

**Pop 2010:** 12,161. **State rank:** 2321. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,435 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,473; median household $35,000; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Lewis County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,996 - $23,037.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.7%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Fayetteville, TN 37334
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On the central southern border of TN, west of Chattanooga; organized Nov 14, 1809 from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin Lincoln (1733-1810), Revolutionary War officer, U.S. secretary of war (1781-83), and lt. gov. of MA (1788).

**Area (sq mi):** 570.73 (land 570.34; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.5.

**Pop 2010:** 33,361. **State rank:** 1330. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 32,392 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,811; median household $42,962; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,805 - $30,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LOUDON COUNTY

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Loudon, TN 37774
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In east-central TN, south of Oak Ridge; organized as Christiana Sumner County Jun 2, 1870 from Blount, Monroe, McMinn, and Roane counties; name changed Jul 7, 1870. **Name Origin:** For John Campbell (1705-82), 4th Earl of Loudoun, commander of British forces during the French and Indian Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 247.65 (land 229.22; water 18.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 211.8.

**Pop 2010:** 48,556. **State rank:** 1010. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.9%; 2000-2005 +11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 43,387 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,046; median household $49,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,006 - $35,875.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MACON COUNTY

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Lafayette, TN 37083
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On central northern border of TN, northeast of Nashville; organized 1842 from Smith and Sumner counties. **Name Origin:** For Nathaniel Macon (1757-1837), NC legislator, U.S. representative (1791-1815), U.S. senator (1815-28), and president of the NC constitutional convention (1835).

**Area (sq mi):** 307.20 (land 307.14; water 0.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.4.

**Pop 2010:** 22,248. **State rank:** 1718. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 21,549 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 4.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,518; median household $33,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,205 - $27,230.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MADISON COUNTY

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Jackson, TN 38301
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**Fax:** 731-424-4903

In western TN, northeast of Memphis; organized Nov 7, 1821 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 558.75 (land 557.12; water 1.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 176.4.

**Pop 2010:** 98,294. **State rank:** 592. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 94,916 (White 59.2%; Black or African American 36.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,948; median household $40,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,383 - $33,322.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jackson 🏛 (65,211).

### MARION COUNTY

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Jasper, TN 37347
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On the southeastern border of TN, west of Chattanooga; organized Nov 20, 1817 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 512.12 (land 498.16; water 13.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.7.

**Pop 2010:** 28,237. **State rank:** 1478. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,757 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,811; median household $38,785; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,081 - $30,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.4%.

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## Marion County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARSHALL COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 931-359-0559

In south-central TN, south of Nashville; organized Feb 20, 1836 from Giles, Bedford, Lincoln, and Maury counties. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist; fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 376.21 (land 375.46; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.5.

**Pop 2010:** 30,617. **State rank:** 1416. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.9%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,372 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,157; median household $40,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,700 - $25,183.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.4%. **Change from 2007:** +8.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Smyrna (39,974); Lewisburg (11,100).

**MAURY COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 931-380-0335

In west-central TN, southwest of Nashville; organized Nov 16, 1807 from Williamson County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For a prominent local family, whose members included Abram Maury (1801-48), U.S. representative from TN (1835-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 615.80 (land 613.14; water 2.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.

**Pop 2010:** 80,956. **State rank:** 655. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 76,292 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 12.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,136; median household $46,278; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,665 - $30,114.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Columbia (34,681); Spring Hill (29,036).

**MCMINN COUNTY**
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In southeastern TN, northeast of Chattanooga; organized Nov 13, 1819 from Cherokee Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Joseph McMinn (1785-1824), governor of TN (1817-21), known as the Quaker governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.07 (land 430.13; water 1.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.5.

**Pop 2010:** 52,266. **State rank:** 928. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 51,327 (White 91.7%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,796; median household $37,146; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,045 - $27,568.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Athens (13,458).

**MCNAIRY COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of TN, southeast of Jackson; organized Oct 8, 1823 from Hardin County. **Name Origin:** For John McNairy, a judge in U.S. District Court for TN (1797).

**Area (sq mi):** 563.65 (land 562.86; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 26,075. **State rank:** 1558. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,285 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,488; median household $34,777; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,842 - $27,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MEIGS COUNTY**
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In southeastern TN, northeast of Chattanooga; organized Jan 20, 1836 from Hamilton, McMinn, Rhea, and Roane counties. **Name Origin:** For Return Jonathan Meigs (1764-1824), U.S. senator from OH (1808-1810), OH governor (1810-14), and U.S. postmaster general (1814-23).

**Area (sq mi):** 217.04 (land 195.12; water 21.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.2.

**Pop 2010:** 11,753. **State rank:** 2284. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,657 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,768; median household $33,506; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,198 - $27,502.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**MONROE COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of TN, northeast of Chattanooga; organized Nov 13, 1819 from Roane County (Hiwassee Purchase, Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 653.24 (land 635.57; water 17.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.

**Pop 2010:** 44,519. **State rank:** 1034. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 43,185 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,651; median household $36,209; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,768 - $25,312.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTGOMERY COUNTY**
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Clarksville, TN 37041
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On central northern border of TN, northwest of Nashville; organized Apr 9, 1796 by the division between Montgomery and Robertson counties of Tennessee County, which had been organized in 1788 from Davidson County and was then abolished. **Name Origin:** For John Montgomery (1748-94), explorer of Cumberland County (1771) and Indian fighter.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.75 (land 539.18; water 4.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 319.6.

**Pop 2010:** 172,331. **State rank:** 373. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.1%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 147,202 (White 71.0%; Black or African American 19.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 2.1%; Others 8.0%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,092; median household $48,930; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,087 - $39,155.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clarksville 🏛 (132,929).

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In south-central TN, south of Murfreesboro; organized Dec 14, 1871 from Bedford, Franklin, Lincoln, and Coffee counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Moore, TN officer in the War of 1812 and later a TN legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 130.43 (land 129.22; water 1.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,362. **State rank:** 2752. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,024 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,678; median household $44,433; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,604 - $33,092.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORGAN COUNTY**
415 Kingston St
Wartburg, TN 37887
www.morgancountytn.org
**Ph:** 423-346-3480
**Fax:** 423-346-4161

In east-central TN, west of Oak Ridge; organized 1817 from Roane County, and in 1903 annexed part of Anderson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 522.53 (land 522.18; water 0.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.1.

**Pop 2010:** 21,987. **State rank:** 1874. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,157 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,883; median household $36,772; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,732 - $23,896.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OBION COUNTY**
2 Bill Burnett Cir
Union City, TN 38261
www.obioncountytennessee.com
**Ph:** 731-885-3831
**Fax:** 731-885-0287

On the northwestern border of TN; organized Oct 24, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For the Obion River, which runs through it; from an Indian word meaning either 'many forks or branches,' as of a river, or possibly a personal name.

**Area (sq mi):** 555.16 (land 544.73; water 10.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.4.

**Pop 2010:** 31,807. **State rank:** 1390. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 32,213 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 10.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,235; median household $39,543; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,016 - $30,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Union City 🏛 (10,895).

**OVERTON COUNTY**
317 University St
Livingston, TN 38570
www.overtoncountytn.com
**Ph:** 931-823-5638
**Fax:** 931-823-7036

In north-central TN, northwest of Oak Ridge; organized Sep 11, 1806 from Jackson County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For John Overton (1766-1833), founder (with Andrew Jackson, 1767-1845) of

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## Overton County (cont'd)

Memphis, TN (1819); judge in the TN superior and supreme courts (1804-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 434.91 (land 433.48; water 1.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.9.

**Pop 2010:** 22,083. **State rank:** 1759. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,523 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,720; median household $34,347; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,001 - $24,711.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PERRY COUNTY

PO Box 16
Linden, TN 37096
www.perrycountytennessee.com

**Ph:** 931-589-2216
**Fax:** 931-589-2215

In west-central TN, east of Jackson; established Nov 14, 1821 from Hickman and Humphreys counties. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Hazard Perry (1785-1819), U.S. naval officer during the War of 1812, famous for the message,We have met the enemy and they are ours.

**Area (sq mi):** 422.73 (land 414.73; water 8). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,915. **State rank:** 2605. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,574 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,028; median household $31,776; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,873 - $26,821.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.9%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PICKETT COUNTY

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Byrdstown, TN 38549

**Ph:** 931-864-3879
**Fax:** 931-864-7885

In east-central TN, northwest of Oak Ridge; organized Feb 27, 1879 from Fentress and Overton counties. **Name Origin:** For H.L. Pickett, a TN legislator instrumental in forming the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 174.64 (land 162.98; water 11.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.2.

**Pop 2010:** 5,077. **State rank:** 2844. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,821 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,327; median household $30,193; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,769 - $25,585.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Smyrna (39,974).

### POLK COUNTY

6239 Hwy 411
Benton, TN 37307
www.ocoeetn.org

**Ph:** 423-338-4524
**Fax:** 423-338-8611

On the southeastern border of TN, east of Chattanooga; organized Nov 28, 1839 from Bradley and McMinn counties. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 441.98 (land 434.68; water 7.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,825. **State rank:** 2059. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,944 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,481; median household $34,027; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,859 - $26,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PUTNAM COUNTY

29 N Washington Ave P.O. Box 220
Cookeville, TN 38501
www.putnamcountytn.gov

**Ph:** 931-526-7106
**Fax:** 931-372-8201

In north-central TN, east of Nashville; organized Feb 2, 1842 from Smith, White, DeKalb, Overton, and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.60 (land 401.10; water 1.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 180.3.

**Pop 2010:** 72,321. **State rank:** 736. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 66,580 (White 92.0%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 5.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,434; median household $35,185; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,167 - $30,057.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cookeville (30,435).

### RHEA COUNTY

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Dayton, TN 37321
www.rheacountyetc.com

**Ph:** 423-775-7808
**Fax:** 423-775-7898

In east-central TN, northeast of Chattanooga; organized Nov 30, 1807 from Roane County. **Name Origin:** For John Rhea (1753-1832), U.S. representative from TN (1803-15; 1817-23) democratic congressmen.

**Area (sq mi):** 335.83 (land 315.38; water 20.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.9.

**Pop 2010:** 31,809. **State rank:** 1386. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 29,918 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,655; median household $36,761; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,130 - $26,096.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Rhea County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROANE COUNTY**
200 E Race St PO Box 546
Kingston, TN 37763
www.roanealliance.org

**Ph:** 865-376-5556
**Fax:** 865-717-4121

In east-central TN, southwest of Oak Ridge; organized Nov 6, 1801 from Knox County and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Archibald Roane (1759-1819), governor of TN (1801-03) and judge of the TN supreme court (1815-19).

**Area (sq mi):** 394.71 (land 360.71; water 34). **Pop per sq mi:** 150.2.

**Pop 2010:** 54,181. **State rank:** 916. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 52,889 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,196; median household $42,698; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,872 - $33,616.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROBERTSON COUNTY**
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Springfield, TN 37172
www.robertsoncountytn.org

**Ph:** 615-384-5895
**Fax:** 615-384-2218

On the central northern border of TN, north of Nashville; organized Apr 9, 1796 by the division between Montgomery and Robertson counties of Tennessee County, which had been organized in 1788 from Davidson County and was then abolished. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Robertson (1742-1814), office in the Revolutionary War; called Father of Tennessee for his active support of statehood, and founder of present-day Nashville (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 476.49 (land 476.29; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 139.2.

**Pop 2010:** 66,283. **State rank:** 778. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 60,379 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 5.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,658; median household $50,820; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,657 - $31,106.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield 🏛 (16,440).

**RUTHERFORD COUNTY**
319 N Maple St
Murfreesboro, TN 37130
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**Ph:** 615-898-7799
**Fax:** 615-898-7830

In central TN, southeast of Nashville; organized Oct 25, 1803 from Davidson, Williamson, and Wilson counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Griffith Rutherford (1731-1800), Revolutionary War hero, NC legislator (1784), and president of the TN legislative council (1796).

**Area (sq mi):** 624.39 (land 619.36; water 5.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 424.

**Pop 2010:** 262,604. **State rank:** 248. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.3%; 2000-2005 +19.9%. **Pop 2005:** 218,292 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 12.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 3.0%; Others 6.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 32.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,390; median household $53,770; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,040 - $30,665.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Murfreesboro 🏛 (108,755); Smyrna (39,974); La Vergne (32,588).

**SCOTT COUNTY**
283 Court St
Huntsville, TN 37756
www.scottcounty.com

**Ph:** 423-663-2588
**Fax:** 423-663-3969

On the central northern border of TN, northwest of Oak Ridge; established Dec 17, 1839 from Fentriss, Morgan, Anderson, and Campbell counties. **Name Origin:** For Winfield Scott (1786-1866), general in chief of the U.S. Army (1841) and commander of the Union armies at the beginning of the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.43 (land 532.30; water 1.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.8.

**Pop 2010:** 22,228. **State rank:** 1727. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 21,868 (White 98.3%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,087; median household $28,728; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,336 - $22,863.

**Unemployment 2010:** 18.9%. **Change from 2007:** +11.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEQUATCHIE COUNTY**
307 Cherry St E, Rm 6
Dunlap, TN 37327
www.sequatchie.com

**Ph:** 423-949-2522
**Fax:** 423-949-6316

In southeastern TN, northwest of Chattanooga; organized Dec 9, 1857 from Hamilton County (and previously from Bledsoe, Marion, and Grundy counties). **Name Origin:** For the Sequatchie River, which runs through it; name is Cherokee, probably for 'hog river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 266.04 (land 265.86; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,112. **State rank:** 2160. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 +11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 12,691 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,094; median household $33,850; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,861 - $30,456.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of**

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## Sequatchie County (cont'd)

**residence:** 50.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEVIER COUNTY**
125 Court Ave, Suite 202 E
Sevierville, TN 37862
www.seviercountytn.org
**Ph:** 865-453-5502
**Fax:** 865-453-6830

On the central eastern border of TN, southeast of Knoxville; organized Sep 27, 1794 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For John Sevier (1745-1815), only governor of Franklin (original name of the state; 1785-88), then governor of TN (1796-81; 1803-09), and U.S. representative (1811-15).

**Area (sq mi):** 597.95 (land 592.50; water 5.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 151.7.

**Pop 2010:** 89,889. **State rank:** 650. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.4%; 2000-2005 +11.4%. **Pop 2005:** 79,282 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,047; median household $41,476; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,974 - $30,898.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sevierville (14,807); Seymour (10,919).

**SHELBY COUNTY**
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Memphis, TN 38103
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**Ph:** 901-545-4301
**Fax:** 901-545-4283

On the southwest border of TN; organized Nov 24, 1819 from Hardin County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 792.27 (land 763.17; water 29.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 1215.5.

**Pop 2010:** 927,644. **State rank:** 47. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 909,035 (White 40.6%; Black or African American 52.1%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 2.3%; Others 5.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,002; median household $44,705; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,858 - $39,892.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 44 for cities).

**SMITH COUNTY**
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Carthage, TN 37030
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In north-central TN, northeast of Nashville; organized Oct 26, 1799 from Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Col. Daniel Smith (1748-1818), officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the first TN Constitutional Convention (1796), and U.S. senator from TN (1798-99; 1805-09).

**Area (sq mi):** 325.23 (land 314.29; water 10.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.

**Pop 2010:** 19,166. **State rank:** 1851. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 18,647 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,026; median household $43,200; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,308 - $30,204.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STEWART COUNTY**
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Dover, TN 37058
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**Ph:** 931-232-7616
**Fax:** 931-232-4934

On the central northern border of TN, west of Clarksville; organized Nov 1, 1803 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Duncan Stewart, Revolutionary War veteran and early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 494.05 (land 459.33; water 34.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.

**Pop 2010:** 13,324. **State rank:** 2210. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 12,969 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,670; median household $40,214; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,996 - $31,151.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SULLIVAN COUNTY**
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Blountville, TN 37617
www.sullivancounty.org
**Ph:** 423-323-6417
**Fax:** 423-279-2897

On the northeastern border of TN, north of Johnson City; organized Oct 18, 1779 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Sullivan (1740-95), officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the Continental Congress (1774-75; 1780-81), and governor of NH (1786-87; 1789).

**Area (sq mi):** 430.03 (land 413.36; water 16.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 379.4.

**Pop 2010:** 156,823. **State rank:** 401. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 152,716 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,263; median household $39,957; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,911 - $33,846.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kingsport (48,205); Bristol (26,702).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**SUMNER COUNTY**
355 N Belvedere Dr Rm 111
Gallatin, TN 37066
www.sumnertn.org
**Ph:** 615-452-4063
**Fax:** 615-452-9371

On the central northern border of TN, northeast of Nashville; organized Nov 18, 1786 (prior to statehood) from Davidson County (NC), becoming part of the Territory South of the River Ohio (popularly called the Southwest Territory) from its creation in May 1790 until it became the state of TN in 1796. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jethro Sumner (1733-85), officer in the Revolutionary War who was active in promoting TN statehood.

**Area (sq mi):** 543.26 (land 529.45; water 13.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 303.4.

**Pop 2010:** 160,645. **State rank:** 380. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 145,009 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,014; median household $54,916; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,311 - $35,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hendersonville (51,372); Gallatin 🏛 (30,278); Portland (11,480); White House (10,255).

**TIPTON COUNTY**
220 Highway 51 N, Suite 2 PO Box 528
Covington, TN 38019
tiptonco.com
**Ph:** 901-476-0207
**Fax:** 901-476-0297

On the southwest border of TN, northeast of Memphis; organized Oct 29, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Jacob Tipton (?-1791), soldier killed in a battle with Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 473.72 (land 458.37; water 15.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.3.

**Pop 2010:** 61,081. **State rank:** 856. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 55,998 (White 77.8%; Black or African American 18.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,585; median household $49,378; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,034 - $32,426.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TROUSDALE COUNTY**
200 E Main St
Hartsville, TN 37074
www.hartsvilletrousdale.com/government.html
**Ph:** 615-374-2906
**Fax:** 615-374-1100

In north-central TN, northeast of Nashville; organized Jan 21, 1870 from Macon, Smith, Wilson, and Sumner counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Trousdale (1790-1872), TN legislator, governor (1849-51), and U.S. minister to Brazil (1852-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 116.59 (land 114.19; water 2.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,870. **State rank:** 2595. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,677 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 9.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,996; median household $44,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,040 - $33,050.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNICOI COUNTY**
100 S Main Ave PO Box 713
Erwin, TN 37650
www.unicoicounty.org
**Ph:** 423-743-3000
**Fax:** 423-743-0642

On the northeastern border of TN, south of Johnson City; organized Mar 23, 1875 from Washington and Carter counties. **Name Origin:** For Unicoi Creek, which runs through it, or a variant form of Cherokee *unaka* 'white,' referring to the color of the rocks in the Unaka Mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 186.52 (land 186.17; water 0.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.4.

**Pop 2010:** 18,313. **State rank:** 1924. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 17,572 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,540; median household $34,387; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,476 - $29,794.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UNION COUNTY**
901 Main St
Maynardville, TN 37807
www.unioncountytn.org
**Ph:** 865-992-8043
**Fax:** 865-992-4992

In north-central TN, north of Knoxville; organized 1850 from Anderson, Campbell, Grainger, Claiborne, and Knox counties. **Name Origin:** In honor of the strong sentiment of people in the area in favor of the preservation of the Union.

**Area (sq mi):** 247.12 (land 223.55; water 23.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.5.

**Pop 2010:** 19,109. **State rank:** 1853. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,076 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,155; median household $30,143; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,805 - $24,885.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**VAN BUREN COUNTY**
PO Box 827
Spencer, TN 38585
www.vanburenchamber.com
**Ph:** 931-946-2121
**Fax:** 931-946-7572

In east-central TN, northwest of Chattanooga; organized Jan 3, 1840

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## Van Buren County (cont'd)

from Bledsoe, Warren, and White counties. **Name Origin:** For Martin Van Buren (1782-1862), eighth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 274.56 (land 273.42; water 1.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.3.

**Pop 2010:** 5,548. **State rank:** 2793. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,470 (White 98.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,160; median household $29,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,111 - $26,678.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
110 S Court Sq PO Box 574 **Ph:** 931-473-6611
McMinnville, TN 37111 **Fax:** 931-473-4741
www.warrentn.com

In east-central TN, northwest of Chattanooga; organized Nov 26, 1807 from White, Jackson, and Smith counties, and Indian lands. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.08 (land 432.68; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 92.1.

**Pop 2010:** 39,839. **State rank:** 1164. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 39,753 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 8.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 8.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,508; median household $34,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,437 - $26,483.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Smyrna (39,974); McMinnville (13,605).

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
100 E Main St **Ph:** 423-753-1666
Jonesborough, TN 37659 **Fax:** 423-753-4716
www.washingtoncountytn.org

In northeastern TN, south of Kingsport; original county; organized Nov 15, 1777 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 329.96 (land 326.47; water 3.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 376.7.

**Pop 2010:** 122,979. **State rank:** 494. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 112,507 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,114; median household $41,256; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,007 - $32,950.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Johnson City (63,152).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
100 Court Circle, Suite 100 PO Box 848 **Ph:** 931-722-3653
Waynesboro, TN 38485 **Fax:** 931-722-5994
www.waynecountytn.org

On the central southern border of TN, southeast of Jackson; organized Nov 24, 1817 from Hickman and Humphreys counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed 'Mad Anthony' for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 735.73 (land 734.10; water 1.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,021. **State rank:** 1994. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,909 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,814; median household $34,993; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,053 - $21,821.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEAKLEY COUNTY**
PO Box 587 **Ph:** 731-364-2285
Dresden, TN 38225 **Fax:** 731-364-5236
www.weakleycountytn.gov

On northwestern border of TN, north of Jackson; organized Oct 21, 1823 from Western District (Indian lands). **Name Origin:** For Robert Weakley (1764-1845), U.S. representative from TN (1809-11), TN legislator, and member of the TN Constitutional Convention (1834).

**Area (sq mi):** 581.98 (land 580.36; water 1.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.3.

**Pop 2010:** 35,021. **State rank:** 1327. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 33,732 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 7.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,895; median household $32,358; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,637 - $27,805.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Martin (11,473).

**WHITE COUNTY**
County Courthouse Rm 205 **Ph:** 931-836-3203
Sparta, TN 38583 **Fax:** 931-836-3204
www.sparta-chamber.net

In east-central TN, west of Oak Ridge; organized September 11, 1806 from Jackson and Smith counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. John White (?-1782), an officer in the American Revolution who was an early settler in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 379.47 (land 376.67; water 2.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.6.

**Pop 2010:** 25,841. **State rank:** 1578. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 24,253 (White 95.7%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## White County (cont'd)

American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,880; median household $33,865; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,652 - $24,881.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spring Hill (29,036).

### WILLIAMSON COUNTY

1320 W Main St PO Box 624
Franklin, TN 37065
www.williamsoncounty-tn.gov

**Ph:** 615-790-5712
**Fax:** 615-790-5610

In west-central TN, south of Nashville; organized Oct 26, 1799 from Davidson County. **Name Origin:** For Hugh Williamson (1735-1819), member of the Continental Congress (1782-85; 1787; 1788) and U.S. representative from NC (1789-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 583.54 (land 582.60; water 0.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 314.4.

**Pop 2010:** 183,182. **State rank:** 346. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.3%; 2000-2005 +21.3%. **Pop 2005:** 153,595 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 3.0%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $41,220; median household $87,832; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $54,367 - $54,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Franklin 🏛 (62,487); Brentwood (37,060).

### WILSON COUNTY

PO Box 950
Lebanon, TN 37088
www.wilsoncountytn.com

**Ph:** 615-444-0314
**Fax:** 615-443-2615

In north-central TN, east of Nashville; organized Oct 26, 1799 from Sumner County. **Name Origin:** For David Wilson (?-1804), an officer in the Revolutionary War; he later presided over the General Assembly of the Territory South of Ohio River during which the state of TN was organized.

**Area (sq mi):** 583.46 (land 570.83; water 12.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 199.7.

**Pop 2010:** 113,993. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.4%; 2000-2005 +13.2%. **Pop 2005:** 100,508 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,814; median household $60,678; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,932 - $36,797.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lebanon 🏛 (26,190); Mount Juliet (23,671).

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# Texas

**TEXAS STATE INFORMATION**
www.texas.gov **Ph:** 512-463-4630

**Area (sq mi):** 268,580.82 (land 261,797.12; water 6,783.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 96.3.

**Pop 2010:** 25,145,561. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 22,859,968 (White 70.4%; Black or African American 11.8%; Hispanic or Latino 37.6%; Asian 3.8%; Others 37.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,493; median household $49,646; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,098 - $37,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

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**ANDERSON COUNTY**
703 N. Mallard St. **Ph:** 903-723-7406
Palestine, TX 75801 **Fax:** 903-723-7494
www.co.anderson.tx.us

In east-central TX, southeast of Dallas; organized Mar 24, 1846 from Houston County. **Name Origin:** For Kenneth Lewis Anderson (1805-45), TX legislator and vice president of the Republic of TX (1844).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,069.76 (land 1,062.60; water 7.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.

**Pop 2010:** 58,458. **State rank:** 879. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 56,408 (White 66.1%; Black or African American 21.1%; Hispanic or Latino 15.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 15.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,465; median household $40,378; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,947 - $26,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brushy Creek (21,764); Palestine 🏛 (18,712).

**ANDREWS COUNTY**
215 NW 1st St PO Box 727 **Ph:** 432-524-1426
Andrews, TX 79714
www.co.andrews.tx.us

On the southwest border of the TX panhandle, north of Odessa; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Richard Big Dick Andrews (1814-35), the first TX soldier killed in the Texas revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,501.07 (land 1,500.71; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,786. **State rank:** 2152. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.0%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,748 (White 79.5%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 48.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 48.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.8%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,605; median household $48,699; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,801 - $34,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Andrews (11,088).

**ANGELINA COUNTY**
215 East Lufkin Ave PO Box 908 **Ph:** 936-634-8339
Lufkin, TX 75902 **Fax:** 936-634-8460
www.angelinacounty.net

In eastern TX, south of Nacogdoches; organized Apr 22, 1846 from Nacogdoches County. **Name Origin:** For the Angelina River, which forms its eastern border; Spanish diminutive for 'angel.'

**Area (sq mi):** 860.67 (land 797.78; water 62.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.8.

**Pop 2010:** 86,771. **State rank:** 656. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 81,557 (White 72.1%; Black or African American 15.0%; Hispanic or Latino 19.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 19.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,104; median household $39,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,115 - $32,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lufkin 🏛 (35,067).

**ARANSAS COUNTY**
301 N Live Oak St **Ph:** 361-790-0101
Rockport, TX 78382 **Fax:** 361-790-0119
www.aransascounty.org

On the southeastern coast of TX, northeast of Corpus Christi; organized Sep 18, 1871 from Refugio County. **Name Origin:** For Aransas Bay, on its eastern border; itself named for the Aransas River, which empties into the bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 528.16 (land 252.07; water 276.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.9.

**Pop 2010:** 23,158. **State rank:** 1599. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,640 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 24.6%; Asian 2.0%; Others 24.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 49.

## Aransas County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,610; median household $42,179; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,136 - $40,689.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ARCHER COUNTY

PO Box 458
Archer City, TX 76351
www.co.archer.tx.us

**Ph:** 940-574-4811
**Fax:** 940-574-2432

On the central northern border of TX, northwest of Ft. Worth; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Branch Tanner Archer (1790-1856), TX legislator (1836) and secretary of war (1836-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 919.20 (land 903.11; water 16.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.

**Pop 2010:** 9,054. **State rank:** 2519. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 9,095 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 7.5%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,882; median household $50,891; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,654 - $39,853.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ARMSTRONG COUNTY

Joe Dale Reck 101 S Trice PO Box 309
Claude, TX 79019
www.txarmstrong.com

**Ph:** 806-226-2081
**Fax:** 806-226-5301

In north-central TX panhandle, southeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the Armstrong family, early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 909.29 (land 909.11; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,901. **State rank:** 3040. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.5%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,173 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian Z%; Others 6.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,195; median household $60,530; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,671 - $43,117.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ATASCOSA COUNTY

1 Courthouse Circle Dr Suite 102
Jourdanton, TX 78026
www.co.atascosa.tx.us

**Ph:** 830-767-2511
**Fax:** 830-769-1021

In south-central TX, south of San Antonio; organized Jan 25, 1856 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the Atascosa River, which runs through it; from Spanish 'wet' or 'swampy.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,223.03 (land 1,219.54; water 3.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.8.

**Pop 2010:** 44,911. **State rank:** 1061. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 +11.9%. **Pop 2005:** 43,226 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 61.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 61.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,461; median household $42,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,510 - $28,745.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### AUSTIN COUNTY

1 E Main St
Bellville, TX 77418

**Ph:** 979-865-5911
**Fax:** 979-865-8786

In eastern TX, west of Houston; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Fuller Austin (1793-1836), MO territorial legislator (1814-20), AR jurist (1820), surveyor and explorer of TX (1822), and secretary of state of the Republic of TX (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 650.29 (land 646.51; water 3.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.

**Pop 2010:** 28,417. **State rank:** 1511. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 26,123 (White 78.8%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 23.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 23.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,959; median household $53,263; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,295 - $37,441.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BAILEY COUNTY

715 West 2nd St
Muleshoe, TX 79347
www.co.bailey.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-272-3044
**Fax:** 806-272-3538

On the central western border of TX panhandle, northwest of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Pvt. Peter James Bailey (1812-36), killed at the Battle of the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 827.48 (land 826.80; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,165. **State rank:** 2737. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,726 (White 75.3%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 59.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 59.8%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.5%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,275; median household $42,375; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,640 - $32,397.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**BANDERA COUNTY**
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Bandera, TX 78003
www.banderacounty.org
**Ph:** 830-796-3332
**Fax:** 830-796-8323

In south-central TX, northwest of San Antonio; organized Jan 26, 1856 from Uvalde County. **Name Origin:** From the Spanish for 'flag'; reason unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 796.77 (land 790.96; water 5.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,485. **State rank:** 1787. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +13.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,988 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 16.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 16.7%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 48.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,249; median household $44,352; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,651 - $36,310.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BASTROP COUNTY**
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Bastrop, TX 78602
www.co.bastrop.tx.us
**Ph:** 512-581-4258
**Fax:** 512-332-7249

In east-central TX, southeast of Austin; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Felipe Enrique Neri (?-1828), Baron de Bastrop, who established a colony of Germans in TX (1823); first commissioner of Austin's colony (1824).

**Area (sq mi):** 895.72 (land 888.15; water 7.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 83.5.

**Pop 2010:** 74,171. **State rank:** 719. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 +21.1%. **Pop 2005:** 69,932 (White 73.8%; Black or African American 7.8%; Hispanic or Latino 32.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 32.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.3%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,918; median household $51,829; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,956 - $28,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BAYLOR COUNTY**
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Seymour, TX 76380
www.dshs.state.tx.us
**Ph:** 940-889-3322
**Fax:** 940-889-4300

In north-central TX, southwest of Wichita Falls; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Weidner Baylor (1818-53), a physician in the Texas Rangers during the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 897.72 (land 867.48; water 30.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,726. **State rank:** 2921. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,843 (White 91.5%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 12.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 12.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 47.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,894; median household $33,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,039 - $33,951.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BEE COUNTY**
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Beeville, TX 78102
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**Fax:** 361-362-3247

In southeastern TX, northwest of Corpus Christi; organized Dec 8, 1857 from Goliad and Refugio counties. **Name Origin:** For Barnard E. Bee (1787-1853), TX soldier, statesman, and Minister from TX to the U.S. (1838-41) who opposed the annexation of TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 880.41 (land 880.24; water 0.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.2.

**Pop 2010:** 31,861. **State rank:** 1362. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 32,873 (White 78.8%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 56.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 56.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,188; median household $40,278; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,395 - $24,392.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beeville 🏛 (12,863).

**BELL COUNTY**
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Belton, TX 76513
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**Ph:** 254-939-3521
**Fax:** 254-933-5179

In south-central TX, northeast of Austin; organized Jan 22, 1850 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Peter Hansborough Bell (1812-98), governor of TX (1849-53) and U.S. representative from TX (1853-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,079.23 (land 1,051.02; water 28.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 295.2.

**Pop 2010:** 310,235. **State rank:** 225. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.2%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 256,057 (White 61.4%; Black or African American 21.5%; Hispanic or Latino 21.6%; Asian 2.8%; Others 21.6%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,722; median household $48,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,996 - $37,717.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Killeen (127,921); Temple (66,102); Harker Heights (26,700); Belton 🏛 (18,216).

**BEXAR COUNTY**
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San Antonio, TX 78205
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**Ph:** 210-335-2011
**Fax:** 210-335-2252

In south-central TX, southwest of Austin; original county, established Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Presidio of San Antonio de Bexas (later known as the Alamo), named for the second son of the Duke of Bexar, of the Spanish royal family. Alternate spelling of *Bejar*.

🏛 *County Seat*

## Bexar County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,249.66 (land 1,239.82; water 9.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 1383.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,714,773. **State rank:** 19. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.9%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,518,370 (White 72.9%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 58.7%; Asian 2.4%; Others 58.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.6%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,225; median household $47,048; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,403 - $34,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 44 for cities).

### BLANCO COUNTY

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Johnson City, TX 78636
www.co.blanco.tx.us

**Ph:** 830-868-4266
**Fax:** 830-868-9112

In south-central TX, west of Austin; organized Feb 12, 1858 from Gillespie and Comal counties. **Name Origin:** For the Blanco River, which runs through the south of the county; Spanish 'white'; origin uncertain.

**Area (sq mi):** 711.41 (land 709.25; water 2.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,497. **State rank:** 2492. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.2%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,110 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 18.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 18.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,010; median household $46,128; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,946 - $43,191.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BORDEN COUNTY

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Gail, TX 79738
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**Fax:** 806-756-4405

In south-central TX panhandle, southeast of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gail Borden, Jr. (1801-74), surveyor of Austin's colony (1830), publisher, and inventor of food products, including condensed milk.

**Area (sq mi):** 904.68 (land 897.44; water 7.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.7.

**Pop 2010:** 641. **State rank:** 3132. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 -11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 648 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 14.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 14.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 46.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,916; median household $58,409; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,712 - $44,830.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mesquite (139,824).

### BOSQUE COUNTY

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Meridian, TX 76665
www.bosquecounty.us

**Ph:** 254-435-2201
**Fax:** 254-435-2152

In central TX, northwest of Waco; organized Feb 14, 1854 from McLennan County. **Name Origin:** For the N. Bosque River, which runs through it; Spanish woods, forest.

**Area (sq mi):** 996.44 (land 982.98; water 13.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.5.

**Pop 2010:** 18,212. **State rank:** 1933. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 18,053 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 16.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 16.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,269; median household $45,288; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,595 - $31,637.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BOWIE COUNTY

710 James Bowie Dr
New Boston, TX 75570-0232

**Ph:** 903-628-6700
**Fax:** 903-628-6729

On the northeastern border of TX, northwest of Shreveport, LA; organized 1840 (prior to statehood) from Red River County. **Name Origin:** For Col. James A. Bowie (1795-1836), pioneer and officer in the Texas Revolution, killled at the Alamo. The bowie knife is named for him.

**Area (sq mi):** 919.91 (land 885.01; water 34.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.6.

**Pop 2010:** 92,565. **State rank:** 605. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 90,643 (White 68.8%; Black or African American 24.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.5%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,293; median household $42,550; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,876 - $34,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Garland (226,876); Texarkana (36,411).

### BRAZORIA COUNTY

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Angleton, TX 77515
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On central eastern border of TX, south of Houston; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Brazos River, which forms its northern border; a Latinized form of Spanish *brazos* 'arms' or 'forks' as the forks of a river.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,568.74 (land 1,357.70; water 211.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 230.7.

**Pop 2010:** 313,166. **State rank:** 204. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.5%; 2000-2005 +15.2%. **Pop 2005:** 278,484 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 12.1%; Hispanic or Latino 27.7%; Asian 5.5%; Others 27.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.9%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Brazoria County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,529; median household $65,607; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,988 - $37,344.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 44 for cities).

**BRAZOS COUNTY**
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Bryan, TX 77803
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**Ph:** 979-361-4135
**Fax:** 979-361-4125

In east-central TX, northwest of Houston; organized Jan 30, 1841 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For the Brazos River, which forms its western border; Spanish 'arms' or 'forks' as forks in a river.

**Area (sq mi):** 589.96 (land 585.45; water 4.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 332.8.

**Pop 2010:** 194,851. **State rank:** 340. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.7%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 156,305 (White 73.3%; Black or African American 11.0%; Hispanic or Latino 23.3%; Asian 5.2%; Others 23.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.5%. **Median age:** 24.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,018; median household $37,898; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,627 - $27,842.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** College Station (93,857); Bryan 🏛 (76,201).

**BREWSTER COUNTY**
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Alpine, TX 79830
www.brewstercountytx.com
**Ph:** 432-837-3366
**Fax:** 432-837-6217

On southwestern border of TX, southwest of Odessa; organized Feb 2, 1887 from Presidio County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Percy Brewster (1816-84), TX soldier, secretary to Sam Houston (1836), and attorney general of TX (1847-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 6,183.91 (land 6,183.73; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,232. **State rank:** 2464. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,079 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 42.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 42.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,577; median household $35,799; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,569 - $37,219.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRISCOE COUNTY**
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Silverton, TX 79257
**Ph:** 806-823-2134
**Fax:** 806-823-2359

In the central TX panhandle, southeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Andrew Briscoe (1810-49), Republic of TX officer, signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836), and chief justice of Harrisburg, TX (1836-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 901.33 (land 900; water 1.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,637. **State rank:** 3084. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 1,644 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 25.1%; Asian 0.0%; Others 25.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,652; median household $34,196; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,132 - $35,769.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROOKS COUNTY**
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Falfurrias, TX 78355
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**Fax:** 361-325-4944

In southeastern TX, southwest of Corpus Christi; organized Mar 11, 1911 from Starr and Zapata counties. **Name Origin:** For James Abijah Brooks (1855-1944), TX legislator, ranger (1882-1906), and judge of Brooks County (1911-39).

**Area (sq mi):** 943.69 (land 943.36; water 0.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,223. **State rank:** 2631. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.0%; 2000-2005 -3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,687 (White 89.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 91.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 91.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 37.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,728; median household $19,959; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,489 - $27,639.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BROWN COUNTY**
200 S Broadway
Brownwood, TX 76801
**Ph:** 325-643-2594

In central TX, southeast of Abilene; organized Aug 27, 1856 from Caldwell County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Stevenson Brown (1793-1834), Republic of TX soldier and delegate to the TX convention (1832-33).

**Area (sq mi):** 957.51 (land 944.43; water 13.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.3.

**Pop 2010:** 38,106. **State rank:** 1208. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 38,664 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 19.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,586; median household $38,832; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,458 - $30,940.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brownwood 🏛 (19,288).

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**BURLESON COUNTY**
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Caldwell, TX 77836
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**Ph:** 979-567-2008
**Fax:** 979-567-2009

In east-central TX, northeast of Austin; organized Mar 24, 1846 from Milam and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Edward Burleston (1798-1852), senator in the first TX congress (1836), vice president of the Republic of TX (1841), and TX legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 671.27 (land 659.03; water 12.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.1.

**Pop 2010:** 17,187. **State rank:** 1992. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,238 (White 77.9%; Black or African American 12.2%; Hispanic or Latino 18.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 18.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.8%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,379; median household $43,185; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,125 - $33,134.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BURNET COUNTY**
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In central TX, northwest of Austin; organized Feb 5, 1852 from Travis County. **Name Origin:** For David Gouverneur Burnet (1778-1870), president of the Republic of TX (1836) and vice president (1838-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,019.19 (land 994.26; water 24.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.

**Pop 2010:** 42,750. **State rank:** 1049. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +22.0%. **Pop 2005:** 41,676 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 20.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 20.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,245; median household $48,187; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,158 - $40,791.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALDWELL COUNTY**
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Lockhart, TX 78644
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**Fax:** 512-398-1816

In east-central TX, south of Austin; organized Mar 6, 1848 from Gonzales County. **Name Origin:** For Matthew Old Paint Caldwell (1798-1842), TX ranger, soldier, and a signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 546.95 (land 545.26; water 1.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.8.

**Pop 2010:** 38,066. **State rank:** 1217. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 36,523 (White 75.8%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 47.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 47.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,106; median household $41,594; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,595 - $25,446.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lockhart (12,698).

**CALHOUN COUNTY**
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Port Lavaca, TX 77979
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**Ph:** 361-553-4600
**Fax:** 361-553-4444

On the central eastern coast of TX, northeast of Corpus Christi; organized Apr 4, 1846 from Victoria County. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,026.68 (land 506.84; water 519.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,381. **State rank:** 1786. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,606 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 46.4%; Asian 4.4%; Others 46.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,835; median household $43,258; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,318 - $33,670.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Port Lavaca (12,248).

**CALLAHAN COUNTY**
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**Ph:** 325-854-1155
**Fax:** 325-854-1227

In north-central TX, east of Abilene; established Apr 1, 1858 from Milam and Travis counties. **Name Origin:** For James Hughes Callahan (1814-1856), soldier and Texas ranger; killed by Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.01 (land 899.37; water 2.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.1.

**Pop 2010:** 13,544. **State rank:** 2203. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 13,516 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,300; median household $44,596; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,419 - $32,228.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Denton (113,383).

**CAMERON COUNTY**
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Brownsville, TX 78520
www.co.cameron.tx.us
**Ph:** 956-544-0815
**Fax:** 956-544-0813

On the southeastern coast of TX, east of McAllen; organized Feb 12, 1848 from Nueces County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Ewin Cameron (1811-43), a Republic of TX soldier, executed by the Mexicans.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,261.50 (land 890.92; water 370.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 456.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Cameron County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 406,220. **State rank:** 167. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.4%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 378,311 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 88.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 88.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 25.2%. **Median age:** 30.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,695; median household $31,264; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,361 - $22,541.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brownsville 🏛 (175,023); Harlingen (64,849); San Benito (24,250).

### CAMP COUNTY

126 Church St
Pittsburg, TX 75686

**Ph:** 903-856-2731
**Fax:** 903-856-2309

In northeastern TX, southwest of Texarkana; organized Apr 6, 1874 from Upshur County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Lafayette Camp (1828-91), officer in the Confederate army, TX legislator (1874), and district judge (1878).

**Area (sq mi):** 201.52 (land 195.83; water 5.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,401. **State rank:** 2246. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,238 (White 67.8%; Black or African American 17.4%; Hispanic or Latino 21.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 21.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.1%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,710; median household $36,029; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,654 - $33,274.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CARSON COUNTY

501 Main St PO Box 487
Panhandle, TX 79068
www.co.carson.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-537-3873
**Fax:** 806-537-3623

In the north-central TX panhandle, east of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Price Carson (1798-1838), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) and secretary of state of the Republic of TX (1836-38).

**Area (sq mi):** 921.13 (land 920.22; water 0.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,182. **State rank:** 2749. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.1%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,586 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.5%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,977; median household $56,106; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,897 - $40,229.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CASS COUNTY

PO Box 449
Linden, TX 75563
www.co.cass.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-756-5071
**Fax:** 903-756-8057

On northeastern border of TX, south of Texarkana. The area now called Cass Co. has had five names and boundaries: (1) 1924-36, under Mexican rule, part of Paschal Co.; (2) 1836-41 part of Red River Co.; (3) 1841-46 part of Bowie Co.; (4) 1846-60 Cass Co. included Marion Co.; (5) name changed in 1861 to Davis to honor Jeff Davis; name changed back in 1871. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Lewis Cass (1782-1866), OH legislator, military and civil governor of MI Territory (1813-30), U.S. secretary of war (1831-36), and U.S. secretary of state (1857-60).

**Area (sq mi):** 959.95 (land 936.96; water 22.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.5.

**Pop 2010:** 30,464. **State rank:** 1444. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 30,155 (White 79.0%; Black or African American 17.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,137; median household $36,360; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,036 - $31,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CASTRO COUNTY

100 E Bedford St
Dimmitt, TX 79027
www.co.castro.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-647-4451
**Fax:** 806-647-4403

In the west-central panhandle, southwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Wheeler County. **Name Origin:** For Henri Castro (1786-1865), who established a colony in the Republic of TX (1842). Consul general of TX to France (1842).

**Area (sq mi):** 895.43 (land 894.43; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.

**Pop 2010:** 8,062. **State rank:** 2653. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,640 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 59.9%; Asian Z%; Others 59.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 18.2%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,073; median household $35,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,474 - $39,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHAMBERS COUNTY

404 Washington Ave
Anahuac, TX 77514
www.co.chambers.tx.us

**Ph:** 409-267-2411
**Fax:** 409-267-8296

On the central eastern coast of TX, east of Houston; organized Feb 12, 1858 from Jefferson and Liberty counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Jefferson Chambers (1802-65), surveyor general of TX (1829), attorney, and member of secession convention (1861).

**Area (sq mi):** 869.82 (land 597.14; water 272.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.8.

**Pop 2010:** 35,096. **State rank:** 1390. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +23.5%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 28,411 (White 78.6%; Black or African American 8.2%; Hispanic or Latino 18.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 18.9%,

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## Chambers County (cont'd)

including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,453; median household $66,764; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,881 - $43,872.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHEROKEE COUNTY

PO Box 420
Rusk, TX 75785

**Ph:** 903-683-2350
**Fax:** 903-683-5931

In northeastern TX, south of Tyler; organized Jul 13, 1846 from Nacogdoches County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. Name may derive from Creek *tciloki* people of a different speech.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,062.63 (land 1,052.91; water 9.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.3.

**Pop 2010:** 50,845. **State rank:** 985. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 48,464 (White 71.7%; Black or African American 14.7%; Hispanic or Latino 20.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 20.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,230; median household $36,966; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,384 - $28,284.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Jacksonville (14,544).

### CHILDRESS COUNTY

Courthouse Box 4
Childress, TX 79201
www.co.childress.tx.us

**Ph:** 940-937-6143
**Fax:** 940-937-3479

On the southeastern border of TX panhandle, northeast of Lubbock; established Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar and Fannin counties. **Name Origin:** For George Campbell Childress (1804-41), one of the drafters of the Texas Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 699.68 (land 696.41; water 3.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,041. **State rank:** 2620. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.3%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,676 (White 82.0%; Black or African American 9.9%; Hispanic or Latino 26.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 26.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,338; median household $42,004; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,611 - $24,382.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 10.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAY COUNTY

100 N Bridge St PO Box 548
Henrietta, TX 76365
www.co.clay.tx.us

**Ph:** 940-538-4631
**Fax:** 940-538-5597

On the central northern border of TX, east of Wichita Falls; organized Dec 24, 1857 from Cooke County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,107.08 (land 1,088.72; water 18.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.9.

**Pop 2010:** 10,752. **State rank:** 2360. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.7%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 11,287 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.3%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,565; median household $50,881; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,695 - $40,433.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COCHRAN COUNTY

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Morton, TX 79346
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**Ph:** 806-266-5450
**Fax:** 806-266-9027

On the central western border of TX panhandle, west of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Cochran (?-1836), a soldier killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 775.24 (land 775.15; water 0.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,127. **State rank:** 2971. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.9%; 2000-2005 -11.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,289 (White 73.2%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 52.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 52.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 14.3%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,018; median household $37,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,638 - $39,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COKE COUNTY

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Robert Lee, TX 76945

**Ph:** 325-453-2641
**Fax:** 325-453-2157

In central TX, southwest of Abilene; organized Mar 13, 1889 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Richard Coke (1829-97), Confederate Army officer, TX governor (1874-76), and U.S. senator (1876-94).

**Area (sq mi):** 940.64 (land 911.47; water 29.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,320. **State rank:** 2944. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.1%; 2000-2005 -6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,612 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 18.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 18.1%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,384; median household $38,702; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Coke County (cont'd)

$26,777 - $29,955.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLEMAN COUNTY**
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Coleman, TX 76834
www.co.coleman.tx.us
**Ph:** 325-625-2889

In central TX, southeast of Abilene; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Travis County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Robert M. Coleman (1799-1837), one of the signers of the TX Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,283.20 (land 1,261.95; water 21.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,895. **State rank:** 2550. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 8,665 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 16.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 16.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,494; median household $26,951; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,858 - $32,126.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLLIN COUNTY**
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McKinney, TX 75069
www.co.collin.tx.us
**Ph:** 972-548-4134
**Fax:** 972-547-5731

In east-central TX, north of Dallas; organized Apr 3, 1846 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Collin McKinney (1766-1861), Republic of TX legislator and a noted signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 879.52 (land 841.23; water 38.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 930.

**Pop 2010:** 782,341. **State rank:** 69. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.6%; 2000-2005 +34.1%. **Pop 2005:** 659,457 (White 71.6%; Black or African American 8.5%; Hispanic or Latino 14.7%; Asian 11.2%; Others 14.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.2%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,362; median household $80,504; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,136 - $48,229.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 6 (see page 44 for cities).

**COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY**
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Wellington, TX 79095
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On the southeastern border of TX panhandle, southwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar and Fannin counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. James T. Collinsworth (1806-38), aide to Gen. Sam Houston (1793-1863), Republic of TX senator (1836), and first chief justice (1837). Clerical spelling error was allowed to stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 919.08 (land 918.44; water 0.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,057. **State rank:** 2964. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,968 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 30.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 30.0%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,726; median household $39,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,258 - $33,291.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COLORADO COUNTY**
PO Box 68
Columbus, TX 78934
www.co.colorado.tx.us
**Ph:** 409-732-6561
**Fax:** 979-732-8852

In east-central TX, west of Houston; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Colorado River, which flows through it; Spanish 'reddish brown' for the color of its waters from the soil and rocks on its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 970.91 (land 960.27; water 10.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,874. **State rank:** 1784. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,736 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 13.1%; Hispanic or Latino 26.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 26.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,676; median household $41,145; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,645 - $38,893.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COMAL COUNTY**
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New Braunfels, TX 78130
www.co.comal.tx.us
**Ph:** 830-620-5513
**Fax:** 830-620-3410

In south-central TX, north of San Antonio; organized Mar 24, 1846 from Bexar and Gonzales counties. **Name Origin:** From Spanish 'basin,' descriptive of an area drained by a stream.

**Area (sq mi):** 572.63 (land 559.48; water 13.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 193.9.

**Pop 2010:** 108,472. **State rank:** 517. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.0%; 2000-2005 +23.1%. **Pop 2005:** 96,018 (White 89.5%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 24.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 24.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,862; median household $64,752; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,817 - $41,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** New Braunfels 🏛 (57,740); Canyon Lake (21,262).

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**COMANCHE COUNTY**
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Comanche, TX 76442
**Ph:** 325-356-2655
**Fax:** 325-356-5764

In central TX, southeast of Abilene; organized Jan 25, 1856 from Bosque and Coryell counties. **Name Origin:** For an Indian tribe of Shoshonean linguistic stock; the meaning of the name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 947.73 (land 937.75; water 9.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,974. **State rank:** 2193. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,709 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 25.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 25.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,086; median household $35,218; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,170 - $33,450.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CONCHO COUNTY**
152 N Roberts St PO Box 98
Paint Rock, TX 76866
www.co.concho.tx.us
**Ph:** 325-732-4322
**Fax:** 325-732-2040

In central TX, east of San Angelo; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the Concho River, which runs through it; from the Indian tribal name.

**Area (sq mi):** 986.03 (land 983.80; water 2.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,087. **State rank:** 2926. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,735 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 53.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 53.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 38.5%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,731; median household $49,063; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,249 - $22,847.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**COOKE COUNTY**
100 S Dixon St
Gainesville, TX 76240
www.co.cooke.tx.us
**Ph:** 940-668-5420
**Fax:** 940-668-5440

On the central northern border of TX, north of Fort Worth; organized Mar 20, 1848 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. William G. Cooke (1808-47), officer in the Texas War for Independence and quartermaster general (1839).

**Area (sq mi):** 899.93 (land 874.76; water 25.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.9.

**Pop 2010:** 38,437. **State rank:** 1200. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.1%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 38,847 (White 85.7%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 15.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 15.6%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,598; median household $48,899; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,908 - $40,740.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gainesville (16,002).

**CORYELL COUNTY**
620 E Main St PO Box 237
Gatesville, TX 76528
www.coryellcounty.org
**Ph:** 254-865-5911
**Fax:** 254-865-8631

In east-central TX, west of Waco; organized Feb 4, 1854 from Bell and McLennan counties. **Name Origin:** For James Coryell (1801-37), a Texas ranger killed by Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,057.04 (land 1,052.07; water 4.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.7.

**Pop 2010:** 75,388. **State rank:** 734. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 75,802 (White 70.3%; Black or African American 15.8%; Hispanic or Latino 15.9%; Asian 1.9%; Others 15.9%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 29.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,936; median household $47,374; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,584 - $33,991.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 69.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Copperas Cove (32,032); Gatesville (15,751).

**COTTLE COUNTY**
9th and Richards St PO Box 717
Paducah, TX 79248
www.county-clerk.net
**Ph:** 806-492-3823
**Fax:** 806-492-2625

In the southeastern TX panhandle, west of Wichita Falls; organized 1892 from Childress County (other sources say organized Aug 21, 1876; first federal census: 1880). **Name Origin:** For Pvt. George Washington Cottle (1798-1836), killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.98 (land 900.56; water 0.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,505. **State rank:** 3080. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -13.8%; 2000-2005 -8.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,746 (White 80.5%; Black or African American 8.8%; Hispanic or Latino 21.0%; Asian 0.0%; Others 21.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,385; median household $33,859; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,931 - $36,260.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CRANE COUNTY**
201 W 6th St
Crane, TX 79731
www.co.crane.tx.us
**Ph:** 432-558-1108
**Fax:** 432-558-1185

In west-central TX, south of Odessa; organized 1927 from Ector County (other sources say organized Feb 26, 1887 from Tom Green County; first federal census: 1890). **Name Origin:** For William Carey Crane (1816-85), Baptist minister and president of Baylor University (1863-85).

**Area (sq mi):** 785.10 (land 785.07; water 0.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Crane County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 4,375. **State rank:** 2884. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.0%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,837 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 2.9%; Hispanic or Latino 55.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 55.1%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.1%. **Median age:** 35.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,185; median household $50,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,590 - $31,102.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CROCKETT COUNTY

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Ozona, TX 76943
www.co.crockett.tx.us

**Ph:** 325-392-2022
**Fax:** 325-392-3742

In west-central TX, southwest of San Angelo; organized Jan 22, 1875 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For David Davy Crockett (1786-1836), frontiersman, U.S. representative from TN (1827-31; 1833-35), fighter for TX independence killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,807.34 (land 2,807.33; water 0.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,719. **State rank:** 2916. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 3,934 (White 83.1%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 63.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 63.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,194; median household $50,653; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,035 - $32,020.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CROSBY COUNTY

201 W Aspen St, Suite 102
Crosbyton, TX 79322

**Ph:** 806-675-2334
**Fax:** 806-675-2980

In the south-central TX panhandle, east of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Baylor County (other sources say organized from Garza County). **Name Origin:** For Stephen F. Crosby (1800-69), chief clerk in TX land office (1853-57; 1859-67).

**Area (sq mi):** 902.37 (land 900.20; water 2.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.7.

**Pop 2010:** 6,059. **State rank:** 2750. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 -5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,686 (White 79.0%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 52.3%; Asian 0.1%; Others 52.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,940; median household $36,301; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,373 - $37,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CULBERSON COUNTY

300 La Caverna St PO Box 927
Van Horn, TX 79855
www.co.culberson.tx.us

**Ph:** 432-283-2059
**Fax:** 432-283-9234

On the northwestern border of TX, east of El Paso; organized Apr 18, 1911 from El Paso County. **Name Origin:** For Col. David Browning Culberson (1830-1903), Confederate army officer, TX legislator, and U.S. representative (1875-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,813.05 (land 3,812.80; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,398. **State rank:** 3019. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.7%; 2000-2005 -11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,627 (White 78.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 76.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 76.2%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.8%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,060; median household $35,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,142 - $29,548.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.4%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 8.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DALLAM COUNTY

PO Box 1352
Dalhart, TX 79022
www.dallam.org/county

**Ph:** 806-244-4751
**Fax:** 806-244-3751

On the northwestern border of TX panhandle, northwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For James Wilmer Dallam (1818-47), Texas legal writer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,503.82 (land 1,503.26; water 0.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,703. **State rank:** 2732. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,174 (White 80.1%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 40.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 40.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.7%. **Median age:** 32.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,940; median household $47,073; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,995 - $47,705.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DALLAS COUNTY

411 Elm St, 4th fl
Dallas, TX 75202
www.dallascounty.org

**Ph:** 214-653-7361
**Fax:** 214-653-7057

In northeastern TX, east of Fort Worth; organized 1846 from Nacogdoches County. **Name Origin:** Traditionally believed to be for George Mifflin Dallas (1792-1864), PA statesman, U.S. vice president (1845-49), and U.S. Minister to Great Britian (1856-61). County historians believe it unlikely that the city founders would honor a vice president when they had several friends so named, especially Joseph Dallas, an old friend from AK.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.24 (land 871.28; water 28.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 2718.

**Pop 2010:** 2,368,139. **State rank:** 9. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 2,305,454 (White 53.5%; Black or African American 22.3%; Hispanic or Latino 38.3%; Asian 5.0%; Others 38.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.0%. **Median age:** 32.5.

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## Dallas County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,185; median household $47,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,347 - $43,178.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 20 (see page 44 for cities).

### DAWSON COUNTY

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Lamesa, TX 79331-1126
www.co.dawson.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-872-7544
**Fax:** 806-872-7496

In the southwestern TX panhandle, south of Lubbock; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Nicholas Mosby Dawson (1808-42), Republic of TX army officer killed in action.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.37 (land 900.31; water 0.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.4.

**Pop 2010:** 13,833. **State rank:** 2184. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 14,256 (White 76.7%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 53.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 53.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,288; median household $33,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,079 - $31,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DEAF SMITH COUNTY

235 E 3rd St Rm 100
Hereford, TX 79045
www.co.deaf-smith.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-364-0999
**Fax:** 806-363-7023

On the northeastern border of TX panhandle, southwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Erastus Deaf Smith (1787-1837), Republic of Texas scout and soldier.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,497.79 (land 1,496.87; water 0.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,372. **State rank:** 1895. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 18,538 (White 77.8%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 67.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 67.3%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.5%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,687; median household $41,127; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,444 - $31,822.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hereford (15,370).

### DELTA COUNTY

90 Texas Hwy 24 S
Cooper, TX 75432
www.co.delta.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-395-4118
**Fax:** 903-395-4455

In northeastern TX, northeast of Dallas; organized Jul 29, 1870 from Lamar County. **Name Origin:** For its triangular shape, like the Greek letter *delta*.

**Area (sq mi):** 257.67 (land 256.83; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.4.

**Pop 2010:** 5,231. **State rank:** 2798. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 5,480 (White 85.3%; Black or African American 7.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.5%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,837; median household $37,908; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,547 - $28,405.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DENTON COUNTY

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Denton, TX 76209-9452
dentoncounty.com

**Ph:** 940-349-2012
**Fax:** 940-349-2013

In north-central TX, north of Fort Worth; organized Apr 11, 1846 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For John B. Denton (1806-41), an officer killed by Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 947.77 (land 878.43; water 69.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 754.3.

**Pop 2010:** 662,614. **State rank:** 92. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.5%; 2000-2005 +28.1%. **Pop 2005:** 554,642 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 8.4%; Hispanic or Latino 18.2%; Asian 6.6%; Others 18.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.6%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,538; median household $70,622; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,444 - $40,474.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 44 for cities).

### DEWITT COUNTY

307 N Gonzales St
Cuero, TX 77954
www.co.dewitt.tx.us

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**Fax:** 361-275-8994

In east-central TX, southeast of San Antonio; organized Mar 24, 1846 from Goliad, Gonzales, and Victoria counties. **Name Origin:** For Green C. De Witt (1787-1835), an early colonizer in Mexican Texas.

**Area (sq mi):** 910.27 (land 908.98; water 1.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,097. **State rank:** 1835. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,507 (White 75.7%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 32.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 32.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,020; median household $40,668; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,018 - $33,114.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**DICKENS COUNTY**
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Dickens, TX 79229
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**Ph:** 806-623-5531
**Fax:** 806-623-5319

In the southeastern TX panhandle, east of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For J. Dickens (?-1836), killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.72 (land 901.72; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 2,444. **State rank:** 3003. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,646 (White 84.0%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 29.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 29.0%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,642; median household $33,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,232 - $28,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DIMMIT COUNTY**
103 N 5th St
Carrizo Springs, TX 78834
www.dimmitcounty.org
**Ph:** 830-876-2323
**Fax:** 830-876-5036

On the southwestern border of TX, northwest of Laredo; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar and Maverick counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Philip Dimmit (1801-41), Republic of TX officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,332.45 (land 1,328.88; water 3.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,996. **State rank:** 2445. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,395 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 86.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 86.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,045; median household $25,882; **Pop below poverty level:** 36.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,797 - $27,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DONLEY COUNTY**
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Clarendon, TX 79226
www.donleytx.com
**Ph:** 806-874-3436
**Fax:** 806-874-3351

In the east-central TX panhandle, southeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Jack [sic] County. **Name Origin:** For Stockton P. Donley (1821-71), Confederate army officer and member of the supreme court of TX (1866).

**Area (sq mi):** 930.17 (land 926.89; water 3.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,677. **State rank:** 2923. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.5%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,889 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,137; median household $46,130; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,112 - $33,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DUVAL COUNTY**
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San Diego, TX 78384
**Ph:** 254-629-1583
**Fax:** 254-629-8125

In southern TX, west of Corpus Christi; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Live Oak, Starr, and Nueces counties. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Burr H. Duval (1809-36), an officer killed at Goliad during the Texas Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,796.45 (land 1,793.48; water 2.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 11,782. **State rank:** 2290. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.3%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 12,578 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 88.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 88.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,134; median household $30,493; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,362 - $31,102.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EASTLAND COUNTY**
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Eastland, TX 76448
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**Ph:** 254-629-1583
**Fax:** 254-629-8125

In north-central TX, east of Abilene; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bosque, Coryell, and Travis counties. **Name Origin:** For William Mosby Eastland (1806-43), Texas Revolutionary officer executed by Mexican Gen. Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna (1794-1876).

**Area (sq mi):** 932.38 (land 926.49; water 5.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.1.

**Pop 2010:** 18,583. **State rank:** 1901. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,393 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 14.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 14.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,973; median household $32,452; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,351 - $42,364.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ECTOR COUNTY**
300 N Grant Ave Rm 111
Odessa, TX 79761
www.co.ector.tx.us
**Ph:** 432-498-4130
**Fax:** 432-498-4177

In the southwestern TX panhandle, west of Midland; organized Feb 26, 1887 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Matthew Duncan Ector (1822-79), TX legislator and jurist.

**Area (sq mi):** 898.31 (land 897.69; water 0.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 152.8.

**Pop 2010:** 137,130. **State rank:** 450. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 125,339 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 4.5%; Hispanic or Latino 52.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 52.7%,

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including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.8%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,859; median household $45,815; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,176 - $34,653.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Odessa (99,940); West Odessa (22,707).

### EDWARDS COUNTY

PO Box 184
Rocksprings, TX 78880
www.edwardscountytexas.us/Officials/clerk.htm

**Ph:** 830-683-2235
**Fax:** 830-683-5376

In southwestern TX, northeast of Del Rio; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Hayden Edwards (1771-1849), founder of a colony at Nacogdoches in Mexican TX (1825).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,118.05 (land 2,117.86; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,002. **State rank:** 3055. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 1,987 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 51.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 51.3%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,109; median household $40,163; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,194 - $29,862.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### EL PASO COUNTY

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El Paso, TX 79901
www.co.el-paso.tx.us

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**Fax:** 915-546-2012

On the northwestern border of TX, north of Cuidad Juarez, Mexico; organized Jan 3, 1850 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the city, itself from Spanish for 'the ford,' for a major crossing of the Rio Grande River, or 'the pass' for El Paso del Norte 'the north pass' through either the Sierra Madre or the Franklin mountains: the city lies in a valley between them.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,014.26 (land 1,012.69; water 1.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 790.6.

**Pop 2010:** 800,647. **State rank:** 75. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.0%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 721,598 (White 82.1%; Black or African American 3.1%; Hispanic or Latino 82.2%; Asian 1.0%; Others 82.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 26.9%. **Median age:** 31.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,768; median household $36,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,013 - $28,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** El Paso (649,121); Socorro (32,013); Horizon City (16,735); San Elizario (13,603).

### ELLIS COUNTY

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Waxahachie, TX 75165
www.co.ellis.tx.us

**Ph:** 972-825-5071
**Fax:** 972-923-5010

In east-central TX, south of Dallas; organized Dec 20, 1849 from Navarro County. **Name Origin:** Named by Gen. Edward H. Tarrant (1796-1858) for his friend, Richard Ellis (1781-1846), AL jurist and legislator, and member of the Constitutional Congress that declared TX independent from Mexico in 1836.

**Area (sq mi):** 947.24 (land 935.49; water 11.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 159.9.

**Pop 2010:** 149,610. **State rank:** 407. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.1%; 2000-2005 +19.9%. **Pop 2005:** 133,474 (White 78.6%; Black or African American 9.0%; Hispanic or Latino 23.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 23.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,346; median household $60,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,485 - $33,829.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waxahachie (29,621); Ennis (18,513); Midlothian (18,037); Red Oak (10,769).

### ERATH COUNTY

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Stephenville, TX 76401
www.co.erath.tx.us

**Ph:** 254-965-1452
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In north-central TX, southwest of Fort Worth; organized Jan 25, 1856 from Bosque and Coryell counties. **Name Origin:** For George Bernard Erath (1813-91), Indian fighter, Texas Ranger, and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,086.54 (land 1,083.07; water 3.47). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.

**Pop 2010:** 37,890. **State rank:** 1263. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 34,076 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 19.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 19.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 31.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,903; median household $39,200; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,378 - $29,875.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Stephenville (17,123).

### FALLS COUNTY

PO Box 458
Marlin, TX 76661

**Ph:** 254-883-1408
**Fax:** 254-883-1406

In east-central TX, southeast of Waco; organized Jan 28, 1850 from Limestone and Milam counties. **Name Origin:** For the rapids on the Brazos River, which traverses the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 770.20 (land 765.48; water 4.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.3.

**Pop 2010:** 17,866. **State rank:** 1974. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,646 (White 60.6%; Black or African American 25.3%; Hispanic or Latino 20.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 20.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,979; median household $31,083; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Falls County (cont'd)

$23,629 - $27,502.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FANNIN COUNTY**
101 E Sam Rayburn Dr County Courthouse, Suite 102
**Ph:** 903-583-7486
Bonham, TX 75418-8434 **Fax:** 903-583-7811
www.co.fannin.tx.us

On the northeastern border of TX, northeast of Dallas; organized Dec 14, 1837 from Red River County. **Name Origin:** For James Walker Fannin (1809-36), GA soldier killed in action in the TX War of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 898.55 (land 890.84; water 7.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.1.

**Pop 2010:** 33,915. **State rank:** 1340. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 33,142 (White 86.0%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 9.5%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,221; median household $44,551; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,640 - $27,939.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bonham 🏛 (10,127).

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
246 West Colorado St PO Box 59 **Ph:** 979-968-3251
La Grange, TX 78945-5220 **Fax:** 979-968-8531
www.co.fayette.tx.us

In east-central TX, southeast of Austin; organized Dec 14, 1837 from Bastrop and Colorado counties. **Name Origin:** For Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 959.82 (land 950.01; water 9.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.8.

**Pop 2010:** 24,554. **State rank:** 1676. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 22,537 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 18.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 18.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 46.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,898; median household $45,450; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,795 - $37,516.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FISHER COUNTY**
PO Box 368 **Ph:** 325-776-2401
Roby, TX 79543 **Fax:** 325-776-3274
www.co.fisher.tx.us

In north-central TX, northwest of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Rhoads Fisher (1794-1839), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) and secretary of the TX Navy.

**Area (sq mi):** 899.52 (land 898.94; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,974. **State rank:** 2909. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 4,089 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 25.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 25.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,516; median household $41,458; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,790 - $35,745.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FLOYD COUNTY**
100 Main St Courthouse Rm 101 **Ph:** 806-983-4905
Floydada, TX 79235 **Fax:** 806-983-4909
www.txfloyd.org

In the central TX panhandle, northeast of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Dolfin Ward Floyd (1807-36), killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 992.46 (land 992.14; water 0.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,446. **State rank:** 2714. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -10.1%; 2000-2005 -7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,174 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 52.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 52.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,093; median household $35,240; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,801 - $37,711.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cedar Hill (45,028).

**FOARD COUNTY**
107 East Commerce St PO Box 539 **Ph:** 940-684-1919
Crowell, TX 79227 **Fax:** 940-684-1947
foard.agrilife.org

In north-central TX, west of Wichita Falls; organized Mar 3, 1891 from Knox and King counties. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Robert J. Foard (1831-98), Confederate army officer and attorney.

**Area (sq mi):** 705.41 (land 704.40; water 1.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,336. **State rank:** 3092. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.0%; 2000-2005 -6.4%. **Pop 2005:** 1,518 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 14.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,368; median household $30,417; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,750 - $32,225.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**FORT BEND COUNTY**
301 Jackson St, Suite 101
Richmond, TX 77469
www.co.fort-bend.tx.us
**Ph:** 281-341-8685
**Fax:** 281-341-8669

In east-central TX, southwest of Houston; organized Dec 29, 1837 from Austin County. **Name Origin:** For the fort built at a bend in the Brazos River, on the western border of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 872.89 (land 861.48; water 11.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 679.5.

**Pop 2010:** 585,375. **State rank:** 110. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +26.3%; 2000-2005 +30.8%. **Pop 2005:** 463,650 (White 50.6%; Black or African American 21.5%; Hispanic or Latino 23.7%; Asian 17.0%; Others 23.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 24.5%. **Median age:** 35.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,016; median household $79,845; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,956 - $45,398.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 44 for cities).

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
200 N Kaufman St PO Box 68
Mount Vernon, TX 75457
co.franklin.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-537-4252

In northeastern TX, southwest of Texarkana; organized Mar 6, 1875 from Titus County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Benjamin Cromwell Franklin (1805-73), an officer in the Republic of Texas army and a jurist.

**Area (sq mi):** 293.51 (land 284.39; water 9.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,605. **State rank:** 2364. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 10,200 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 12.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 12.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,821; median household $45,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,270 - $34,054.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FREESTONE COUNTY**
103 E Main PO Box 1010
Fairfield, TX 75840
www.co.freestone.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-389-2635
**Fax:** 903-389-6533

In east-central TX, northeast of Waco; organized Sep 6, 1850 from Limestone County. **Name Origin:** Either for freestone water, which contains little or no dissolved substances, such as calcium, or for any stone that can be cut easily and without splitting.

**Area (sq mi):** 892.44 (land 877.74; water 14.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,816. **State rank:** 1843. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 18,800 (White 73.1%; Black or African American 16.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 13.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,235; median household $44,560; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,216 - $29,882.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRIO COUNTY**
500 E San Antonio St, Rm 6
Pearsall, TX 78061
**Ph:** 830-334-2214
**Fax:** 830-334-0021

In southern TX, southwest of San Antonio; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar and Uvalde counties. **Name Origin:** For the Frio River, which runs through it; Spanish 'cold.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,134.76 (land 1,133.50; water 1.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.2.

**Pop 2010:** 17,217. **State rank:** 2023. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,387 (White 77.4%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 77.8%; Asian 2.1%; Others 77.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 32.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,036; median household $35,940; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,243 - $23,729.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GAINES COUNTY**
101 S Main St Rm 107
Seminole, TX 79360
www.gainescountyonline.us
**Ph:** 432-758-4003
**Fax:** 432-758-1442

On the southwestern border of TX panhandle, north of Odessa; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For James Gaines (1776-1850), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) and TX legislator (1838-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,502.87 (land 1,502.38; water 0.49). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.7.

**Pop 2010:** 17,526. **State rank:** 2073. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.1%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 14,712 (White 84.0%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 36.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 36.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 19.9%. **Median age:** 28.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,785; median household $46,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,865 - $29,025.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GALVESTON COUNTY**
722 Moody St
Galveston, TX 77550
www.co.galveston.tx.us
**Ph:** 409-766-2284
**Fax:** 409-766-2479

On the central-eastern coast of TX, south of Houston; organized May 15, 1838 (prior to statehood) from Brazoria County. **Name Origin:** For Bernardo de Galvez (1746-86), Spanish colonial leader active in the Spanish possessions along the Gulf of Mexico. Form of the name is anglicized.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Galveston County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 852.82 (land 378.36; water 474.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 769.9.

**Pop 2010:** 291,309. **State rank:** 223. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 277,563 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 22.4%; Asian 3.0%; Others 22.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,959; median household $58,317; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,941 - $42,741.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 44 for cities).

### GARZA COUNTY

PO Box 366
Post, TX 79356
www.garzacounty.net

**Ph:** 806-495-4430
**Fax:** 806-495-4431

In south-central TX panhandle, southeast of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Geronimo Garza, a colonizer who founded San Antonio.

**Area (sq mi):** 894.04 (land 893.41; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,461. **State rank:** 2847. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +29.2%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,002 (White 82.8%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 47.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 47.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 31.0%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,185; median household $35,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,284 - $28,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 14 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GILLESPIE COUNTY

101 W Main St, Rm 109 Unit 13
Fredericksburg, TX 78624
www.gillespiecounty.org

**Ph:** 830-997-6515
**Fax:** 830-997-9958

In central TX, west of Austin; established Feb 23, 1848 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Addison Gillespie (?-1846), Texas Ranger killed during the Mexican War.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,058.63 (land 1,058.21; water 0.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.5.

**Pop 2010:** 24,837. **State rank:** 1619. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 23,088 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 20.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 20.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 49.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,072; median household $52,682; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,623 - $45,343.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fredericksburg 🏛 (10,530).

### GLASSCOCK COUNTY

117 E Currie St
Garden City, TX 79739
www.co.glasscock.tx.us

**Ph:** 432-354-2371

In west-central TX, east of Midland; organized Apr 4, 1887 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington Glasscock (1810-79), a miller at Austin, TX, and TX legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 900.41 (land 900.22; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,226. **State rank:** 3099. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 1,327 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 30.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 30.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.9%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,104; median household $61,184; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,289 - $44,726.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GOLIAD COUNTY

127 N Courthouse Sq
Goliad, TX 77963
www.co.goliad.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-645-3345
**Fax:** 361-645-3858

In southeastern TX, north of Corpus Christi; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** Probably originally of biblical origin from *Goliath*; also believed to be an anagram from *Hidalgo* (minus the silent h), referring to Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla (1753-1811), the first promotor of Mexican independence from Spain. Applied to a presidio by the 1829 Congress of Coahuila and Texas.

**Area (sq mi):** 857.84 (land 852.01; water 5.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,210. **State rank:** 2667. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 7,102 (White 83.7%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 34.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 34.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,120; median household $51,786; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,356 - $28,386.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GONZALES COUNTY

1709 Sarah Dewitt Dr
Gonzales, TX 78629
www.co.gonzales.tx.us

**Ph:** 830-672-2801
**Fax:** 830-672-2636

In east-central TX, east of San Antonio; original county organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Col. Rafael Gonzales (1789-1857), provisional governor of Coahuila and TX (1824-26).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,068.76 (land 1,066.69; water 2.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,807. **State rank:** 1836. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 19,587 (White 71.5%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 47.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 47.2%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.9%.

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## Gonzales County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,716; median household $37,094; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,153 - $31,670.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAY COUNTY**
PO Box 1902
Pampa, TX 79066-6190
www.co.gray.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-669-8004
**Fax:** 806-669-8054

In northeastern TX panhandle, east of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Peter W. Gray (1819-74), an officer in the TX army, TX legislator and justice of the TX supreme court (1874).

**Area (sq mi):** 926.94 (land 925.97; water 0.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.3.

**Pop 2010:** 22,535. **State rank:** 1717. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 21,479 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 23.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 23.8%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,567; median household $40,442; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,308 - $36,554.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pampa (17,994).

**GRAYSON COUNTY**
100 W Houston St
Sherman, TX 75090
www.co.grayson.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-813-4200
**Fax:** 903-868-9691

On the northeastern border of TX, north of Dallas; organized Mar 17, 1846 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Peter William Grayson (1788-1838), Republic of TX attorney general (1836) who was nominated for presidency of the Republic of Sam Houston (1793-1863), first president of the Republic of TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 978.48 (land 932.80; water 45.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.6.

**Pop 2010:** 120,877. **State rank:** 495. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 116,834 (White 83.9%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 11.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 11.3%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 39.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,242; median household $46,875; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,006 - $32,225.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sherman (38,521); Denison (22,682).

**GREGG COUNTY**
101 E Methvin, Suite 200 PO Box 3049
Longview, TX 75601
www.co.gregg.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-236-8430
**Fax:** 903-237-2574

In northeastern TX, northeast of Tyler; organized Apr 12, 1873 from Rusk and Upshur counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Gregg (1828-64), officer in the Confederate Army.

**Area (sq mi):** 275.64 (land 273.30; water 2.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 445.4.

**Pop 2010:** 121,730. **State rank:** 496. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 115,649 (White 67.3%; Black or African American 20.0%; Hispanic or Latino 16.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 16.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,024; median household $43,367; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,561 - $40,079.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Longview (80,455); Kilgore (12,975).

**GRIMES COUNTY**
101 S Main St PO Box 209
Anderson, TX 77830
www.co.grimes.tx.us
**Ph:** 936-873-4410
**Fax:** 936-873-2056

In east-central TX, east of Austin; organized Apr 6, 1846 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For Jesse Grimes (1788-1866), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) and legislator (1836-37; 1841-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 795.02 (land 787.46; water 7.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.8.

**Pop 2010:** 26,604. **State rank:** 1549. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 25,192 (White 73.0%; Black or African American 16.5%; Hispanic or Latino 21.2%; Asian 0.2%; Others 21.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,365; median household $39,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,307 - $29,050.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GUADALUPE COUNTY**
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Seguin, TX 78156
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**Ph:** 830-303-4188
**Fax:** 830-401-0300

In south-central TX, east of San Antonio; organized Mar 30, 1846 from Bexar and Gonzales counties. **Name Origin:** For the Guadalupe River, which traverses the county; named for Our Lady of Guadalupe, the patron saint of Mexico.

**Area (sq mi):** 714.33 (land 711.30; water 3.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 184.9.

**Pop 2010:** 131,533. **State rank:** 490. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +27.7%; 2000-2005 +15.7%. **Pop 2005:** 103,032 (White 79.8%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 35.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 35.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,218; median household $61,274; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Guadalupe County (cont'd)

$31,903 - $35,120.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Schertz (31,465); Seguin 🏛 (25,175); Cibolo (15,349).

### HALE COUNTY

500 Broadway St, Suite 140
Plainview, TX 79072

**Ph:** 806-291-5261
**Fax:** 806-291-9810

In west-central TX panhandle, north of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. John C. Hale (?-1836), a TX officer killed in the battle of San Jacinto.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,004.80 (land 1,004.68; water 0.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.1.

**Pop 2010:** 36,273. **State rank:** 1281. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 36,233 (White 70.8%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 55.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 55.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 32.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,322; median household $36,509; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,651 - $28,549.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Plainview 🏛 (22,194).

### HALL COUNTY

512 Main St Suite 8
Memphis, TX 79245
www.co.hall.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-259-2627
**Fax:** 806-259-5078

In east-central TX panhandle, northeast of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Warren D. C. Hall (1788-1867), TX Republic officer and secretary of war.

**Area (sq mi):** 884.48 (land 883.49; water 0.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,353. **State rank:** 2942. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,700 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 32.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 32.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.7%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,126; median household $29,219; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,501 - $29,658.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HAMILTON COUNTY

102 N. Rice Ste 107
Hamilton, TX 76531
www.hamiltoncountytx.org

**Ph:** 254-386-3518
**Fax:** 254-386-8727

In central TX, northwest of Waco; created Jan 22, 1858 and organized Jun 2, 1858, being part of the Milam Land District of TX and developed from parts of Bosque, Lampasas, and Comanche counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Hamilton, Jr. (1786-1857), U.S. representative from SC (1822-29), governor (1830-32), and legislator who championed the cause of TX independence and settled there (1855).

**Area (sq mi):** 836.58 (land 835.91; water 0.67). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,517. **State rank:** 2583. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.1%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 8,105 (White 92.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,429; median household $40,808; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,258 - $34,714.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HANSFORD COUNTY

15 NW Court
Spearman, TX 79081

**Ph:** 806-659-4110
**Fax:** 806-659-4168

In north-central TX panhandle, northeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John M. Hansford (?-1844), TX district court judge (1840-42) and attorney general of TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 920.41 (land 919.81; water 0.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,613. **State rank:** 2799. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,230 (White 81.8%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 43.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 43.3%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.3%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,095; median household $52,239; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,899 - $41,713.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HARDEMAN COUNTY

PO Box 30
Quanah, TX 79252-2003

**Ph:** 940-663-2901
**Fax:** 940-663-5161

On the central northern border of TX, northwest of Wichita Falls; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Bailey Hardeman (1795-1836), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) and secretary of the treasury of the TX Republic.

**Area (sq mi):** 696.73 (land 695.11; water 1.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,139. **State rank:** 2908. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 -9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,291 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 21.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 21.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,401; median household $36,295; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,705 - $30,490.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**HARDIN COUNTY**
300 Monroe St Suite B-110 **Ph:** 409-246-5185
Kountze, TX 77625
www.co.hardin.tx.us

In east-central TX, north of Beaumont; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Jefferson and Liberty counties. **Name Origin:** For William Hardin (1801-39), primary judge of Liberty, TX (1834).

**Area (sq mi):** 893.61 (land 890.57; water 3.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.3.

**Pop 2010:** 54,635. **State rank:** 918. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +6.0%. **Pop 2005:** 50,976 (White 90.6%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,965; median household $52,755; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,965 - $37,143.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lumberton (11,943).

**HARRIS COUNTY**
201 Caroline St Ste 460 **Ph:** 713-755-6411
Houston, TX 77002
www.hctx.net

In east-central TX, north of Galveston; organized as Harrrisburg County Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Austin and Liberty counties (Old Mexican Municipality); name changed Dec 28, 1839. **Name Origin:** For John Richardson Harris (1790-1829), trading post owner who ran steamboats between Texas and New Orleans.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,752.35 (land 1,703.48; water 48.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 2402.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,092,459. **State rank:** 3. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.8%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 3,693,050 (White 56.6%; Black or African American 18.9%; Hispanic or Latino 40.8%; Asian 6.2%; Others 40.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 25.0%. **Median age:** 32.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,788; median household $51,444; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,907 - $44,757.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 21 (see page 44 for cities).

**HARRISON COUNTY**
200 W Houston, Suite 143 **Ph:** 903-935-8403
Marshall, TX 75671 **Fax:** 903-935-4877
www.co.harrison.tx.us

On the northeastern border of TX, west of Shreveport, LA; organized Jan 28, 1839 (prior to statehood) from Shelby County. **Name Origin:** For Jonas Harrison (1777-1837), a pioneer lawyer from Shelby County.

**Area (sq mi):** 916.33 (land 899.95; water 16.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.9.

**Pop 2010:** 65,631. **State rank:** 794. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 63,459 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 21.9%; Hispanic or Latino 11.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 11.1%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,019; median household $44,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,426 - $37,586.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marshall (23,523).

**HARTLEY COUNTY**
900 Main St PO Box Q **Ph:** 806-235-3582
Channing, TX 79018 **Fax:** 806-235-2316
www.co.hartley.tx.us

On the northwestern border of TX panhandle, northwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Cromwell Hartley (1823-59), TX attorney, legislator, and legal scholar.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,462.98 (land 1,462.03; water 0.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,062. **State rank:** 2831. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 5,450 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 6.9%; Hispanic or Latino 23.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 23.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,616; median household $66,583; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,167 - $37,080.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HASKELL COUNTY**
PO Box 725 **Ph:** 940-864-2451
Haskell, TX 79521 **Fax:** 940-864-6164
www.co.haskell.tx.us

In north-central TX, north of Abilene; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Fannin and Milam counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Ready Haskell (1817-36), Republic of Texas soldier killed in battle.

**Area (sq mi):** 910.42 (land 903.13; water 7.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.5.

**Pop 2010:** 5,899. **State rank:** 2826. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 -9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 5,541 (White 82.7%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 24.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 24.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 44.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,734; median household $35,295; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,001 - $32,402.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HAYS COUNTY**
110 E Martin Luther King St **Ph:** 512-393-7738
San Marcos, TX 78666 **Fax:** 512-393-7735
www.co.hays.tx.us

In south-central TX, southwest of Austin; organized Mar 1, 1848 from Travis County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. John Coffee Hays (1817-83), Texas Ranger, officer in the Mexican War, sheriff of San Francisco County, CA (1849-53), and surveyor general of CA (1859).

**Area (sq mi):** 679.90 (land 677.98; water 1.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 231.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hays County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 157,107. **State rank:** 397. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +26.3%; 2000-2005 +27.5%. **Pop 2005:** 124,432 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 3.5%; Hispanic or Latino 35.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 35.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 30.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,998; median household $56,353; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,684 - $31,756.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** San Marcos 🏛 (44,894); Kyle (28,016).

### HEMPHILL COUNTY

400 Main St PO Box 867 **Ph:** 806-323-6212
Canadian, TX 79014
www.co.hemphill.tx.us

On the northeastern border of TX panhandle, northeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Hemphill (1803-62), chief justice of the TX supreme court (1846-58) and U.S. senator (1859-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 908.67 (land 906.29; water 2.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 3,807. **State rank:** 2932. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.3%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,422 (White 86.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 28.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 28.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.4%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,343; median household $62,159; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,122 - $47,661.

**Unemployment 2010:** 3.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENDERSON COUNTY

125 N. Prairieville St, Rm 101 **Ph:** 903-675-6140
Athens, TX 75751 **Fax:** 903-675-6105
co.henderson.tx.us

In northeastern TX, southwest of Tyler; organized Apr 27, 1846 from Houston County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Pinckney Henderson (1808-58), TX minister to the U.S. (1844), first governor of the state of TX (1846-47), and U.S. senator (1857-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 948.51 (land 873.75; water 74.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.9.

**Pop 2010:** 78,532. **State rank:** 690. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 +9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 80,017 (White 85.8%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,580; median household $39,779; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,446 - $31,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Athens 🏛 (12,710).

### HIDALGO COUNTY

100 N. Closner **Ph:** 956-318-2100
Edinburg, TX 78539 **Fax:** 956-318-2105
www.co.hidalgo.tx.us

On the southern border of TX, west of Harlingen; organized Jan 24, 1852 from Cameron County. **Name Origin:** Either for Guadalupe Hidalgo, D.F., Mexico, or possibly in honor of Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla (1753-1811), Mexican priest and hero of the Mexican war for Independence from Spain. Spanish 'nobleman.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,583.79 (land 1,570.87; water 12.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 493.2.

**Pop 2010:** 774,769. **State rank:** 78. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.2%; 2000-2005 +19.1%. **Pop 2005:** 678,275 (White 88.0%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 90.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 90.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 29.3%. **Median age:** 28.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,480; median household $31,879; **Pop below poverty level:** 34.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,824 - $20,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 12 (see page 45 for cities).

### HILL COUNTY

PO Box 398 **Ph:** 254-582-4030
Hillsboro, TX 76645 **Fax:** 254-582-4003
www.co.hill.tx.us

In north-central TX, south of Fort Worth; organized Feb 7, 1853 from Navarro County. **Name Origin:** For George Washington Hill (1814-60), secretary of war and navy under Republic of TX presidents Sam Houston (1793-1863) and Anson Jones (1798-1858).

**Area (sq mi):** 982.15 (land 958.86; water 23.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.6.

**Pop 2010:** 35,089. **State rank:** 1272. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +9.6%. **Pop 2005:** 35,424 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 18.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 18.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.6%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,554; median household $39,293; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,064 - $31,334.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOCKLEY COUNTY

802 Houston St, Suite 213 **Ph:** 806-894-4404
Levelland, TX 79336
www.co.hockley.tx.us

In southwestern TX panhandle, west of Lubbock; organized 1921 (other sources say organized Aug 21, 1876; first federal census: 1880 with no population). **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Washington Hockley (1802-54), Republic of Texas officer and secretary of war (1838; 1841).

**Area (sq mi):** 908.66 (land 908.39; water 0.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.2.

**Pop 2010:** 22,935. **State rank:** 1711. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 22,787 (White 78.5%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 43.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 43.6%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%.

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## Hockley County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 33.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,255; median household $46,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,346 - $36,221.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Levelland (13,542).

**HOOD COUNTY**
101 E Pearl PO Box 339 **Ph:** 817-579-3222
Granbury, TX 76048 **Fax:** 817-579-3227
www.co.hood.tx.us

In north-central TX, southwest of Fort Worth; organized Nov 3, 1865 from Johnson County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Bell Hood (1831-79), commander of TX troops in the Confederate army and later commander of the Confederate Army of TN.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.83 (land 420.64; water 15.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 121.7.

**Pop 2010:** 51,182. **State rank:** 947. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +16.6%. **Pop 2005:** 47,930 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 10.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 10.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 45.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,687; median household $54,882; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,156 - $38,869.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOPKINS COUNTY**
118 Church St PO Box 288 **Ph:** 903-438-4006
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482 **Fax:** 903-438-4099
www.hopkinscountytexas.org

In northeastern TX, northeast of Dallas; organized Mar 25, 1846 from Lamar and Nacogdoches counties. **Name Origin:** For the pioneer family headed by Henry Harrison Hopkins and James Elliott Hopkins.

**Area (sq mi):** 777.52 (land 767.17; water 10.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.8.

**Pop 2010:** 35,161. **State rank:** 1297. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 33,381 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 15.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 15.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,163; median household $41,642; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,781 - $31,676.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sulphur Springs (15,449).

**HOUSTON COUNTY**
401 E Houston Ave PO Box 370 **Ph:** 936-544-3256
Crockett, TX 75835 **Fax:** 936-544-1954
www.co.houston.tx.us

In east-central TX, west of Lufkin; organized 1837 from Nacogdoches County (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Samuel Houston (1793-1863), governor of TN (1827-29), president of the Republic of Texas (1836-38; 1841-44); U.S. senator from TX (1846-59) and TX governor (1859-61).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,236.85 (land 1,230.91; water 5.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,732. **State rank:** 1707. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 23,218 (White 67.0%; Black or African American 26.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 10.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,813; median household $31,929; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,879 - $29,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOWARD COUNTY**
300 S Main St Ste 207 **Ph:** 432-264-2213
Big Spring, TX 79720-0255 **Fax:** 432-264-2215
www.co.howard.tx.us

In south-central TX panhandle, west of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Volney Erskine Howard (1809-89), MS legislator, U.S. representative from TX (1849-53), and judge of CA superior court (1878-79).

**Area (sq mi):** 902.15 (land 900.79; water 1.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.9.

**Pop 2010:** 35,012. **State rank:** 1344. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 32,522 (White 74.1%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 37.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 37.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.8%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,832; median household $39,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,768 - $29,815.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Big Spring (27,282).

**HUDSPETH COUNTY**
525 North Wilson PO Box 39 **Ph:** 915-369-2301
Sierra Blanca, TX 79851 **Fax:** 915-369-2407

In western TX, east of El Paso; organized Feb 16, 1917 from El Paso County. **Name Origin:** For Claude Benton Hudspeth (1877-1941), TX legislator (1902-18) and U.S. representative (1919-31).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,571.91 (land 4,570.98; water 0.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.8.

**Pop 2010:** 3,476. **State rank:** 2957. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,295 (White 78.8%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 79.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 79.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 33.8%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,485; median household $22,647; **Pop below poverty level:** 46.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,657 - $27,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.8%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hudspeth County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HUNT COUNTY

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Greenville, TX 75401
www.huntcounty.net

**Ph:** 903-408-4130
**Fax:** 903-408-4287

In east-central TX, northeast of Dallas; organized Apr 11, 1846 from Fannin and Nacogdoches counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Menucan Hunt (1807-56), Republic of TX officer and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 881.19 (land 840.32; water 40.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.5.

**Pop 2010:** 86,129. **State rank:** 661. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +7.8%. **Pop 2005:** 82,543 (White 81.6%; Black or African American 8.3%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 13.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,646; median household $43,101; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,729 - $31,504.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Greenville 🏛 (25,557).

### HUTCHINSON COUNTY

PO Box 1186
Stinnett, TX 79083
www.co.hutchinson.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-878-4002
**Fax:** 806-878-3497

In north-central TX panhandle, northeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Anderson Hutchinson (1798-1853), Republic of TX district judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 895 (land 887.42; water 7.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.

**Pop 2010:** 22,150. **State rank:** 1740. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 22,484 (White 85.5%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 19.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.8%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 37.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,075; median household $42,213; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,909 - $35,982.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Borger (13,251).

### IRION COUNTY

PO Box 736
Mertzon, TX 76941
www.co.irion.tx.us

**Ph:** 325-835-2421
**Fax:** 325-835-7941

In central TX, west of San Angelo; organized Mar 7, 1889 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Anderson Irion (1806-61), senator in first TX congress (1836-37) and secretary of state of the Republic (1837-38).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,051.67 (land 1,051.56; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,599. **State rank:** 3067. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.9%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,756 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 25.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 25.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,857; median household $48,833; **Pop below poverty level:** 1.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,480 - $49,325.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JACK COUNTY

100 N. Main Ste 208
Jacksboro, TX 76458
www.jackcounty.org

**Ph:** 940-567-2111
**Fax:** 940-567-6441

In north-central TX, northwest of Fort Worth; organized July 4, 1857 from Cooke County. **Name Origin:** For the Jack brothers, William Houston (1806-44) and Patrick Churchill (1808-44), both TX statesman and legislators.

**Area (sq mi):** 914.16 (land 910.66; water 3.50). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,044. **State rank:** 2548. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 9,064 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 3.8%; Hispanic or Latino 14.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 14.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 39.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,349; median household $46,801; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,199 - $33,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JACKSON COUNTY

115 W Main St Rm 101
Edna, TX 77957
www.co.jackson.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-782-3563
**Fax:** 361-782-3132

On the central eastern coast of TX, east of Victoria; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 856.98 (land 829.44; water 27.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 14,075. **State rank:** 2143. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 14,339 (White 81.3%; Black or African American 7.0%; Hispanic or Latino 29.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 29.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,337; median household $47,483; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,509 - $31,951.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JASPER COUNTY

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Jasper, TX 75951
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**Ph:** 409-384-2632
**Fax:** 409-384-7198

In east-central TX, north of Beaumont; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality.

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## Jasper County (cont'd)

**Name Origin:** For Sgt. William Jasper (1750-79), American Revolutionary War soldier from SC.

**Area (sq mi):** 971.07 (land 938.85; water 32.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 35,710. **State rank:** 1307. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 35,587 (White 77.7%; Black or African American 16.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,182; median household $38,062; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,832 - $31,799.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

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Fort Davis, TX 79734

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In western TX, southwest of Odessa; organized Mar 15, 1887 from Presidio County. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Davis (1808-89), president of the Confederate States of America (1862-65).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,264.74 (land 2,264.56; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,342. **State rank:** 3021. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.6%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 2,306 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 33.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 33.7%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 52.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,007; median household $43,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,202 - $33,150.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

1149 Pearl St, 4th Fl
Beaumont, TX 77701
www.co.jefferson.tx.us

**Ph:** 409-835-8442
**Fax:** 409-835-8628

On the northeastern coast of TX, east of Houston; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Jefferson Beaumont, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,084.01 (land 876.30; water 207.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 287.9.

**Pop 2010:** 252,273. **State rank:** 262. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 247,571 (White 52.2%; Black or African American 33.8%; Hispanic or Latino 17.0%; Asian 3.4%; Others 17.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.6%. **Median age:** 36.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,095; median household $42,293; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,555 - $36,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beaumont (118,296); Port Arthur (53,818); Nederland (17,547); Groves (16,144); Port Neches (13,040).

### JIM HOGG COUNTY

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Hebbronville, TX 78361
www.co.jim-hogg.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-527-4031
**Fax:** 361-527-5843

In southern TX, southeast of Laredo; organized Mar 31, 1913 from Brooks and Duval counties. **Name Origin:** For James Stephen Hogg (1851-1906), newspaper publisher, attorney general of TX (1886-90), and governor (1891-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,136.19 (land 1,136.14; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,300. **State rank:** 2827. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 5,029 (White 87.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 92.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 92.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.6%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,163; median household $40,000; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,427 - $34,197.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JIM WELLS COUNTY

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Alice, TX 78333
www.co.jim-wells.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-668-5702
**Fax:** 361-668-8671

In southeastern TX, west of Corpus Christi; organized Mar 25, 1911 from Nueces County. **Name Origin:** For James B. Wells, a jurist.

**Area (sq mi):** 868.68 (land 864.97; water 3.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.2.

**Pop 2010:** 40,838. **State rank:** 1142. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 40,951 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 79.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 79.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,976; median household $37,020; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,054 - $35,179.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Alice (19,104).

### JOHNSON COUNTY

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Cleburne, TX 76033
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**Fax:** 817-556-6327

In north-central TX, south of Fort Worth; organized Feb 13, 1854 from McLennan and Navarro counties. **Name Origin:** For Middleton Tate Johnson (1810-66), AL legislator, Texas Ranger, and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 729.72 (land 724.69; water 5.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 208.3.

**Pop 2010:** 150,934. **State rank:** 391. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +15.4%. **Pop 2005:** 146,376 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 18.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 18.1%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,669; median household $54,954; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Johnson County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,614 - $32,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burleson (36,690); Cleburne 🏛 (29,337).

### JONES COUNTY

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Anson, TX 79501
www.co.jones.tx.us

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**Fax:** 325-823-4223

In north-central TX, north of Abilene; established Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar and Bosque counties. **Name Origin:** For Anson Jones (1798-1858), secretary of state of the Republic of TX (1841-44) and president of the Republic (1844-46).

**Area (sq mi):** 934.69 (land 928.55; water 6.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.8.

**Pop 2010:** 20,202. **State rank:** 1863. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 19,736 (White 71.2%; Black or African American 11.6%; Hispanic or Latino 24.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 24.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,880; median household $39,568; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,959 - $25,904.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corinth (19,935).

### KARNES COUNTY

101 N Panna Maria Ave, Suite 9
Karnes City, TX 78118
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**Ph:** 830-780-3938
**Fax:** 830-780-4576

In south-central TX, southeast of San Antonio; organized Feb 4, 1854 from Goliad County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Henry Wax Karnes (1812-40), TX Republic officer and military scout.

**Area (sq mi):** 750.83 (land 747.56; water 3.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.8.

**Pop 2010:** 14,824. **State rank:** 2092. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 15,351 (White 70.2%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 49.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 49.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.4%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,949; median household $39,611; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,810 - $25,566.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KAUFMAN COUNTY

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Kaufman, TX 75142
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**Ph:** 972-932-4331
**Fax:** 972-932-8018

In northeastern TX, east of Dallas; organized Feb 26, 1848 from Henderson County. **Name Origin:** For David Spangler Kaufman (1813-51), Republic of TX legislator (1839-45) and U.S. representative (1846-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 801.46 (land 780.70; water 20.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.4.

**Pop 2010:** 103,350. **State rank:** 559. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.0%; 2000-2005 +25.0%. **Pop 2005:** 89,129 (White 79.1%; Black or African American 10.4%; Hispanic or Latino 17.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 17.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,909; median household $58,555; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,820 - $32,790.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Terrell (15,816); Forney (14,661).

### KENDALL COUNTY

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Boerne, TX 78006
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**Fax:** 830-249-1763

In south-central TX, northwest of San Antonio; organized Jan 10, 1862 from Kerr and Blanco counties. **Name Origin:** For George Wilkins Kendall (1809-67), a founder of the New Orleans *Picayune* and Republic of TX army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 663.05 (land 662.45; water 0.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.4.

**Pop 2010:** 33,410. **State rank:** 1317. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.8%; 2000-2005 +20.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,607 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 20.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 20.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,418; median household $66,655; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,265 - $53,157.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Boerne (10,471).

### KENEDY COUNTY

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Sarita, TX 78385
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On the southeastern coast of TX, south of Corpus Christi; organized as Willacy County 1911 from Hidalgo and Cameron counties; name changed Apr 2, 1921, at which time a new Willacy County was created from Cameron and Hidalgo counties plus a 1.4 mile strip of Old Willacy. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Mifflin Kenedy (1818-95), commercial navigator of the Rio Grande, half-owner of the King ranch (1860-68), and part-owner of the TX narrow gauge railroad (1876-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,947.16 (land 1,458.33; water 488.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 416. **State rank:** 3139. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 417 (White 87.5%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 76.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 76.7%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,655; median household $48,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,002 - $42,962.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel**

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## Kenedy County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KENT COUNTY**
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Jayton, TX 79528
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**Fax:** 806-237-2632

In southern TX panhandle, northwest of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Kent (1798-1836), TX soldier killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 903.09 (land 902.51; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 808. **State rank:** 3124. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 -9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 782 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 14.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 14.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,021; median household $47,750; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,862 - $30,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KERR COUNTY**
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Kerrville, TX 78028
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In central TX, northwest of San Antonio; organized Jan 26, 1856 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For James Kerr (1790-1850), member of the TX constitutional convention (1836) and TX congress.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,104.86 (land 1,103.32; water 1.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.

**Pop 2010:** 49,625. **State rank:** 987. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 46,496 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 24.0%; Asian 0.8%; Others 24.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,454; median household $43,072; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,136 - $41,061.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kerrville (22,347).

**KIMBLE COUNTY**
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Junction, TX 76849
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In central TX, southeast of San Angelo; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For George C. Kimble (1810-36), a TX officer killed at the Alamo. Name is variously spelled *Kimball* and *Kimbell*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,251.22 (land 1,250.99; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.7.

**Pop 2010:** 4,607. **State rank:** 2861. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 4,591 (White 91.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 23.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 23.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.4%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,118; median household $43,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,918 - $31,355.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 17 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KING COUNTY**
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Guthrie, TX 79236
**Ph:** 806-596-4412
**Fax:** 806-596-4664

In southeastern TX panhandle, east of Lubbock; established Aug 21, 1876 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For William King (1812-26), a soldier killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 911.91 (land 910.87; water 1.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.3.

**Pop 2010:** 286. **State rank:** 3141. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.8%; 2000-2005 -13.8%. **Pop 2005:** 307 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.0%; Others 13.6%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,511; median household $61,563; **Pop below poverty level:** 0.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,271 - $38,220.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 4.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KINNEY COUNTY**
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Brackettville, TX 78832
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**Fax:** 830-563-2644

On southwestern border of TX, east of Del Rio; organized 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For H.L. Kinney, a TX legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,361.93 (land 1,360.06; water 1.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,598. **State rank:** 2945. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,327 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 55.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 55.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,207; median household $24,388; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,223 - $28,688.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KLEBERG COUNTY**
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Kingsville, TX 78364
www.co.kleberg.tx.us
**Ph:** 361-595-8548
**Fax:** 361-593-1355

On the southeastern coast of TX, south of Corpus Christi; organized Feb 27, 1913 from Nueces County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Justice Kleberg (1803-88), German immigrant, Republic of TX soldier, and jurist.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Kleberg County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,100.63 (land 881.31; water 219.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.4.

**Pop 2010:** 32,061. **State rank:** 1410. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 30,757 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 70.2%; Asian 2.3%; Others 70.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 29.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,580; median household $36,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,227 - $31,685.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kingsville 🏛 (26,213).

### KNOX COUNTY

PO Box 196
Benjamin, TX 79505
www.knoxcountytexas.com

**Ph:** 940-459-2441
**Fax:** 940-459-2005

In north-central TX, southwest of Wichita Falls; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Knox (1750-1806), Revolutionary War officer and first U.S. secretary of war (1785-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 857.05 (land 850.62; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 3,719. **State rank:** 2943. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,781 (White 76.4%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 29.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 29.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.9%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,375; median household $32,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,660 - $32,914.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LA SALLE COUNTY

PO Box 340
Cotulla, TX 78014
www.lasallecountytx.org

**Ph:** 830-879-3033
**Fax:** 830-879-2933

In southern TX, northeast of Laredo; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar and Webb counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Cavelier (1643-87), Sieur de La Salle, French adventurer and explorer who claimed the land west of the Mississippi River for France.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,492.07 (land 1,486.69; water 5.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,886. **State rank:** 2772. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.5%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,016 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 86.0%; Asian 0.1%; Others 86.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,542; median household $30,144; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,370 - $22,288.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAMAR COUNTY

119 N Main St Rm 109
Paris, TX 75460
www.co.lamar.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-737-2420
**Fax:** 903-782-1000

On the northeastern border of TX, northwest of Texarkana; organized Dec 17, 1840 from Red River County. **Name Origin:** For Mirabeau Buonaparte Lamar (1798-1859), Republic of TX attorney general, secretary of war, vice president (1836-38), and president (1838-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 922.85 (land 907.19; water 15.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.9.

**Pop 2010:** 49,793. **State rank:** 976. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 49,644 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 13.5%; Hispanic or Latino 6.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.5%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,588; median household $38,015; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,106 - $31,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Paris 🏛 (25,171).

### LAMB COUNTY

100 6th St Rm 103
Littlefield, TX 79339
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**Ph:** 806-385-4222
**Fax:** 806-385-6485

In west-central TX panhandle, northwest of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. George A. Lamb (?-1836), Republic of TX army officer killed at the Battle of San Jacinto.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,017.70 (land 1,016.18; water 1.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.8.

**Pop 2010:** 13,977. **State rank:** 2222. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,467 (White 74.4%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 51.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 51.7%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.4%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,553; median household $35,458; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,787 - $30,639.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LAMPASAS COUNTY

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Lampasas, TX 76550
www.co.lampasas.tx.us

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**Fax:** 512-556-8270

In central TX, southwest of Waco; organized Feb 1, 1856 from Bell and Travis counties. **Name Origin:** From a Spanish term meaning 'water lily.'

**Area (sq mi):** 714.76 (land 712.84; water 1.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.6.

**Pop 2010:** 19,677. **State rank:** 1770. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +10.7%. **Pop 2005:** 19,669 (White 85.3%; Black or African American 3.2%; Hispanic or Latino 17.5%; Asian 1.0%; Others 17.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,943; median household $46,378; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

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## Lampasas County (cont'd)

$37,948 - $46,021.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAVACA COUNTY**
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Hallettsville, TX 77964
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**Ph:** 361-798-3612
**Fax:** 361-798-1610

In southeastern TX, east of San Antonio; organized Apr 6, 1846 from Colorado, Victoria, and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For the Lavaca River; Spanish translation of original French *la vache* 'the cow,' for the buffalo in the area, which La Salle thought resembled cows.

**Area (sq mi):** 970.16 (land 969.71; water 0.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,263. **State rank:** 1885. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 18,925 (White 86.0%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 16.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 16.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,168; median household $41,429; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,606 - $34,762.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
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Giddings, TX 78942
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**Ph:** 979-542-3684
**Fax:** 979-542-2623

In east-central TX, east of Austin; organized Apr 14, 1874 from Bastrop, Burleson, Washington, and Fayette counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert E. Lee (1807-70), American general and commander in chief of the Confederate forces during the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 634.55 (land 629.02; water 5.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,612. **State rank:** 2016. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 16,526 (White 78.9%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 22.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 22.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,074; median household $46,986; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,452 - $35,181.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEON COUNTY**
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Centerville, TX 75833
www.co.leon.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-536-2352
**Fax:** 903-536-7581

In east-central TX, southeast of Waco; organized Mar 17, 1846 from Robertson County. **Name Origin:** For a Martin de Leon, or for Leon Prairie where a 'lion' was killed.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,081.49 (land 1,073.15; water 8.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,801. **State rank:** 1966. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 16,344 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 13.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 13.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,484; median household $40,355; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,778 - $33,262.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corinth (19,935).

**LIBERTY COUNTY**
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Liberty, TX 77575
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**Ph:** 936-336-4600
**Fax:** 936-336-4640

In east-central TX, northeast of Houston; organized Mar 17, 1836 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** Honoring TX independence (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,174.96 (land 1,158.42; water 16.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.3.

**Pop 2010:** 75,643. **State rank:** 711. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 75,141 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 10.8%; Hispanic or Latino 18.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 18.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,807; median household $45,929; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,512 - $33,365.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIMESTONE COUNTY**
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Groesbeck, TX 76642
www.co.limestone.tx.us
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**Fax:** 254-729-2951

In east-central TX, east of Waco; organized Apr 11, 1846 from Robertson County. **Name Origin:** For Lake Limestone.

**Area (sq mi):** 929.56 (land 905.29; water 24.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,384. **State rank:** 1710. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,763 (White 69.0%; Black or African American 17.5%; Hispanic or Latino 19.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 19.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,420; median household $42,140; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,686 - $29,698.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Victoria (62,592).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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Lipscomb, TX 79056
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**Fax:** 806-862-3004

On the northeastern border of TX panhandle; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Abner S. Lipscomb (1789-1858), AL legislator, secretary of state for the Republic of TX (1839-40), and associate justice of the TX supreme court (1846-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 932.29 (land 932.18; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.5.

**Pop 2010:** 3,302. **State rank:** 2959. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 3,101 (White 86.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 30.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 30.5%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,839; median household $52,566; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,120 - $35,059.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LIVE OAK COUNTY**
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George West, TX 78022
www.co.live-oak.tx.us
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**Fax:** 361-449-3155

In southern TX, northwest of Corpus Christi; organized Feb 2, 1856 from Nueces County. **Name Origin:** For the indigenous live oak trees, *Quercus virginiana* and *Q. chrysolepsis*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,082.23 (land 1,039.70; water 42.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.1.

**Pop 2010:** 11,531. **State rank:** 2347. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.6%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 11,717 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 35.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 35.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,540; median household $43,719; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,482 - $28,962.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LLANO COUNTY**
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Llano, TX 78643
www.co.llano.tx.us
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**Fax:** 325-247-2406

In central TX, northwest of Austin; organized Feb 1, 1856 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the Llano River, which flows through the county; from its Spanish name, *el rio de los llanos* 'the river of the plains.'

**Area (sq mi):** 965.44 (land 934.03; water 31.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.7.

**Pop 2010:** 19,301. **State rank:** 1896. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 18,236 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 8.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 55.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,027; median household $41,969; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,564 - $34,389.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LOVING COUNTY**
100 Bell St PO Box 194
Mentone, TX 79754
**Ph:** 432-377-2441
**Fax:** 432-377-2701

On the northwestern border of TX, west of Odessa; organized in 1931 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Oliver Loving, pioneer and rancher.

**Area (sq mi):** 672.70 (land 668.93; water 3.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.1.

**Pop 2010:** 82. **State rank:** 3143. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +32.3%; 2000-2005 -7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 62 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 22.0%; Asian 0.0%; Others 22.0%, including 4.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 52.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,220; median household $83,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 0.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $71,835 - $60,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +0.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LUBBOCK COUNTY**
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Lubbock, TX 79408
www.co.lubbock.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-775-1000

In south-central TX panhandle, north of Midland; organized 1891 from Baylor County (other sources say organized Aug 21, 1876; first federal census: 1880). **Name Origin:** For Col. Thomas S. Lubbock, signer of the TX Declaration of Independence and an organizer of the Texas Rangers.

**Area (sq mi):** 896.80 (land 895.60; water 1.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 311.3.

**Pop 2010:** 278,831. **State rank:** 235. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.5%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 252,284 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 7.5%; Hispanic or Latino 31.9%; Asian 2.1%; Others 31.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 30.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,831; median household $42,562; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,277 - $33,732.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Lubbock 🏛 (229,573); Canyon (13,303).

**LYNN COUNTY**
PO Box 937
Tahoka, TX 79373
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**Ph:** 806-561-4750
**Fax:** 806-561-4988

In southwestern TX panhandle, south of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For W. Linn (?-1836), a soldier killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 893.45 (land 891.87; water 1.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

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## Lynn County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 5,915. **State rank:** 2780. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,237 (White 80.3%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 46.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 46.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,752; median household $43,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,424 - $35,554.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
101 W Main St Rm 102 **Ph:** 936-348-2638
Madisonville, TX 77864 **Fax:** 936-348-5858
www.co.madison.tx.us

In east-central TX, northeast of Austin; organized 1854 from Montgomery, Walker, Grimes, and Leon counties. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 468.87 (land 466.07; water 2.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,664. **State rank:** 2212. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,167 (White 67.0%; Black or African American 19.9%; Hispanic or Latino 19.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 19.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,245; median household $37,207; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,979 - $25,101.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARION COUNTY**
102 W Austin St Room 206 **Ph:** 903-665-3971
Jefferson, TX 75657 **Fax:** 903-665-8732
www.co.marion.tx.us

On the northeastern border of TX, north of Marshall; organized Feb 8, 1860 from Cass and Harrison counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 420.03 (land 380.88; water 39.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,546. **State rank:** 2404. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 10,952 (White 73.5%; Black or African American 22.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 48.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,125; median household $29,943; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,712 - $29,427.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MARTIN COUNTY**
301 N Saint Peter St PO Box 906 **Ph:** 432-756-3412
Stanton, TX 79782 **Fax:** 432-607-2212

In southwestern TX panhandle, north of Midland; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Wyly Martin, active in achieving TX statehood.

**Area (sq mi):** 915.78 (land 914.94; water 0.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.2.

**Pop 2010:** 4,799. **State rank:** 2856. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 -7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 4,391 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 43.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 43.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,695; median household $38,111; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,569 - $35,627.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MASON COUNTY**
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Mason, TX 76856 **Fax:** 325-347-6868
www.co.mason.tx.us

In central TX, northwest of Austin; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. George (G.T.) Mason, army officer who chose locations for forts along the Rio Grande.

**Area (sq mi):** 928.91 (land 928.80; water 0.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.3.

**Pop 2010:** 4,012. **State rank:** 2899. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,880 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 21.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 21.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 49.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,555; median household $38,702; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,285 - $31,579.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MATAGORDA COUNTY**
1700 7th St, Rm 202 **Ph:** 979-244-7680
Bay City, TX 77414 **Fax:** 979-244-7688
www.co.matagorda.tx.us

On the central east coast of TX, southwest of Houston; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Matagorda Island; Spanish 'thicket' or 'rough area.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,598.01 (land 1,100.28; water 497.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,702. **State rank:** 1234. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 37,849 (White 71.2%; Black or African American 11.4%; Hispanic or Latino 38.3%; Asian 2.0%; Others 38.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,623; median household $43,205; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,643 - $32,955.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Matagorda County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bay City 🏛 (17,614).

### MAVERICK COUNTY

500 Quarry St Ste 2
Eagle Pass, TX 78853
www.maverickcounty.org

**Ph:** 830-773-2829
**Fax:** 830-752-4479

On the southwestern border of TX, southeast of Del Rio; organized Feb 2, 1856 from Kenedy County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Augustus Maverick (1803-70), Republic of TX patriot, rancher, and legislator. Many of his cattle went unbranded and were stolen, thus the word 'maverick' to describe a stray animal or a person with no attachment to a place or group.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,290.92 (land 1,279.26; water 11.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.4.

**Pop 2010:** 54,258. **State rank:** 921. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 51,181 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 95.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 95.7%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 34.2%. **Median age:** 30.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,444; median household $28,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 33.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $17,313 - $20,946.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eagle Pass 🏛 (26,248).

### MCCULLOCH COUNTY

199 County Courthouse Sq, Rm 103
Brady, TX 76825
www.co.mcculloch.tx.us

**Ph:** 325-597-0733
**Fax:** 325-597-1731

In central TX, east of San Angelo; organized Aug 27, 1856 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Benjamin McCulloch (1811-62), Republic of TX soldier, U.S. marshall (1853), and Confederate army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,069.65 (land 1,065.60; water 4.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,283. **State rank:** 2591. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,956 (White 83.9%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 29.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 29.9%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,116; median household $34,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,553 - $32,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MCLENNAN COUNTY

215 N 5th St, Rm 223-A
Waco, TX 76701
www.co.mclennan.tx.us

**Ph:** 254-757-5078
**Fax:** 254-757-5146

In east-central TX, south of Fort Worth; organized Jan 22, 1850 from Milam, Robertson, and Navarro counties. **Name Origin:** For Neil McLennan (1777-1867), surveyor and pioneer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,055.44 (land 1,037.10; water 18.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 226.5.

**Pop 2010:** 234,906. **State rank:** 269. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 224,668 (White 69.8%; Black or African American 14.8%; Hispanic or Latino 23.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 23.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 32.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,652; median household $40,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,316 - $32,521.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Waco 🏛 (124,805); Hewitt (13,549); Robinson (10,509).

### MCMULLEN COUNTY

PO Box 235
Tilden, TX 78072
www.co.mcmullen.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-274-3215
**Fax:** 361-274-3858

In south-central TX, south of San Antonio; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar and Live Oak counties. **Name Origin:** For John McMullen, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,169.03 (land 1,139.43; water 29.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.6.

**Pop 2010:** 707. **State rank:** 3119. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -19.9%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 883 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 36.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 36.9%). **Foreign born:** 6.6%. **Median age:** 49.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,358; median household $41,453; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,179 - $42,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MEDINA COUNTY

1100 16th St, Suite 101
Hondo, TX 78861

**Ph:** 830-741-6000
**Fax:** 830-741-6015

In south-central TX, west of San Antonio; organized Feb 12, 1848 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the Medina River and Lake, in the northern part of the county. Possibly named for a member of Alonzo de Leon's expedition into TX (1689): either Pedro Medina, an engineer, or Nicolas de Medina, a sergeant major.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,332.13 (land 1,325.36; water 6.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.7.

**Pop 2010:** 46,006. **State rank:** 1056. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +9.5%. **Pop 2005:** 43,027 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 49.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 49.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,604; median household $49,138; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,393 - $31,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 29 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.0%.

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## Medina County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MENARD COUNTY**
206 E San Saba Ave PO Box 1038 **Ph:** 325-396-4682
Menard, TX 76859 **Fax:** 325-396-2047
www.menardtexas.com

In central TX, southeast of San Angelo; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Michel Branaman Menard (1803-56), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836), Republic of TX legislator (1840-42), and founder of Galveston.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.37 (land 902.03; water 0.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 2,242. **State rank:** 3032. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 2,201 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 35.2%; Asian 0.1%; Others 35.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 50.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,362; median household $40,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,925 - $27,887.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MIDLAND COUNTY**
500 N Loraine St, Suite 400 **Ph:** 432-688-4401
Midland, TX 79701 **Fax:** 432-688-4926
www.co.midland.tx.us/directory/location/detail.asp?department=24

In west-central TX, east of Odessa; organized Mar 4, 1885 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For its location midpoint on the railway between Fort Worth and El Paso.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.02 (land 900.30; water 1.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 152.

**Pop 2010:** 136,872. **State rank:** 456. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.8%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 121,371 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 37.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 37.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,956; median household $54,945; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,094 - $53,343.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Midland (111,147).

**MILAM COUNTY**
107 W Main St **Ph:** 254-697-7049
Cameron, TX 76520 **Fax:** 254-697-7055
milamcounty.net

In east-central TX, northeast of Austin; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Rush Milam (1836), Republic of TX army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,021.88 (land 1,016.93; water 4.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,757. **State rank:** 1606. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.4%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,354 (White 78.1%; Black or African American 10.0%; Hispanic or Latino 23.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 23.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,509; median household $39,035; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,068 - $30,751.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MILLS COUNTY**
PO Box 646 **Ph:** 325-648-2711
Goldthwaite, TX 76844 **Fax:** 325-648-3251
www.co.mills.tx.us

In central TX, west of Waco; organized Mar 15, 1887 from Brown, Comanche, Lampasas, and Hamilton counties. **Name Origin:** For John T. Mills, Republic of TX district judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 750.04 (land 748.26; water 1.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.6.

**Pop 2010:** 4,936. **State rank:** 2828. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.7%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 5,237 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 16.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 16.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.0%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,438; median household $31,895; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,352 - $34,310.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MITCHELL COUNTY**
349 Oak St, Rm 103 **Ph:** 325-728-3481
Colorado City, TX 79512 **Fax:** 325-728-5322

In north-central TX, west of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Asa (1795-1865) and Eli (n.d.) Mitchell, early settlers of Austin's colony.

**Area (sq mi):** 916.95 (land 911.09; water 5.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,403. **State rank:** 2472. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,413 (White 68.4%; Black or African American 11.3%; Hispanic or Latino 37.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 37.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,358; median household $37,260; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,119 - $24,447.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MONTAGUE COUNTY**
PO Box 77 **Ph:** 940-894-2461
Montague, TX 76251 **Fax:** 940-894-6601
www.co.montague.tx.us

On the central northern border of TX, southeast of Wichita Falls; organized Dec 24, 1857 from Cooke County. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Montague (1798-1876), surveyor and veteran of the Mexican War.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Montague County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 938.69 (land 930.91; water 7.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.2.

**Pop 2010:** 19,719. **State rank:** 1838. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 19,677 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 9.8%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,328; median household $42,482; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,717 - $36,205.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

210 West Davis PO Box 959
Conroe, TX 77301
www.mctx.org

**Ph:** 936-539-7885
**Fax:** 936-760-6990

In east-central TX, north of Houston; organized Dec 14, 1837 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,074.52 (land 1,041.74; water 32.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 437.5.

**Pop 2010:** 455,746. **State rank:** 145. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.6%; 2000-2005 +28.7%. **Pop 2005:** 378,033 (White 83.5%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 20.8%; Asian 2.1%; Others 20.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.1%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,959; median household $65,620; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,040 - $45,184.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** The Woodlands (93,847); Conroe 🏛 (56,207).

### MOORE COUNTY

715 S Dumas Ave, Rm 105
Dumas, TX 79029
www.co.moore.nc.us

**Ph:** 806-935-6164
**Fax:** 806-935-9004

In north-central TX panhandle, north of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin Ward Moore (1810-60), a Republic of TX naval officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 909.64 (land 899.69; water 9.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,904. **State rank:** 1777. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 20,348 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 52.7%; Asian 6.1%; Others 52.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.5%. **Median age:** 30.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,239; median household $44,216; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,549 - $30,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Dumas 🏛 (14,691).

### MORRIS COUNTY

500 Broadnax St
Daingerfield, TX 75638
www.co.morris.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-645-3911
**Fax:** 903-645-4026

In northeastern TX, north of Tyler; organized Mar 6, 1875 from Titus County. **Name Origin:** For W.W. Morris, thrown off a stagecoach because he was unruly and drunk. He stayed, founded a settlement called Morristown, and became a prominent east TX attorney.

**Area (sq mi):** 256.12 (land 251.99; water 4.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.3.

**Pop 2010:** 12,934. **State rank:** 2259. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 12,936 (White 69.7%; Black or African American 23.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,292; median household $38,843; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,678 - $32,846.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +7.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MOTLEY COUNTY

701 Main Street PO Box 660
Matador, TX 79244
www.co.motley.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-347-2621
**Fax:** 806-347-2220

In east-central TX panhandle, northeast of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Junius William Mottley (1812-36), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836) who was killed at the Battle of San Jacinto. Clerical spelling error was allowed to stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 989.99 (land 989.56; water 0.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,210. **State rank:** 3093. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.9%; 2000-2005 -8.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,299 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 13.5%; Asian 0.0%; Others 13.5%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,754; median household $34,081; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,550 - $33,582.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

101 W Main St, Suite 110
Nacogdoches, TX 75961
www.co.nacogdoches.tx.us

**Ph:** 936-560-7733
**Fax:** 936-559-5926

In northeastern TX, northwest of Beaumont; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For an Indian tribe of Caddoan linguistic stock, a member of the Hasianai Confederacy.

**Area (sq mi):** 981.10 (land 946.54; water 34.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.2.

**Pop 2010:** 64,524. **State rank:** 801. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 60,468 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 18.2%; Hispanic or Latino 17.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 17.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.4%. **Median age:** 29.8.

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## Nacogdoches County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,180; median household $33,189; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,801 - $29,340.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Nacogdoches (32,996).

### NAVARRO COUNTY

300 W 3rd Ave
Corsicana, TX 75110
www.co.navarro.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-654-3035
**Fax:** 903-654-3097

In east-central TX, south of Dallas; organized Apr 25, 1846 from Robertson County. **Name Origin:** For Juan Jose Antonio Navarro (1795-1870), Republic of TX patriot active in promoting statehood.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,088.14 (land 1,009.63; water 78.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.3.

**Pop 2010:** 47,735. **State rank:** 968. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 48,687 (White 69.4%; Black or African American 13.8%; Hispanic or Latino 23.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 23.8%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.7%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,539; median household $41,654; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,427 - $31,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corsicana (23,770).

### NEWTON COUNTY

110 E Court St
Newton, TX 75966
www.co.newton.tx.us

**Ph:** 409-379-5341
**Fax:** 409-379-9049

On the central eastern border of TX, northeast of Beaumont; organized Apr 22, 1846 from Jasper County. **Name Origin:** For Sgt. John Newton (1752-80), a soldier under Gen. Francis Marion (1732?-95) in the Revolutionary War, who saved several colonial patriots from execution by surprising and capturing the British soldiers guarding them.

**Area (sq mi):** 940.50 (land 933.68; water 6.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.5.

**Pop 2010:** 14,445. **State rank:** 2181. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 -5.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,309 (White 76.9%; Black or African American 20.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,721; median household $37,452; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,655 - $26,141.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NOLAN COUNTY

100 E 3rd St, Suite 108
Sweetwater, TX 79556
www.co.nolan.tx.us

**Ph:** 325-235-2462
**Fax:** 325-236-1271

In north-central TX, west of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Philip Nolan (1771-1801), an American agitator in Spanish-held TX, killed by Spanish soldiers.

**Area (sq mi):** 913.94 (land 912; water 1.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,216. **State rank:** 2100. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 14,878 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 33.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 33.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,973; median household $37,102; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,734 - $31,333.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sweetwater (10,906).

### NUECES COUNTY

901 Leopard St, Suite 201
Corpus Christi, TX 78401
www.co.nueces.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-888-0580
**Fax:** 361-888-0329

On the southeastern coast of TX, north of Brownsville; organized Apr 18, 1846 from San Patricio County. **Name Origin:** For the Nueces River, which forms part of its eastern border; Spanish 'nuts,' for the abundant pecan trees.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,169.08 (land 838.48; water 330.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 405.8.

**Pop 2010:** 340,223. **State rank:** 196. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 319,704 (White 81.5%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 60.6%; Asian 1.7%; Others 60.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.5%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,558; median household $43,280; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,797 - $35,846.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Corpus Christi (305,215); San Juan (33,856); Robstown (11,487).

### OCHILTREE COUNTY

511 S Main St
Perryton, TX 79070-0315
www.co.ochiltree.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-435-8060
**Fax:** 806-435-2899

On the northeastern border of TX panhandle, northeast of Amarillo; organized Aug, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Beck Ochiltree (1811-67), Republic of TX secretary of the treasury (1844), TX legislator (1855), delegate to the TX Constitutional Convention (1861), and Confederate officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 918.14 (land 917.63; water 0.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,223. **State rank:** 2443. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.9%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,385 (White 85.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 48.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 48.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.4%. **Median age:** 31.8.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Ochiltree County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,143; median household $49,309; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,538 - $38,278.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OLDHAM COUNTY

105 S Main St PO Box 360
Vega, TX 79092
www.co.oldham.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-267-2667
**Fax:** 806-267-2671

On the northwestern border of TX panhandle, west of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Williamson Simpson Oldham (1813-68), AR legislator, member of the TX secession convention (1861), and TX senator to the Confederate Congress.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,501.32 (land 1,500.53; water 0.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.4.

**Pop 2010:** 2,052. **State rank:** 3034. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 2,118 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 11.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,504; median household $51,111; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,483 - $39,046.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ORANGE COUNTY

801 Division St PO Box 1536
Orange, TX 77631
www.co.orange.tx.us

**Ph:** 409-883-7740
**Fax:** 409-882-7012

On the central eastern border of TX, east of Beaumont; organized Feb 5, 1852 from Jefferson County. **Name Origin:** For the orange groves in the region.

**Area (sq mi):** 356.81 (land 333.67; water 23.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 245.3.

**Pop 2010:** 81,837. **State rank:** 669. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 84,983 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 8.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 5.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,155; median household $47,914; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,369 - $36,007.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brownwood (19,288); Orange 🏛 (18,595); Vidor (10,579).

### PALO PINTO COUNTY

520 Oak St PO Box 219
Palo Pinto, TX 76484
www.co.palo-pinto.tx.us

**Ph:** 940-659-1277
**Fax:** 940-659-2289

In north-central TX, west of Fort Worth; organized Aug 27, 1856 from Navarro County. **Name Origin:** From Spanish for 'painted tree,' but connotation is unclear.

**Area (sq mi):** 984.36 (land 951.79; water 32.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.5.

**Pop 2010:** 28,111. **State rank:** 1501. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 27,478 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 17.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 17.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,551; median household $41,095; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,517 - $32,937.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mineral Wells (16,788).

### PANOLA COUNTY

110 S Sycamore St Rm 201
Carthage, TX 75633
www.co.panola.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-693-0302
**Fax:** 903-693-0328

On northeastern border of TX, southwest of Shreveport, LA; organized Mar 30, 1846 from Harrison and Shelby counties. **Name Origin:** For Choctaw word for 'cotton,' but connotation is unclear.

**Area (sq mi):** 822.17 (land 801.75; water 20.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.7.

**Pop 2010:** 23,796. **State rank:** 1656. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 22,997 (White 76.8%; Black or African American 16.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,846; median household $45,622; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,161 - $36,518.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PARKER COUNTY

PO Box 819
Weatherford, TX 76086-6081
www.co.parker.tx.us

**Ph:** 817-594-7461
**Fax:** 817-594-9540

In north-central TX, west of Fort Worth; organized Dec 12, 1855 from Bosque and Navarro counties. **Name Origin:** For Isaac Parker (1793-1883), Republic of TX patriot and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 910.06 (land 903.48; water 6.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 129.4.

**Pop 2010:** 116,927. **State rank:** 514. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.7%; 2000-2005 +16.2%. **Pop 2005:** 102,801 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.6%; Asian 0.5%; Others 10.6%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,539; median household $61,340; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,182 - $37,621.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel**

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## Parker County (cont'd)

**time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Weatherford (25,250).

**PARMER COUNTY**
PO Box 356
Farwell, TX 79325
www.co.parmer.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-481-3691
**Fax:** 806-481-9154

On the central western border of TX panhandle, southwest of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Martin Parmer (1778-1850), Republic of TX legislator, signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836), and chief justice of Jasper County (1839-40).

**Area (sq mi):** 884.29 (land 880.78; water 3.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.7.

**Pop 2010:** 10,269. **State rank:** 2480. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,754 (White 77.6%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 60.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 60.0%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.5%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,926; median household $39,753; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,023 - $31,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +1.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PECOS COUNTY**
200 S Nelson St
Fort Stockton, TX 79735
www.co.pecos.tx.us
**Ph:** 432-336-7555
**Fax:** 432-336-7557

In west-central TX, south of Odessa; organized May 3, 1871 from Presidio County. **Name Origin:** For the Pecos River, which forms its northeastern border. Believed to be the name of an Indian tribe now lost or unidentified, and to be a Spanish translation of a Keresan word meaning 'watering place.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,764.92 (land 4,763.85; water 1.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 15,507. **State rank:** 2014. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 -5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 15,859 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 67.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 67.3%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.8%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,717; median household $38,125; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,386 - $29,156.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POLK COUNTY**
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Livingston, TX 77351
www.co.polk.tx.us
**Ph:** 936-327-6804
**Fax:** 936-327-6874

In eastern TX, northwest of Beaumont; organized Mar 30, 1846 from Liberty County. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,109.64 (land 1,057.09; water 52.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.

**Pop 2010:** 45,413. **State rank:** 1016. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 +13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 46,640 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 11.5%; Hispanic or Latino 13.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 13.1%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,961; median household $33,325; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,934 - $37,492.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POTTER COUNTY**
PO Box 9638
Amarillo, TX 79105
www.co.potter.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-379-2275
**Fax:** 806-379-2296

In north-central TX panhandle, north of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Potter (1800-42), NC legislator (1826; 1828), U.S. representative from NC (1829-31), Republic of TX official and naval officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 921.11 (land 908.37; water 12.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 133.3.

**Pop 2010:** 121,073. **State rank:** 489. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.0%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 119,852 (White 69.8%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 35.3%; Asian 4.0%; Others 35.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.2%. **Median age:** 33.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,725; median household $36,766; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,875 - $32,960.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Amarillo (190,695).

**PRESIDIO COUNTY**
320 N Highland Ave
Marfa, TX 79843
www.co.presidio.tx.us
**Ph:** 432-729-4812
**Fax:** 432-729-4313

On the central western border of TX, southeast of El Paso; organized Jan 3, 1850 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** From Spanish for garrisoned fortress.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,855.99 (land 3,855.24; water 0.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,818. **State rank:** 2624. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,722 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 83.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 83.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 28.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,635; median household $29,513; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,309 - $26,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**RAINS COUNTY**
220 W Quitman St PO Box 187
Emory, TX 75440
www.co.rains.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-474-9999
**Fax:** 903-474-9390

In northeastern TX, east of Dallas; organized Jun 9, 1870 from Hopkins, Wood, and Hunt counties. **Name Origin:** For Emory Rains (1800-78), Republic of TX legislator and surveyor.

**Area (sq mi):** 256.27 (land 229.45; water 26.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,914. **State rank:** 2331. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.5%; 2000-2005 +23.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,305 (White 91.2%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.7%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,855; median household $42,491; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,075 - $28,831.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RANDALL COUNTY**
2309 Russell Long Blvd Ste 101
Canyon, TX 79015
www.randallcounty.org
**Ph:** 806-468-5505
**Fax:** 806-468-5509

In north-central TX panhandle, south of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Horace Randal (1833-64), Confederate army officer. Misspelling allowed to stand.

**Area (sq mi):** 919.53 (land 911.54; water 7.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 132.4.

**Pop 2010:** 120,725. **State rank:** 507. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 110,053 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 2.4%; Hispanic or Latino 16.4%; Asian 1.4%; Others 16.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,668; median household $56,041; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,607 - $37,954.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Canyon 🏛 (13,303).

**REAGAN COUNTY**
PO Box 100
Big Lake, TX 76932
**Ph:** 325-884-2442
**Fax:** 325-884-1503

In central TX, west of San Angelo; organized Mar 7, 1903 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Henninger Reagan (1818-1905), postmaster general and acting secretary of the treasury of the Confederacy (1861-64), U.S. representative from TX (1875-87), and U.S. senator from TX (1887-91).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,175.98 (land 1,175.30; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.9.

**Pop 2010:** 3,367. **State rank:** 2968. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.4%; 2000-2005 -10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,995 (White 77.1%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 60.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 60.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.4%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,028; median household $54,224; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,800 - $33,474.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**REAL COUNTY**
PO Box 750
Leakey, TX 78873
www.co.real.tx.us
**Ph:** 830-232-5202
**Fax:** 830-232-6888

In south-central TX, northwest of San Antonio; organized Apr 3, 1913 from Bandera and Kerr counties. **Name Origin:** For Julius Real (1860-1944), county jurist and TX legislator (1910-14; 1924-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 699.33 (land 699.20; water 0.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,309. **State rank:** 2972. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.2%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 3,031 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 24.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 24.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,074; median household $29,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,546 - $29,572.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RED RIVER COUNTY**
200 N Walnut St
Clarksville, TX 75426
www.co.red-river.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-427-2401
**Fax:** 903-427-3589

On the northeastern border of TX, west of Texarkana; original county; organized 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Red River, which forms its northern border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,044.01 (land 1,036.58; water 7.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.4.

**Pop 2010:** 12,860. **State rank:** 2248. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.3%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,575 (White 76.5%; Black or African American 17.4%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.6%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,105; median household $37,047; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,704 - $30,215.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**REEVES COUNTY**
100 E 4th St PO Box 867
Pecos, TX 79772
www.reevescountytexas.net
**Ph:** 432-445-5467
**Fax:** 432-445-3997

In western TX, southwest of Odessa; established Apr 14, 1883 from Pecos County. **Name Origin:** For Col. George R. Reeves (1826-82), TX legislator (1855-61), Confederate army officer, and Speaker of the House (1881-82).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,641.45 (land 2,635.38; water 6.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,783. **State rank:** 2347. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +18.4%; 2000-2005 -11.4%. **Pop 2005:** 11,638 (White 77.2%; Black or African

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## Reeves County (cont'd)

American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 74.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 74.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 16.7%. **Median age:** 35.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,112; median household $32,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 28.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,533 - $22,428.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**REFUGIO COUNTY**
808 Commerce St PO Box 704 **Ph:** 361-526-2233
Refugio, TX 78377 **Fax:** 361-526-1325
www.co.refugio.tx.us

On the southeastern coast of TX, north of Corpus Christi; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the mission established there, Our Lady of Refuge, honoring the Virgin Mary.

**Area (sq mi):** 818.87 (land 770.44; water 48.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,383. **State rank:** 2647. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 7,639 (White 80.5%; Black or African American 6.5%; Hispanic or Latino 47.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 47.2%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,638; median household $42,949; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,458 - $37,063.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROBERTS COUNTY**
PO Box 477 **Ph:** 806-868-2341
Miami, TX 79059 **Fax:** 806-868-3381
www.co.roberts.tx.us

In the TX panhandle, northeast of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For both Lt. John S. Roberts (1796-1871), a signer of the TX Declaration of Independence, and Oran Milo Roberts, TX governor (1879-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 924.16 (land 924.06; water 0.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 929. **State rank:** 3116. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.3%; 2000-2005 -7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 820 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 8.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,291; median household $52,500; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,609 - $38,581.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROBERTSON COUNTY**
PO Box 1029 **Ph:** 979-828-4130
Franklin, TX 77856 **Fax:** 979-828-1260
www.co.robertson.tx.us

In east-central TX, southeast of Waco; organized Dec 14, 1837 (prior to statehood) from Bexar, Milam, and Nacogdoches Counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Sterling Clack Robertson (1785-1842), officer in the Battle of New Orleans (1815), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836), and Republic of TX legislator (1836; 1840).

**Area (sq mi):** 866.79 (land 855.68; water 11.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.4.

**Pop 2010:** 16,622. **State rank:** 2058. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,192 (White 67.7%; Black or African American 21.6%; Hispanic or Latino 18.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 18.0%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,113; median household $38,393; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,374 - $33,747.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROCKWALL COUNTY**
1101 Ridge Rd, Suite 101 **Ph:** 972-882-0220
Rockwall, TX 75087 **Fax:** 972-882-0229
www.rockwallcountytexas.com

In northeastern TX, east of Dallas; organized May 1, 1873 from Kaufman County. The smallest county in Texas, covering 147 square miles. **Name Origin:** For a subterranean wall or dike that thrusts up in various parts of the county. It is unclear whether the wall is a geological formation or man-made.

**Area (sq mi):** 146.95 (land 127.04; water 19.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 616.7.

**Pop 2010:** 78,337. **State rank:** 672. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.5%; 2000-2005 +46.1%. **Pop 2005:** 62,944 (White 83.6%; Black or African American 5.8%; Hispanic or Latino 15.9%; Asian 2.4%; Others 15.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.3%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,274; median household $78,032; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,659 - $48,159.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rockwall (37,490).

**RUNNELS COUNTY**
600 Courthouse Square PO Box 189 **Ph:** 325-365-2720
Ballinger, TX 76821 **Fax:** 325-365-3408
www.co.runnels.tx.us

In central TX, northeast of San Angelo; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Coleman County. **Name Origin:** For Hardin Richard Runnels (1820-73), TX legislator (1847-53) and governor (1857-59).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,057.35 (land 1,050.95; water 6.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.

**Pop 2010:** 10,501. **State rank:** 2415. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.3%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,974 (White 83.2%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 32.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 32.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Runnels County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,056; median household $37,823; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,996 - $30,145.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RUSK COUNTY

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Henderson, TX 75652
www.co.rusk.tx.us

**Ph:** 903-657-0330
**Fax:** 903-657-0062

In northeastern TX, east of Tyler; organized Jan 16, 1843 from Nacogdoches County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Jefferson Rusk (1803-57), chief justice of the Republic of TX supreme court (1838-42), signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836), and U.S. senator (1846-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 939.10 (land 924.03; water 15.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.7.

**Pop 2010:** 53,330. **State rank:** 971. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.2%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 47,971 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 14.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 14.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 38.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,392; median household $46,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,025 - $29,540.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sulphur Springs (15,449); Henderson 🏛 (13,712).

### SABINE COUNTY

201 Main St PO Box 580
Hemphill, TX 75948
www.co.sabine.tx.us

**Ph:** 409-787-3786
**Fax:** 409-787-3795

On the northeastern border of TX, east of Lufkin; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Sabine River, which forms its eastern border. French form of Spanish *sabinas* 'red cedar trees' that grow along the banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 577.73 (land 491.39; water 86.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.

**Pop 2010:** 10,834. **State rank:** 2412. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 10,416 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 50.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,155; median household $33,589; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,078 - $30,859.

**Unemployment 2010:** 16.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

100 W Columbia St, Rm 106
San Augustine, TX 75972
www.co.san-augustine.tx.us

**Ph:** 936-275-2452
**Fax:** 936-275-9579

On central east border of TX, north of Beaumont; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For the Presidio de San Augustin de Ahumada (Fort of Saint Augustine of Ahumada), Mission Nuestra Senora de los Dolores de los Ais (Mission of Our Lady of Sorrows of the Ais), which was established on Ayish Bayou by the Marquis de San Miguel de Ahuayo in 1721.

**Area (sq mi):** 595 (land 530.66; water 64.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,865. **State rank:** 2544. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 8,907 (White 71.9%; Black or African American 22.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,184; median household $25,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,308 - $28,165.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAN JACINTO COUNTY

1 State Hwy 150, Rm 2
Coldspring, TX 77331
www.co.san-jacinto.tx.us

**Ph:** 936-653-2324
**Fax:** 936-653-8312

In east-central TX, northwest of Beaumont; organized Aug 13, 1870 from Liberty, Montgomery, Polk, and Walker counties. **Name Origin:** For the San Jacinto River, which runs through the county; site of the battle that eventually won Texan independence from Mexico (1836). Spanish 'Saint Hyacinth' for the many water lilies.

**Area (sq mi):** 626.49 (land 569.24; water 57.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 26,384. **State rank:** 1596. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +11.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,801 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 10.3%; Hispanic or Latino 10.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 10.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,453; median household $46,285; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,547 - $30,654.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAN PATRICIO COUNTY

400 W. Sinton ST, Rm Suite 124 PO Box 578
Sinton, TX 78387
www.co.san-patricio.tx.us

**Ph:** 361-364-6290
**Fax:** 361-364-6112

On the southeastern coast of TX, north of Corpus Christi; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** From the Spanish for 'Saint Patrick,' the patron saint of Ireland.

**Area (sq mi):** 708.86 (land 693.45; water 15.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 93.5.

**Pop 2010:** 64,804. **State rank:** 767. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.4%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 69,209 (White 85.9%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 54.4%; Asian 0.8%; Others 54.4%,

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including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 36.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,766; median household $45,189; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,953 - $35,735.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portland (15,099).

### SAN SABA COUNTY

500 E Wallace St, Suite 202 **Ph:** 325-372-3614
San Saba, TX 76877
www.sansabacounty.org

In central TX, southeast of San Angelo; organized Feb 1, 1856 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For the San Saba River, which flows through it; Spanish contraction of *San Sabado* 'Holy Saturday,' named for the day before Easter when Spanish explorers discovered it.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,139.08 (land 1,135.30; water 3.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.4.

**Pop 2010:** 6,131. **State rank:** 2765. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 6,076 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 28.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 28.0%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,721; median household $36,308; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,539 - $29,871.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCHLEICHER COUNTY

PO Drawer 580 **Ph:** 325-853-2833
Eldorado, TX 76936 **Fax:** 325-853-2768
www.co.schleicher.tx.us

In west-central TX, south of San Angelo; organized Apr 1, 1887 from Crockett County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Gustave Schleicher (1823-79), TX legislator (1853-54; 1859-61), Confederate army officer, and U.S. representative (1875-79).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,310.67 (land 1,310.63; water 0.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 3,461. **State rank:** 2989. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +26.2%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,742 (White 80.3%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 44.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 44.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,299; median household $55,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,468 - $24,985.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SCURRY COUNTY

1806 25th St, Suite 300 **Ph:** 325-573-5332
Snyder, TX 79549-9250 **Fax:** 325-573-7396
www.co.scurry.tx.us

In south-central TX panhandle, northwest of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** Either for Gen. William Read Scurry (1821-64), Republic of TX legislator and jurist, publisher of the *Austin State Gazette* and Confederate army officer; or for Gen. Richardson Scurry (1811-62), TX legislator (1842-44) and U.S. representative (1851-53).

**Area (sq mi):** 910.47 (land 905.44; water 5.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.7.

**Pop 2010:** 16,921. **State rank:** 2019. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,217 (White 78.7%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 36.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 36.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,424; median household $42,401; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,215 - $33,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Snyder (11,202).

### SHACKELFORD COUNTY

225 S Main St **Ph:** 325-762-2232
Albany, TX 76430 **Fax:** 325-762-2830
shackelfordcountytexas.com

In north-central TX, northeast of Abilene; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bosque County. **Name Origin:** For John Shackelford (1790-1857), AL physician and legislator (1822-24) who fought for TX independence then returned to AL to practice medicine.

**Area (sq mi):** 915.88 (land 914.29; water 1.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,378. **State rank:** 2965. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.7%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 3,167 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 10.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 10.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,346; median household $46,629; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,221 - $39,486.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHELBY COUNTY

PO Box 1987 **Ph:** 936-598-6361
Center, TX 75935 **Fax:** 936-598-3701
www.co.shelby.tx.us

On the northeastern border of TX, northeast of Lufkin; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Shelby (1750-1826), officer in the Revolutionary War, NC legislator, and governor of KY (1792-96; 1812-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 836.01 (land 795.58; water 40.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.

**Pop 2010:** 25,448. **State rank:** 1521. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.4%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,346 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 17.4%; Hispanic or Latino 16.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 16.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**born:** 8.2%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,103; median household $32,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,189 - $31,024.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHERMAN COUNTY

PO Box 270
Stratford, TX 79084
www.co.sherman.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-366-2371
**Fax:** 806-396-5670

In north-central TX panhandle, north of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Sidney Sherman (1805-73), officer in the Republic of TX army, TX legislator (1842; 1852-53), and organizer of the first railroad in TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 923.20 (land 923.04; water 0.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 3,034. **State rank:** 2974. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,002 (White 88.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 40.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 40.4%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.9%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,587; median household $50,069; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,384 - $43,127.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SMITH COUNTY

200 E. Ferguson St Ste 300
Tyler, TX 75702
www.smith-county.com

**Ph:** 903-590-4670
**Fax:** 903-590-4689

In northeastern TX, southeast of Dallas; organized Apr 11, 1846 from Nacogdoches County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Smith (1792-1855), officer in the War of 1812 and the war of TX independence; TX legislator (1846-47).

**Area (sq mi):** 942.51 (land 921.45; water 21.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 227.6.

**Pop 2010:** 209,714. **State rank:** 299. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 190,594 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 17.9%; Hispanic or Latino 17.2%; Asian 1.2%; Others 17.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,374; median household $46,139; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,385 - $36,444.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tyler 🏛 (96,900).

### SOMERVELL COUNTY

107 NE Vernon PO Box 1098
Glen Rose, TX 76043
co.somervell.tx.us

**Ph:** 254-897-4427
**Fax:** 254-897-3233

In north-central TX, southwest of Fort Worth; organized Mar 13, 1875 from Hood County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Alexander Somervell (1796-1854), Republic of TX secretary of war (1836), legislator (1836-38), and collector of customs (1842-45).

**Area (sq mi):** 191.19 (land 186.46; water 4.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 45.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,490. **State rank:** 2586. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 +11.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,578 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 19.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 19.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,314; median household $52,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,381 - $35,502.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STARR COUNTY

County Courthouse, Rm 201
Rio Grande City, TX 78582

**Ph:** 956-487-2954
**Fax:** 956-487-6227

On the southwestern border of TX, west of McAllen; organized Feb 10, 1848 from Nueces County. **Name Origin:** For James Harper Starr (1809-90), physician; an official in the Republic of Texas government.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,229.44 (land 1,223.18; water 6.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.8.

**Pop 2010:** 60,968. **State rank:** 823. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +13.7%. **Pop 2005:** 60,941 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 95.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 95.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 30.0%. **Median age:** 29.

**Income 2007:** per capita $11,659; median household $24,441; **Pop below poverty level:** 38.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $14,858 - $18,259.

**Unemployment 2010:** 17.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rio Grande City 🏛 (13,834).

### STEPHENS COUNTY

200 W Walker St
Breckenridge, TX 76424
www.co.stephens.tx.us

**Ph:** 254-559-3700
**Fax:** 254-559-5892

In north-central TX, northeast of Abilene; established as Buchanan County Jan 22, 1858 from Bosque County; organized Sep 20, 1860. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Hamilton Stephens (1812-83), GA legislator, vice president of the Confederate government (1861), and governor of GA (1882-83).

**Area (sq mi):** 923.56 (land 896.72; water 26.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.7.

**Pop 2010:** 9,630. **State rank:** 2455. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 9,561 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 20.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 20.9%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,573; median household $35,691; **Pop**

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## Stephens County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,063 - $32,844.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STERLING COUNTY**
609 4th Ave PO Box 55
Sterling City, TX 76951
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**Ph:** 325-378-5191
**Fax:** 325-378-2266

In central TX, northwest of San Angelo; organized Mar 4, 1891 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For W.S. Sterling (?-1881), Indian fighter, rancher, and buffalo hunter.

**Area (sq mi):** 923.58 (land 923.45; water 0.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.2.

**Pop 2010:** 1,143. **State rank:** 3095. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -12.3%; 2000-2005 -6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,303 (White 88.6%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 31.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 31.9%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.1%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,640; median household $41,548; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,497 - $35,364.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**STONEWALL COUNTY**
PO Drawer P
Aspermont, TX 79502

**Ph:** 940-989-2272
**Fax:** 940-989-2715

In north-central TX, northwest of Abilene; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Jonathan Stonewall Jackson (1824-63), Confederate army officer; he earned his nickname from his stand at Bull Run.

**Area (sq mi):** 917.87 (land 916.31; water 1.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.6.

**Pop 2010:** 1,490. **State rank:** 3089. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 -19.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,372 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 14.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,177; median household $52,222; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,779 - $36,489.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SUTTON COUNTY**
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Sonora, TX 76950
www.co.sutton.tx.us

**Ph:** 325-387-3815
**Fax:** 325-387-6028

In central TX, south of San Angelo; organized Apr 1, 1887 from Wood County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. John S. Sutton (1821-62), Confederate army officer from TX.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,454.56 (land 1,453.93; water 0.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,128. **State rank:** 2875. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 4,212 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 59.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 59.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.4%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,325; median household $56,146; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,549 - $50,635.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 11.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SWISHER COUNTY**
119 S Maxwell St
Tulia, TX 79088
www.co.swisher.tx.us

**Ph:** 806-995-3294
**Fax:** 806-995-4121

In central TX panhandle, south of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For James Gibson Swisher (1794-1864), Republic of TX soldier and a signer of the TX Declaration of Independence (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 890.41 (land 890.16; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.8.

**Pop 2010:** 7,854. **State rank:** 2628. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 -6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,828 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 7.2%; Hispanic or Latino 40.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 40.1%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,513; median household $37,907; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,999 - $32,091.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TARRANT COUNTY**
100 E Weatherford
Fort Worth, TX 76196
www.tarrantcounty.com

**Ph:** 817-884-1111
**Fax:** 817-884-3295

In north-central TX, west of Dallas; organized Dec 20, 1849 from Navarro County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Edward H. Tarrant (1796-1858), TX Ranger, legislator, and delegate to the TX Constitutional Convention (1845).

**Area (sq mi):** 897.67 (land 863.61; water 34.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 2094.7.

**Pop 2010:** 1,809,034. **State rank:** 16. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.6%; 2000-2005 +12.0%. **Pop 2005:** 1,620,479 (White 66.6%; Black or African American 14.9%; Hispanic or Latino 26.7%; Asian 4.7%; Others 26.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.6%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,333; median household $55,306; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,892 - $38,581.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 20 (see page 45 for cities).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**TAYLOR COUNTY**
300 Oak St, Suite 100
Abilene, TX 79602-2152
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**Fax:** 325-674-1279

In central TX, northeast of San Angelo; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** Either for three Taylor brothers who died at the Alamo, or for Edward Taylor, an early settler of Sterling Clark Robertson's colony (1785-1842).

**Area (sq mi):** 919.18 (land 915.55; water 3.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 143.6.

**Pop 2010:** 131,506. **State rank:** 474. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 125,039 (White 79.4%; Black or African American 7.4%; Hispanic or Latino 22.1%; Asian 1.6%; Others 22.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,606; median household $42,403; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,185 - $35,448.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Abilene 🏛 (117,063); Wylie (41,427).

**TERRELL COUNTY**
108 Hackberry St
Sanderson, TX 79848
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**Fax:** 432-345-2274

On the southwestern border of TX, northwest of Del Rio; organized Apr 8, 1905 from Pecos County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Alexander Watkins Terrell (1827-1912), TX judicial district judge (1857-62), legislator (1875-82), and U.S. Minister Plenipotentiary to Turkey (1893-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,358.06 (land 2,358.03; water 0.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.4.

**Pop 2010:** 984. **State rank:** 3108. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 -7.9%. **Pop 2005:** 996 (White 84.1%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 47.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 47.5%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.0%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,871; median household $35,403; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,116 - $40,717.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TERRY COUNTY**
500 W Main St Rm 105
Brownfield, TX 79316-6433
www.co.terry.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-637-8551
**Fax:** 806-637-4874

In southwestern TX panhandle, southwest of Lubbock; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Col. Benjamin Franklin Terry (1821-61), a Confederate army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 889.90 (land 888.84; water 1.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.2.

**Pop 2010:** 12,651. **State rank:** 2281. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 12,419 (White 81.3%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 49.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 49.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 35.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,306; median household $39,498; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,287 - $33,402.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**THROCKMORTON COUNTY**
105 North Minter Ave PO Box 309
Throckmorton, TX 76483
www.co.throckmorton.tx.us
**Ph:** 940-849-2501
**Fax:** 940-849-3032

In north-central TX, northeast of Abilene; organized Jan 13, 1858 from Bosque County. **Name Origin:** For William Edward Throckmorton (1795-1843), father of Gov. James Webb Throckmorton.

**Area (sq mi):** 915.68 (land 912.55; water 3.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,641. **State rank:** 3079. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -12.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,618 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 9.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,677; median household $36,339; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,536 - $40,132.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TITUS COUNTY**
100 W 1st Suite 204
Mount Pleasant, TX 75455
www.co.titus.tx.us
**Ph:** 903-577-6796
**Fax:** 903-572-5078

In northeastern TX, southwest of Texarkana; organized May 11, 1846 from Red River County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson Titus (1823-55), early settler and TX legislator (1851-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 421.20 (land 406.05; water 15.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.6.

**Pop 2010:** 32,334. **State rank:** 1419. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 29,445 (White 67.6%; Black or African American 9.6%; Hispanic or Latino 39.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 39.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 19.3%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,520; median household $39,423; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,117 - $28,716.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Pleasant 🏛 (15,564).

**TOM GREEN COUNTY**
124 W Beauregard Ave
San Angelo, TX 76903
www.co.tom-green.tx.us
**Ph:** 325-659-6553
**Fax:** 325-659-3251

In central TX, southwest of Abilene; organized Mar 13, 1874 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Green (1814-64), officer in the War for Texas Independence and the Mexican-American War; Confederate Army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,540.41 (land 1,521.97; water 18.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 72.4.

🏛 *County Seat*

## Tom Green County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 110,224. **State rank:** 539. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 103,611 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 35.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 35.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 34.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,292; median household $41,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,229 - $35,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** San Angelo 🏛 (93,200).

**TRAVIS COUNTY**
PO Box 1748 **Ph:** 512-854-9020
Austin, TX 78767 **Fax:** 512-854-9542
www.co.travis.tx.us

In east-central TX, northeast of San Antonio; organized Jan 25, 1840 (prior to statehood) from Bastrop County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. William Barret Travis (1809-36), an officer in the Republic of TX cavalry, killed at the Alamo.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,022.97 (land 990.20; water 32.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 1034.4.

**Pop 2010:** 1,024,266. **State rank:** 40. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.3%; 2000-2005 +9.3%. **Pop 2005:** 888,185 (White 69.3%; Black or African American 8.5%; Hispanic or Latino 33.5%; Asian 5.8%; Others 33.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.9%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,785; median household $54,074; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,283 - $41,462.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Austin 🏛 (790,390); Pflugerville (46,936); Wells Branch (12,120); Lakeway (11,391).

**TRINITY COUNTY**
162 W 1st St PO Box 456 **Ph:** 936-642-1208
Groveton, TX 75845 **Fax:** 936-642-3004
www.co.trinity.tx.us

In east-central TX, southwest of Lufkin; organized Feb 11, 1850 from Houston County. **Name Origin:** For the Trinity River, which forms its southern border; itself probably named for the feast of the Holy Trinity.

**Area (sq mi):** 714.77 (land 693.61; water 21.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.

**Pop 2010:** 14,585. **State rank:** 2163. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +4.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,363 (White 84.3%; Black or African American 9.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 7.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,828; median household $36,814; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,872 - $27,376.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TYLER COUNTY**
100 W Bluff St Rm 203 **Ph:** 409-283-2162
Woodville, TX 75979 **Fax:** 409-283-8049
www.co.tyler.tx.us

In east-central TX, north of Beaumont; organized Apr 3, 1846 from Liberty County. **Name Origin:** For John Tyler (1790-1862), tenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 937.31 (land 924.50; water 12.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,766. **State rank:** 1789. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 -1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,617 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 11.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 6.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,450; median household $35,346; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,770 - $28,001.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UPSHUR COUNTY**
Upshur County Courthouse, 2nd Fl PO Box 730 **Ph:** 903-843-4015
Gilmer, TX 75644 **Fax:** 903-843-5492
www.countyofupshur.com

In northeastern TX, northeast of Tyler; organized Jul 13, 1846 from Harrison and Nacogdoches counties. **Name Origin:** For Abel Parker Upshur (1791-1844), judge in VA courts (1826-41), U.S. secretary of the navy (1841-43), and U.S. secretary of state (1843-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 587.97 (land 582.95; water 5.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.4.

**Pop 2010:** 39,309. **State rank:** 1209. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 37,881 (White 85.1%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.6%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,946; median household $44,403; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,875 - $32,850.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UPTON COUNTY**
205 E 10th St **Ph:** 432-693-2861
Rankin, TX 79778 **Fax:** 432-693-2129
www.co.upton.tx.us

In west-central TX, south of Midland; organized Feb 26, 1887 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. John Cunningham Upton (1823-62), Confederate army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,241.48 (land 1,241.32; water 0.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.7.

**Pop 2010:** 3,355. **State rank:** 2954. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 -10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 3,056 (White 75.0%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 49.0%; Asian Z%; Others 49.0%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.7%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,112; median household $49,234; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,802 - $40,691.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Upton County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### UVALDE COUNTY

PO Box 284
Uvalde, TX 78802-2028
www.uvaldecounty.com

**Ph:** 830-278-6614
**Fax:** 830-278-8692

In south-central TX, east of Del Rio; organized Feb 8, 1850 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Juan de Ugalde, Mexican army officer, civil and military governor of Coahuila and TX (1777); Indian fighter. The present spelling is a corruption of his name.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,554.01 (land 1,551.95; water 2.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 26,405. **State rank:** 1522. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 26,955 (White 78.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 69.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 69.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.8%. **Median age:** 35.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,842; median household $35,087; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,669 - $31,682.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Uvalde 🏛 (15,751).

### VAL VERDE COUNTY

400 Pecan St 1st Fl
Del Rio, TX 78840
www.valverdecounty.org

**Ph:** 830-774-7564
**Fax:** 830-774-7608

On the southwestern border of TX, northwest of Laredo; organized Feb 20, 1885 from Kinney and Pecos counties. **Name Origin:** A shortening of the Spanish *valle verde* 'green valley.'

**Area (sq mi):** 3,206.77 (land 3,144.75; water 62.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.5.

**Pop 2010:** 48,879. **State rank:** 994. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +6.1%. **Pop 2005:** 47,596 (White 85.0%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 80.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 80.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.5%. **Median age:** 32.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,615; median household $36,993; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,035 - $29,425.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Del Rio 🏛 (35,591).

### VAN ZANDT COUNTY

121 E Dallas St, Rm 202
Canton, TX 75103
www.vanzandtcounty.org

**Ph:** 903-567-7555
**Fax:** 903-567-6722

In northeastern TX, east of Dallas; organized Mar 20, 1848 from Henderson County. **Name Origin:** For Isaac Van Zandt (1813-47), Republic of TX legislator (1840-42).

**Area (sq mi):** 853.40 (land 842.56; water 10.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.4.

**Pop 2010:** 52,579. **State rank:** 937. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 52,491 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 9.2%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,989; median household $43,074; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,952 - $33,346.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VICTORIA COUNTY

115 N Bridge St Rm 103
Victoria, TX 77902
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**Fax:** 361-575-6276

In south-central TX, northeast of Corpus Christi; original county; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Old Mexican Municipality. **Name Origin:** For Juan Manuel Felix Fernandez, called Guadelupe Victoria (1789-1843), first president of the Republic of Mexico (1824).

**Area (sq mi):** 888.37 (land 882.14; water 6.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.4.

**Pop 2010:** 86,793. **State rank:** 640. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 85,648 (White 79.5%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 43.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 43.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,146; median household $48,767; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,933 - $40,057.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Victoria 🏛 (62,592).

### WALKER COUNTY

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Huntsville, TX 77342-2120
www.co.walker.tx.us

**Ph:** 936-436-4935
**Fax:** 936-436-0435

In east-central TX, northwest of Houston; organized Apr 6, 1846 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** Either for Robert James Walker (1801-69), U.S. senator who introduced the resolution to annex TX to the U.S., or for Samuel Hamilton Walker (1809-47), a Mexican War casualty.

**Area (sq mi):** 798.16 (land 784.17; water 13.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.5.

**Pop 2010:** 67,861. **State rank:** 800. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 62,735 (White 67.1%; Black or African American 22.5%; Hispanic or Latino 16.8%; Asian 0.9%; Others 16.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.3%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,920; median household $34,259; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,593 - $24,022.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Huntsville 🏛 (38,548).

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**WALLER COUNTY**
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Hempstead, TX 77445
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**Ph:** 979-826-7643
**Fax:** 979-826-7645

In east-central TX, west of Houston; organized Apr 28, 1873 from Austin County. **Name Origin:** For Edwin Waller (1800-83), signer of the TX declaration of independence (1836) and chief justice of Austin County (1844-56).

**Area (sq mi):** 518.30 (land 513.43; water 4.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.1.

**Pop 2010:** 43,205. **State rank:** 1253. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.1%; 2000-2005 +6.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,821 (White 58.5%; Black or African American 24.9%; Hispanic or Latino 29.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 29.0%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.5%. **Median age:** 31.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,621; median household $47,324; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,889 - $28,707.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARD COUNTY**
400 S Allen St, Suite 101
Monahans, TX 79756
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**Ph:** 432-943-3294
**Fax:** 432-943-6054

In west-central TX, southwest of Odessa; organized 1891 from Tom Green County (other sources say organized Feb 26, 1887; first federal census: 1890). **Name Origin:** For Thomas William Peg Leg Ward (1807-72), soldier in the TX war of independence, mayor of Austin (1840; 1857; 1865), and U.S. consul to Panama (1840; 1853; 1865).

**Area (sq mi):** 835.85 (land 835.60; water 0.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 12.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,658. **State rank:** 2393. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 -6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 10,237 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 4.9%; Hispanic or Latino 47.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 47.6%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,055; median household $41,117; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,922 - $33,678.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
100 E Main St, Suite 102
Brenham, TX 77833
www.co.washington.tx.us
**Ph:** 979-277-6200
**Fax:** 979-277-6221

In east-central TX, northwest of Houston; organized Mar 17, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Texas Municipality. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 616.08 (land 603.95; water 12.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,718. **State rank:** 1345. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.0%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 31,521 (White 74.2%; Black or African American 17.6%; Hispanic or Latino 13.8%; Asian 1.3%; Others 13.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.9%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,464; median household $43,159; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,809 - $39,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brenham (15,716).

**WEBB COUNTY**
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Laredo, TX 78040
www.webbcounty.com
**Ph:** 956-721-2500
**Fax:** 956-726-6906

On the southwestern border of TX, west of Corpus Christi; organized Jan 28, 1848 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For James Webb (1792-1856), Republic of TX Attorney General (1839-41), legislator (1841-44), and judge (1854-56).

**Area (sq mi):** 3,380.17 (land 3,361.48; water 18.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.5.

**Pop 2010:** 250,304. **State rank:** 264. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.4%; 2000-2005 +16.4%. **Pop 2005:** 224,695 (White 88.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 95.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 95.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 29.2%. **Median age:** 27.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,163; median household $36,684; **Pop below poverty level:** 29.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,643 - $23,680.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laredo (236,091).

**WHARTON COUNTY**
309 E Milam, Suite 700 PO Box 69
Wharton, TX 77488
www.co.wharton.tx.us
**Ph:** 979-532-2381
**Fax:** 979-532-8426

In east-central TX, southwest of Houston; organized Apr 3, 1846 from Colorado and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For William Harris Wharton (1802-39), Republic of TX soldier, minister to the U.S. (1836), and legislator (1838).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,090.44 (land 1,086.15; water 4.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.

**Pop 2010:** 41,280. **State rank:** 1143. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 41,554 (White 72.2%; Black or African American 14.1%; Hispanic or Latino 37.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 37.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,049; median household $41,148; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,907 - $33,373.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** El Campo (11,602).

**WHEELER COUNTY**
401 Main St PO Box 465
Wheeler, TX 79096
www.co.wheeler.tx.us
**Ph:** 806-826-5544
**Fax:** 806-826-3282

On northeastern border of TX panhandle, east of Amarillo; organized Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Royal Tyler Wheeler (1810-64), prominent TX judge.

**Area (sq mi):** 915.60 (land 914.52; water 1.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.9.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wheeler County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 5,410. **State rank:** 2837. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.7%; 2000-2005 -9.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,799 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 24.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 24.8%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,282; median household $42,909; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,234 - $37,666.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WICHITA COUNTY**
900 7th St PO Box 1679 **Ph:** 940-766-8144
Wichita Falls, TX 76301 **Fax:** 940-716-8554
www.co.wichita.tx.us

On the central northern border of TX, northwest of Fort Worth; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Fannin County. **Name Origin:** For the Wichita River, which traverses its northern border; itself named for one of the more important tribes of Caddoan linguistic stock. The name is translated as 'man,' or as taken from Choctaw *owa chito* 'big hunt.'

**Area (sq mi):** 633.13 (land 627.78; water 5.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 209.5.

**Pop 2010:** 131,500. **State rank:** 475. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 -4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 125,894 (White 77.1%; Black or African American 10.5%; Hispanic or Latino 16.6%; Asian 2.0%; Others 16.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.3%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,837; median household $42,971; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,866 - $33,545.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wichita Falls 🏛 (104,553); Burkburnett (10,811).

**WILBARGER COUNTY**
1700 Wilbarger St County Courthouse Rm 15 **Ph:** 940-552-5486
Vernon, TX 76384
www.co.wilbarger.tx.us

In north-central TX, west of Wichita Falls; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Bexar County. **Name Origin:** For Josiah Pugh Wilbarger (1801-45), a surveyor, and Mathias Wilbarger, brothers who settled in Austin's colony.

**Area (sq mi):** 977.87 (land 970.84; water 7.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.9.

**Pop 2010:** 13,535. **State rank:** 2198. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.6%; 2000-2005 -5.3%. **Pop 2005:** 13,896 (White 78.2%; Black or African American 8.0%; Hispanic or Latino 25.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 25.9%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,916; median household $40,105; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,331 - $34,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Vernon 🏛 (11,002).

**WILLACY COUNTY**
540 W Hidalgo St 1st Fl **Ph:** 956-689-2710
Raymondville, TX 78580 **Fax:** 956-689-6127
www.co.willacy.tx.us

On the southeastern coast of TX, north of Brownsville; organized 1921 from Cameron and Hidalgo counties plus a 1.4-mile strip of a former Willacy County, which was renamed Kenedy County at the same time that the new county was created. **Name Origin:** For John G. Willacy (1850-1943), TX legislator (1899-1914).

**Area (sq mi):** 778.10 (land 590.55; water 187.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,134. **State rank:** 1798. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,382 (White 85.8%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 87.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 87.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 14.6%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $10,800; median household $22,881; **Pop below poverty level:** 43.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,039 - $25,036.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Raymondville (11,284).

**WILLIAMSON COUNTY**
405 ML King St **Ph:** 512-930-4300
Georgetown, TX 78626-6490 **Fax:** 512-943-1616
www.wilco.org

In central TX, north of Austin; organized Mar 13, 1848 from Milam County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Robert McAlpin Three Legged Willie Williamson (1806-59), Republic of TX army officer, editor, and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,130.27 (land 1,118.30; water 11.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 378.

**Pop 2010:** 422,679. **State rank:** 160. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +26.8%; 2000-2005 +33.4%. **Pop 2005:** 333,457 (White 78.1%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 23.2%; Asian 4.8%; Others 23.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.3%. **Median age:** 34.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,663; median household $68,780; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,074 - $37,728.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 45 for cities).

**WILSON COUNTY**
1420 3rd St, Suite 105 PO Box 27 **Ph:** 830-393-7308
Floresville, TX 78114 **Fax:** 830-393-7334
www.co.wilson.tx.us

In south-central TX, southeast of San Antonio; organized Feb 13, 1860 from Kames and Bexar Counties. **Name Origin:** For James Charles Wilson (1816-61), Republic of TX soldier and legislator (1851-52).

**Area (sq mi):** 805.31 (land 803.73; water 1.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.4.

**Pop 2010:** 42,918. **State rank:** 1153. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.4%; 2000-2005 +15.8%. **Pop 2005:** 37,529 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 38.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 38.2%,

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## Wilson County (cont'd)

including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.8%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,149; median household $60,493; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,474 - $32,629.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINKLER COUNTY**
100 E Winkler St, Suite 3 **Ph:** 432-586-3401
Kermit, TX 79745
www.co.wichita.tx.us

In western TX, west of Odessa; organized Feb 26, 1887 from Tom Green County. **Name Origin:** For Lt. Col. Clinton McKamy Winkler (1827-82), TX legislator (1848), officer in the Confederate army, and civil appeals court judge (1876-82).

**Area (sq mi):** 841.30 (land 841.11; water 0.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,110. **State rank:** 2692. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 -6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,690 (White 73.7%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 53.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 53.8%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.4%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,309; median household $41,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,012 - $32,327.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WISE COUNTY**
PO Box 359 **Ph:** 940-627-3351
Decatur, TX 76234 **Fax:** 940-627-2138

In north-central TX, northwest of Fort Worth; organized Jan 23, 1856 from Cooke County. **Name Origin:** For Maj. Gen. Henry Alexander Wise (1806-76), governor of VA (1856-60), and an officer in the Confederate army.

**Area (sq mi):** 922.59 (land 904.42; water 18.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.4.

**Pop 2010:** 59,127. **State rank:** 857. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +16.2%. **Pop 2005:** 56,696 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 17.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 17.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,075; median household $55,207; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,306 - $34,169.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WOOD COUNTY**
PO Box 1796 **Ph:** 903-763-2711
Quitman, TX 75783 **Fax:** 903-763-5641
www.mywoodcounty.com

In northeastern TX, east of Dallas; organized Feb 5, 1850 from Van Zandt County. **Name Origin:** For George Tyler Wood (1795-1856), TX legislator (1846) and governor of TX (1847-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 690.81 (land 645.23; water 45.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.

**Pop 2010:** 41,964. **State rank:** 1088. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 40,855 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 8.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 8.5%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,682; median household $41,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,385 - $30,590.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Forest Hill (12,355).

**YOAKUM COUNTY**
PO Box 309 **Ph:** 806-456-2721
Plains, TX 79355 **Fax:** 806-456-2258
www.co.yoakum.tx.us

On southwestern border of TX panhandle, southwest of Lubbock; created Aug 21, 1876 from Bexar County; organized 1907. **Name Origin:** For Col. Henderson King Yoakum (1810-56), army officer in Indian and Mexican wars, and trustee of Austin College (1849-56).

**Area (sq mi):** 799.72 (land 799.71; water 0.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.9.

**Pop 2010:** 7,879. **State rank:** 2610. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.4%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 7,408 (White 74.5%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 58.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 58.7%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 20.8%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,937; median household $49,146; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,036 - $40,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YOUNG COUNTY**
516 4th St, Suite 104 **Ph:** 940-549-8486
Graham, TX 76450 **Fax:** 940-521-0305

In north-central TX, south of Wichita Falls; organized Feb 2, 1856 from Bosque County. **Name Origin:** For William Cocke Young (1812-62), TX sheriff and district attorney, U.S. marshal in IL (1851), and Confederate army officer (1861).

**Area (sq mi):** 922.98 (land 914.47; water 8.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,550. **State rank:** 1921. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 18,000 (White 90.3%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 16.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 16.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,656; median household $36,900; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,731 - $35,437.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ZAPATA COUNTY

200 E 7th Ave, Suite 138 PO Box 789
Zapata, TX 78076
www.zapatausa.com

**Ph:** 956-765-9915
**Fax:** 956-765-9933

On the southwestern border of TX, southeast of Laredo; organized Jan 22, 1858 from Starr and Webb counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. Antonio Zapata (?-1840), an officer in the Mexican army and a rancher.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,059.75 (land 998.41; water 61.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.

**Pop 2010:** 14,018. **State rank:** 2153. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 13,373 (White 93.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 93.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 93.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 26.1%. **Median age:** 28.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,915; median household $24,496; **Pop below poverty level:** 37.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $18,926 - $22,387.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ZAVALA COUNTY

200 E Uvalde St Ste 7
Crystal City, TX 78839
www.co.zavala.tx.us

**Ph:** 830-374-2331
**Fax:** 830-374-5955

In southern TX, southwest of Del Rio; organized Feb 1, 1858 from Uvalde and Maverick counties. **Name Origin:** For Manuel Lorenzo Justiniano de Zavala (1789-1836), a governor of the state of Mexico, vice president of the Repubic of TX, and a signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence (1836).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,300.65 (land 1,297.41; water 3.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.

**Pop 2010:** 11,677. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.0%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 11,796 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 93.9%; Asian 0.0%; Others 93.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.9%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $10,180; median household $21,707; **Pop below poverty level:** 43.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $15,917 - $19,048.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**UTAH STATE INFORMATION**
350 N Main St
Salt Lake City, UT 84103
www.utah.gov
**Ph:** 801-538-3000

**Area (sq mi):** 84,898.83 (land 82,143.65; water 2,755.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,763,885. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.9%; 2000-2005 +10.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,469,585 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 13%; Asian 2%; Others 13%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 28.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,595; median household $56,330; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,761 - $32,517.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.6%.

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**BEAVER COUNTY**
105 E Center St
Beaver, UT 84713
www.beaver.state.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-438-6463
**Fax:** 435-438-6462

On the southwestern border of UT; organized Jan 5, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Iron County. **Name Origin:** For the beaver once plentiful in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,592.21 (land 2,589.88; water 2.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,629. **State rank:** 2738. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,204 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 1.1%; Others 10.8%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,131; median household $41,514; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,014 - $27,692.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BOX ELDER COUNTY**
1 S Main St
Brigham City, UT 84302
www.boxeldercounty.org
**Ph:** 435-734-3300
**Fax:** 435-723-7562

On the northwestern border of UT, west of Ogden; organized Jan 5, 1856 (prior to statehood) from Weber County. **Name Origin:** For the abundant box elder trees in the area. It is more commonly known as the North American maple tree *Acer negundo*.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,751.24 (land 5,745.55; water 1,005.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.7.

**Pop 2010:** 49,975. **State rank:** 963. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 46,440 (White 91.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 8.3%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 30.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,465; median household $55,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,271 - $29,746.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Brigham City 🏛 (17,899).

**CACHE COUNTY**
179 N Main St, Suite 112
Logan, UT 84321
www.cachecounty.org
**Ph:** 435-755-1670
**Fax:** 435-755-1994

On the central northern border of UT, northeast of Ogden; organized Jan 5, 1856 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Cache Valley, from the French for 'hiding place,' because early trappers or hunters stored furs and supplies in the valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,173.36 (land 1,164.81; water 8.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 96.7.

**Pop 2010:** 112,656. **State rank:** 512. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.9%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 98,055 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.0%; Asian 1.9%; Others 10.0%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.4%. **Median age:** 25.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,670; median household $47,013; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,137 - $27,297.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Logan 🏛 (48,174).

**CARBON COUNTY**
120 E Main St
Price, UT 84501
www.co.carbon.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-636-3295
**Fax:** 435-636-3210

In east-central UT, southeast of Provo; organized 1894 (prior to statehood) from Emery County. **Name Origin:** For the abundant coal deposits within its borders.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,484.61 (land 1,478.49; water 6.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.5.

**Pop 2010:** 21,403. **State rank:** 1818. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.1%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,437 (White 92.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.4%,

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including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,260; median household $41,967; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,071 - $32,536.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAGGETT COUNTY**
95 N & 100 W PO Box 219
Manila, UT 84046
www.daggettcounty.org
**Ph:** 435-784-3154
**Fax:** 435-784-3335

On the northeastern border of UT; organized Jan 7, 1918 from Uintah County. **Name Origin:** For Ellsworth Daggett (1845-1923), mining engineer and first surveyor-general of UT.

**Area (sq mi):** 721.69 (land 696.98; water 24.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.5.

**Pop 2010:** 1,059. **State rank:** 3111. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.3%; 2000-2005 +2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 943 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.8%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,862; median household $36,389; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,313 - $30,095.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DAVIS COUNTY**
28 East State St PO Box 618
Farmington, UT 84025
www.co.davis.ut.us
**Ph:** 801-451-3324
**Fax:** 801-451-3421

In north-central UT, north of Salt Lake City; original county; organized Oct 5, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Daniel C. Davis (1804-50), commander of 'The Mormon Volunteers.'

**Area (sq mi):** 628 (land 298.78; water 329.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 1025.8.

**Pop 2010:** 306,479. **State rank:** 210. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.3%; 2000-2005 +12.2%. **Pop 2005:** 268,187 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 1.8%; Others 8.4%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 29.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,244; median household $66,866; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,310 - $33,817.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 9 (see page 45 for cities).

**DUCHESNE COUNTY**
734 N Center St
Duchesne, UT 84021
www.duchesnegov.net
**Ph:** 435-738-1101
**Fax:** 435-738-5522

In north-central UT, east of Provo; organized Aug 13, 1914 from Wasatch County. **Name Origin:** For the Duchesne River, which flows through the county. Origin of name unknown. Possibly for Rose Du Chesne (1769-1852), founder of the Society of the Sacred Heart in America; for a fur trapper of that name; or for Fort Duquesne, PA.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,258.87 (land 3,240.95; water 17.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.7.

**Pop 2010:** 18,607. **State rank:** 1914. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.2%; 2000-2005 +6.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,354 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.0%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,787; median household $52,895; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,221 - $33,928.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EMERY COUNTY**
75 E Main St PO Box 907
Castle Dale, UT 84513
www.co.emery.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-381-5106
**Fax:** 435-381-5183

In east-central UT; organized Feb 12, 1880 (prior to statehood) from Sanpete and Sevier counties. **Name Origin:** For George W. Emery, a territorial governor (1875-80).

**Area (sq mi):** 4,472 (land 4,462.31; water 9.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 10,976. **State rank:** 2380. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 10,711 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,968; median household $49,237; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,316 - $27,759.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GARFIELD COUNTY**
55 S Main St
Panguitch, UT 84759
garfield.utah.gov
**Ph:** 435-676-8826
**Fax:** 435-676-8239

In south-central UT; organized Mar 9, 1882 (prior to statehood) from Iron County. **Name Origin:** For James Abŕam Garfield (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,209.10 (land 5,175.12; water 33.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.

**Pop 2010:** 5,172. **State rank:** 2850. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.7%; 2000-2005 -5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,470 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 4.5%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,187; median household $44,745; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,681 - $27,439.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 10.4%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Garfield County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAND COUNTY**
125 E Center St
Moab, UT 84532
www.grandcountyutah.net
**Ph:** 435-259-1321
**Fax:** 435-259-2959

On the central eastern border of UT; organized Mar 13, 1890 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Grand River, which flows through the county; the river was renamed the Colorado in 1921.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,684.06 (land 3,671.54; water 12.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,225. **State rank:** 2453. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,743 (White 89.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 9.6%, including 4.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 39.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,611; median household $41,396; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,688 - $33,098.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**IRON COUNTY**
68 S 100 East
Parowan, UT 84761
www.ironcounty.net
**Ph:** 435-477-3375
**Fax:** 435-477-8847

On the southwestern border of UT; organized as Little Salt Lake County in 1850 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory; name changed later that year. **Name Origin:** For the county's iron ore deposits and mines.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,300.55 (land 3,296.68; water 3.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.

**Pop 2010:** 46,163. **State rank:** 1046. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.5%; 2000-2005 +13.4%. **Pop 2005:** 38,311 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 7.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 26.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,898; median household $42,247; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,932 - $23,164.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cedar City (28,857).

**JUAB COUNTY**
160 N Main St
Nephi, UT 84648
www.co.juab.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-623-3410
**Fax:** 435-623-5936

On the central western border of UT, southwest of Provo; original county; organized Mar 3, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** From the Juab Valley, named by the local Indians, the Uabs, Yuabs, or Yoabs of the Piute tribe. Meaning is either 'flat, level plain,' or possibly 'thirsty valley.'

**Area (sq mi):** 3,406.82 (land 3,392.28; water 14.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.

**Pop 2010:** 10,246. **State rank:** 2410. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.4%; 2000-2005 +10.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,113 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 29.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,193; median household $53,225; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,396 - $23,103.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KANE COUNTY**
76 N Main St Courthouse
Kanab, UT 84741
www.kaneutah.com
**Ph:** 435-644-2458
**Fax:** 435-644-2052

On the central southern border of UT; organized Jan 16, 1864 (prior to statehood) from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Thomas Leiper Kane (1822-83), Union army officer and friend to the Mormons who acted as an intermediary in the so-called Mormon War of 1858.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,106.69 (land 3,990.23; water 116.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.8.

**Pop 2010:** 7,125. **State rank:** 2702. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.9%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,202 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,155; median household $43,540; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,128 - $31,454.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MILLARD COUNTY**
765 S Hwy 99, Suite 6
Fillmore, UT 84631
www.millardcounty.com
**Ph:** 435-743-6223
**Fax:** 435-743-6923

On the central western border of UT, southwest of Provo; organized Oct 4, 1851 (prior to statehood) from Juab County. **Name Origin:** For Millard Fillmore (1800-74), 13th U.S. president, who signed the act creating the Territory of Utah and appointed Brigham Young (1801-77) the first governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,811.30 (land 6,572.43; water 238.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,503. **State rank:** 2274. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,284 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 12.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 12.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.0%. **Median age:** 33.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,839; median household $44,594; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,338 - $29,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 16 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**MORGAN COUNTY**
48 W Young St PO Box 886 **Ph:** 801-845-4011
Morgan, UT 84050 **Fax:** 801-829-6176
www.morgan-county.net

In north-central UT, east of Bountiful; organized Jan 17, 1862 (prior to statehood) from Davis and Summit counties. **Name Origin:** For Jedediah Morgan Grant (1816-56), prominent Mormon churchman.

**Area (sq mi):** 610.86 (land 609.20; water 1.66). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,469. **State rank:** 2520. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.8%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,906 (White 97.5%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 32.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,276; median household $70,152; **Pop below poverty level:** 1.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,877 - $31,344.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 61.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIUTE COUNTY**
550 N Main St **Ph:** 435-577-2840
Junction, UT 84740 **Fax:** 435-577-2433
www.piute.org

In south-central UT; organized Jan 16, 1865 (prior to statehood) from Beaver County. **Name Origin:** For the sub-tribe of the Ute Indians. The name means 'water Ute.'

**Area (sq mi):** 765.74 (land 757.79; water 7.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,556. **State rank:** 3083. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.0%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 1,365 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 7.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 7.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,140; median household $37,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,209 - $23,622.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICH COUNTY**
20 S Main St PO Box 218 **Ph:** 435-793-2415
Randolph, UT 84064 **Fax:** 435-793-2410
www.richcountyut.org

On the northern border of UT, northeast of Ogden; original county. Created as Richland in 1863; organized and name changed Jan 16, 1864 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Charles Coulson Rich, a Mormon apostle.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,086.54 (land 1,028.78; water 57.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,264. **State rank:** 3030. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 2,051 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.2%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 34.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,376; median household $54,737; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,974 - $31,351.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SALT LAKE COUNTY**
2001 S State St **Ph:** 801-468-3000
Salt Lake City, UT 84190 **Fax:** 801-468-3440
www.slco.org

In north-central UT, on the eastern shore of Great Salt Lake; original county. Organized as Great Salt Lake County in 1849 (prior to statehood); name changed Jan 29, 1868. **Name Origin:** For the Great Salt Lake.

**Area (sq mi):** 812.68 (land 742.28; water 70.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 1387.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,029,655. **State rank:** 38. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.6%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 948,172 (White 81.2%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 17.1%; Asian 3.3%; Others 17.1%, including 1.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 12.0%. **Median age:** 30.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,041; median household $58,004; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,443 - $37,827.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 16 (see page 45 for cities).

**SAN JUAN COUNTY**
117 S Main St PO Box 338 **Ph:** 435-587-3223
Monticello, UT 84535 **Fax:** 435-587-2425
www.sanjuancounty.org

On the southeastern border of UT; organized Feb 17, 1880 (prior to statehood) from Kane, Iron, Sevier, and Piute counties. **Name Origin:** For the San Juan River, which runs through the county; Spanish 'Saint John.' The origin of th river's name is in dispute.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,932.90 (land 7,819.99; water 112.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,746. **State rank:** 2090. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,104 (White 45.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.4%, including 50.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 29.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,150; median household $38,076; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,280 - $21,800.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SANPETE COUNTY**
160 N Main PO Box 100 **Ph:** 435-835-2131
Manti, UT 84642 **Fax:** 435-835-2135
sanpete.com

In central UT, south of Provo; original county; organized 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Corruption of *San Pitch*, name of the Ute Indian chieftain whose people lived in the region.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sanpete County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 1,604.70 (land 1,590.15; water 14.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.5.

**Pop 2010:** 27,822. **State rank:** 1554. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.7%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 24,044 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 9.4%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 28.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,731; median household $42,395; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,853 - $21,302.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SEVIER COUNTY**
250 N Main St
Richfield, UT 84701
www.sevierutah.net
**Ph:** 435-896-9262
**Fax:** 435-896-8888

In south-central UT; organized Jan 16, 1865 (prior to statehood) from Sanpete County. **Name Origin:** For the Sevier River, which runs through the county. Anglicization of Spanish *Rio Severo* 'violent river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,918.61 (land 1,910.58; water 8.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,802. **State rank:** 1819. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 19,386 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,856; median household $45,622; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,620 - $26,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SUMMIT COUNTY**
60 N Main St PO Box 128
Coalville, UT 84017
www.co.summit.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-336-3203
**Fax:** 435-336-3030

On the central northern border of UT, east of Salt Lake City; organized Jan 13, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Green River Valley. **Name Origin:** For its location on the divide between the Colorado River Valley and the Salt Lake Valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,882.71 (land 1,871.71; water 11). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.4.

**Pop 2010:** 36,324. **State rank:** 1235. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +17.7%. **Pop 2005:** 35,001 (White 90.5%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 11.5%; Asian 1.2%; Others 11.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,270; median household $79,461; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $65,831 - $68,524.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TOOELE COUNTY**
47 S Main St
Tooele, UT 84074
www.co.tooele.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-843-3100
**Fax:** 435-882-7317

On the northwestern border of UT, west of Salt Lake City; original county. Organized as Tuilla County Jan 31, 1850 (prior to statehood); includes Shambip County, which was abolished in 1862. Spelling was changed Mar 1852. **Name Origin:** Possibly for Tuilla, a Goshute Indian chief, or for the bulrushes (tules) in the swamps, or for Mat Tooele, an Austrian village.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,298.11 (land 6,941.35; water 356.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.4.

**Pop 2010:** 58,218. **State rank:** 867. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.5%; 2000-2005 +26.0%. **Pop 2005:** 51,311 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 11.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 11.4%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 29.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,020; median household $60,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,052 - $26,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Tooele 🏛 (31,605).

**UINTAH COUNTY**
147 E Main St
Vernal, UT 84078
www.co.uintah.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-781-5361
**Fax:** 435-781-6701

On the northeastern border of UT; original county; organized Jan 31, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For a subtribe of the Utes; named said to mean 'pineland.'

**Area (sq mi):** 4,501.60 (land 4,479.69; water 21.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.3.

**Pop 2010:** 32,588. **State rank:** 1384. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +20.7%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 26,995 (White 86.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 7.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 29.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,160; median household $59,730; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,497 - $28,856.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UTAH COUNTY**
100 E Center St, Rm 6600
Provo, UT 84606
www.co.utah.ut.us
**Ph:** 801-851-8109
**Fax:** 801-851-8232

In north-central UT, south of Salt Lake City; original county; organized Jan 31, 1850 (prior to statehood); includes Cedar County; which was abolished in 1862. **Name Origin:** For the Ute Indians. *Ute* or *Eutaw* is variously defined as 'in the tops of the mountains,' 'high up,' 'the hill dwellers,' 'the land of the sun,' or 'the land of plenty.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,146.09 (land 2,003.45; water 142.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 257.8.

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## Utah County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 516,564. **State rank:** 112. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.4%; 2000-2005 +20.4%. **Pop 2005:** 443,738 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 10.8%; Asian 1.4%; Others 10.8%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 24.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,210; median household $56,927; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,092 - $24,906.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 12 (see page 45 for cities).

**WASATCH COUNTY**
25 N Main St
Heber City, UT 84032
www.co.wasatch.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-654-3211
**Fax:** 435-654-9924

In east-central UT, east of Provo; organized Jan 17, 1862 (prior to statehood) from Summit County. **Name Origin:** For the Wasatch Mountains, a Ute word meaning 'mountain pass' or 'low place in a high mountain,' referring to the place where the Weber River cuts through.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,207.28 (land 1,175.50; water 31.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.

**Pop 2010:** 23,530. **State rank:** 1738. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.0%; 2000-2005 +24.7%. **Pop 2005:** 18,974 (White 90.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 13.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 13.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 31.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,873; median household $65,204; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,042 - $28,107.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
197 E Tabernacle St
Saint George, UT 84770
www.washco.state.ut.us
**Ph:** 435-634-5700
**Fax:** 435-634-5753

On the southwestern border of UT; organized Mar 2, 1852 (prior to statehood) from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-1799), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,429.64 (land 2,426.36; water 3.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.9.

**Pop 2010:** 138,115. **State rank:** 443. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.2%; 2000-2005 +31.6%. **Pop 2005:** 118,885 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 9.8%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 32.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,378; median household $50,050; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,896 - $27,095.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Washington (18,761); Hurricane (13,748).

**WAYNE COUNTY**
18 S Main St PO Box 189
Loa, UT 84747
www.waynecountyutah.org
**Ph:** 435-836-2765
**Fax:** 435-836-2479

In south-central UT; organized Mar 10, 1892 (prior to statehood) from Piute County. **Name Origin:** Named by Willis Robinson, a delegate to the state constitutional convention, for his deceased son, Wayne.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,466.83 (land 2,460.68; water 6.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 1.1.

**Pop 2010:** 2,778. **State rank:** 2997. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.4%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,450 (White 94.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,829; median household $49,414; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,116 - $26,642.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEBER COUNTY**
2380 Washington Blvd, Suite 350
Ogden, UT 84401
www.co.weber.ut.us
**Ph:** 801-399-8454
**Fax:** 801-399-8314

In north-central UT, north of Salt Lake City; original county; organized Jan 31, 1850 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Weber River, which runs through the county. The river is itself named for John H. Weber (?-1859), a Dutch sea captain and trapper who traveled west with Gen. Ashby and was killed near the river, or for another trapper named Weber.

**Area (sq mi):** 660.01 (land 576.08; water 83.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 401.4.

**Pop 2010:** 231,236. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 210,749 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 16.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 16.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.5%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,849; median household $54,086; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,864 - $32,934.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ogden (82,825); Roy (36,884); North Ogden (17,357); South Ogden (16,532); West Haven (10,272).

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**Area (sq mi):** 9,614.26 (land 9,249.56; water 364.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.9.

**Pop 2010:** 625,741. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 623,050 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 1.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $40,283; median household $51,841; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.10%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,820 - $40,134.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.5%.

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**ADDISON COUNTY**
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Middlebury, VT 05753
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**Ph:** 802-388-7741
**Fax:** 802-388-4621

On central western border of VT, west of Barre; organized Oct 18, 1785 (prior to statehood) from Rutland County. **Name Origin:** For the town of Addison.

**Area (sq mi):** 804.45 (land 766.33; water 38.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.

**Pop 2010:** 36,821. **State rank:** 1248. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 36,965 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 1.4%; Others 1.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,599; median household $55,800; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,578 - $37,337.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENNINGTON COUNTY**
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Bennington, VT 05201
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**Fax:** 802-447-2703

On the southwestern border of VT, south of Rutland. Oldest county, organized Feb 11, 1779 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the town, its county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 676.38 (land 674.98; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.

**Pop 2010:** 37,125. **State rank:** 1255. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 36,999 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,962; median household $47,396; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,026 - $40,888.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CALEDONIA COUNTY**
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Saint Johnsbury, VT 05819
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In northeastern VT, east of Montpelier; organized Nov 5, 1792 from Chittenden and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For the ancient name of Scotland; name given by the many Scots who had settled in this part of the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 655.80 (land 648.86; water 6.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.1.

**Pop 2010:** 31,227. **State rank:** 1417. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 30,440 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 42.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,504; median household $42,706; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,694 - $32,573.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHITTENDEN COUNTY**
175 Main St PO Box 187
Burlington, VT 05402
www.ccrpcvt.org
**Ph:** 802-863-3467

In northwestern VT, west of Montpelier, organized Oct 22, 1787 (prior to statehood) from Addison County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Chittenden (1730-97), first governor of the republic of VT (1778-89; 1790-91), and of the state (1791-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 617.18 (land 536.58; water 80.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 291.7.

**Pop 2010:** 156,545. **State rank:** 404. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.6%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 149,613 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 2.8%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 36.2.

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## Chittenden County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,095; median household $59,878; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,814 - $43,497.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Burlington (42,417); South Burlington (17,904).

**ESSEX COUNTY**
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Guildhall, VT 05905
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**Fax:** 802-676-3463

At the northeastern corner of VT; organized Nov 5, 1792 from Chittenden and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For the county of Essex, England; many early residents had ancestors originally from there.

**Area (sq mi):** 672.16 (land 663.60; water 8.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.5.

**Pop 2010:** 6,306. **State rank:** 2720. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.5%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,602 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.3%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,040; median household $37,734; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,984 - $25,013.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FRANKLIN COUNTY**
PO Box 808
Saint Albans, VT 05478
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**Ph:** 802-524-7993

At the northwestern corner of VT, north of Burlington; organized Nov 5, 1792 from Chittenden County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 688.66 (land 633.71; water 54.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 75.3.

**Pop 2010:** 47,746. **State rank:** 992. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 47,914 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 39.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,767; median household $53,623; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,609 - $38,788.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRAND ISLE COUNTY**
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Grand Isle, VT 05458
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**Fax:** 802-372-8815

Islands and peninsula in Lake Champlain, in northwestern VT; organized Nov 9, 1802 from Franklin and Chittenden counties. **Name Origin:** For the largest of the islands comprising the county. Often referred to as The Islands.

**Area (sq mi):** 193.87 (land 81.81; water 112.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,970. **State rank:** 2616. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.5%; 2000-2005 +11.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,703 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 45.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,499; median household $57,436; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,891 - $43,155.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +1.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LAMOILLE COUNTY**
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Hyde Park, VT 05655
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In north-central VT, north of Montpelier; organized Oct 26, 1835 from Orleans, Franklin, Washington, and Chittenden counties. **Name Origin:** For the Lamoille River, which runs through it; a corruption of French *la mouette* 'the seagull,' the name given to the river by Champlain. The 1744 Charlevois map of discoveries in America showed the river as *La Mouelle* owing to an engraver's neglecting to cross the *tt*s; with spelling variations.

**Area (sq mi):** 461.58 (land 458.80; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,475. **State rank:** 1553. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,495 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,164; median household $52,232; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,273 - $39,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ORANGE COUNTY**
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Chelsea, VT 05038
www.courtreference.com/Orange-County-Vermont-Courts.htm
**Ph:** 802-685-4610
**Fax:** 802-685-3246

On the central eastern border of VT, south of Montpelier; organized Feb 22, 1781 (prior to statehood) from the former Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For William of Orange (1650-1702), later William III, king of England (1689-1702).

**Area (sq mi):** 690.21 (land 687.03; water 3.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,936. **State rank:** 1456. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 29,287 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,951; median household $52,079; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,515 - $35,147.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Orange County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ORLEANS COUNTY

247 Main St
Newport, VT 05855

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On the central northern border of VT; organized Nov 5, 1792 from Chittenden and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** Probably for Louis Philippe Joseph (1747-93), Duke of Orleans, a friend of Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834) and supporter of the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 716.71 (land 693.27; water 23.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.3.

**Pop 2010:** 27,231. **State rank:** 1509. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 27,640 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,652; median household $40,202; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,574 - $34,067.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RUTLAND COUNTY

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On the central western border of VT, south of Middlebury; organized Feb 22, 1781 (prior to statehood) from Bennington County. **Name Origin:** For the town, its county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 942.06 (land 929.82; water 12.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.3.

**Pop 2010:** 61,642. **State rank:** 815. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 63,743 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,426; median household $47,027; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,112 - $40,162.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rutland 🏛 (16,495).

### WASHINGTON COUNTY

65 State St
Montpelier, VT 05602
www.courtreference.com/Washington-County-Vermont-Courts.htm

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In north-central VT, east of Burlington; organized as Jefferson County Nov 1, 1810 from Addison, Caledonia, Chittenden, and Orange counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), U.S. patriot and first U.S. president. Originally named Jefferson; changed Nov 8, 1814, by newly elected Federalist majority in VT legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 693.49 (land 687.23; water 6.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.6.

**Pop 2010:** 59,534. **State rank:** 863. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 59,478 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,337; median household $55,313; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,488 - $42,435.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WINDHAM COUNTY

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Newfane, VT 05345

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**Fax:** 802-365-4360

At the southeastern corner of VT; organized Feb 11, 1781 (prior to statehood) from the former Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For Windham, CT, former home of early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 794.71 (land 785.31; water 9.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 56.7.

**Pop 2010:** 44,513. **State rank:** 1084. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 44,143 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,247; median household $46,714; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,166 - $39,475.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WINDSOR COUNTY

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Woodstock, VT 05091

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**Fax:** 802-457-3446

On the central eastern border of VT, east of Rutland; organized Feb 22, 1781 (prior to statehood) from the former Cumberland County. **Name Origin:** For the English town of Windsor.

**Area (sq mi):** 974.12 (land 969.34; water 4.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.5.

**Pop 2010:** 56,670. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 58,028 (White 96.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,053; median household $50,893; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,384 - $42,767.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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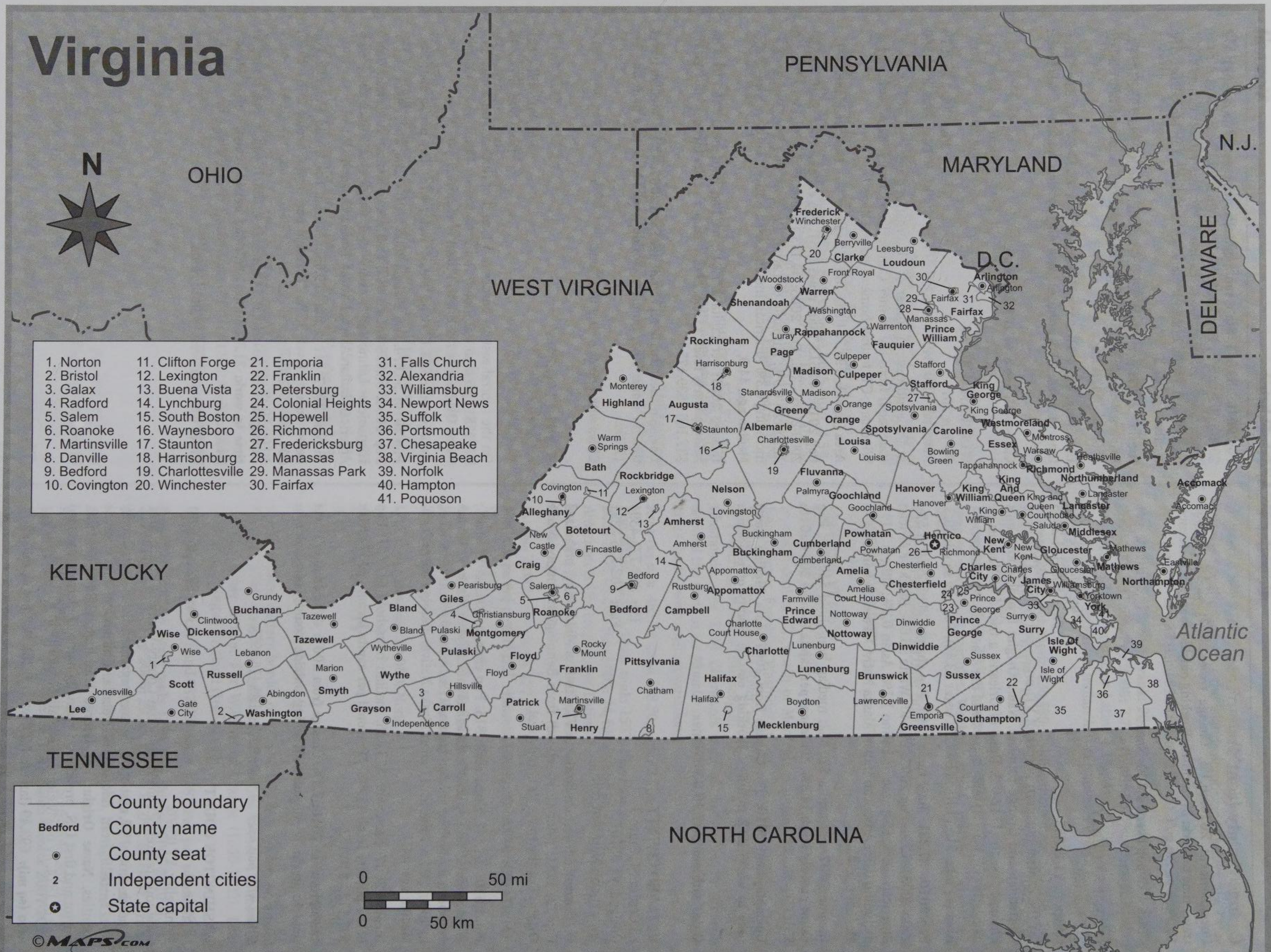
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Richmond National Cemetery was organised in 1867.

**Area (sq mi):** 42,774.20 (land 39,594.07; water 3,180.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 202.6.

**Pop 2010:** 8,001,024. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,567,465 (White 68.6%; Black or African American 19.4%; Hispanic or Latino 7.9%; Asian 5.5%; Others 7.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $44,762; median household $61,406; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.30%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,261 - $44,267.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.8%.

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**ACCOMACK COUNTY**
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Accomac, VA 23301 **Fax:** 757-787-2468
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On the southern Delmarva peninsula, off the east coast of VA; organized 1663 from Northampton County. **Name Origin:** For a subtribe of the Powhatans; name is said to mean 'across the water,' since they lived across Chesapeake Bay from their kinsmen. The county retains the spelling closer to the Indian word *accawmacke*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,304.30 (land 449.50; water 854.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 73.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,164. **State rank:** 1202. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -15.9%; 2000-2005 +2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 39,424 (White 65.3%; Black or African American 28.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 8.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,766; median household $41,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,048 - $33,403.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALBEMARLE COUNTY**
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In central VA, northeast of Lynchburg; organized May 6, 1744 from Goochland County. **Name Origin:** For William Anne Keppel (1702-54), 2nd Earl of Albemarle, absentee governor of the colony of VA (1737-54).

**Area (sq mi):** 724.28 (land 720.70; water 3.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 137.3.

**Pop 2010:** 98,970. **State rank:** 601. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.1%; 2000-2005 +14.5%. **Pop 2005:** 90,717 (White 80.6%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 4.7%; Others 5.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,685; median household $64,847; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,275 - $45,282 (BEA data includes Albemarle County & Charlottesville).

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALEXANDRIA (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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On the Potomac River, immediately south of Washington, D.C. Established 1749; incorporated as a town in 1779; as a city in 1852. **Name Origin:** For colonial settler John Alexander, who came to the area in 1669. Formerly known as Hunting Creek Warehouse and Belhaven.

**Area (sq mi):** 15.26 (land 15.03; water 0.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 9314.3.

**Pop 2010:** 139,966. **State rank:** 412. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 135,337 (White 60.9%; Black or African American 21.8%; Hispanic or Latino 16.1%; Asian 6.0%; Others 16.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 24.0%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $54,345; median household $80,847; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $76,478 - $76,362.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 74.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ALLEGHANY COUNTY**
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Covington, VA 24426 **Fax:** 540-863-6606
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On the central western border of VA, north of Roanoke; organized 1822 from Bath and Botetourt counties, VA, and Monroe County (now WV). **Name Origin:** Probably for the Allegheny River, with a variant spelling.

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## Alleghany County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 446.50 (land 445.46; water 1.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 36.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,250. **State rank:** 2015. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 +29.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,715 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,013; median household $43,160; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,793 - $32,517 (BEA data includes Alleghany County & Covington).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### AMELIA COUNTY

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Amelia Court House, VA 23002
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In south-central VA, southwest of Richmond; organized Feb 1, 1734 from Brunswick and Prince George counties. **Name Origin:** For Amelia Sophia (1711-86), second daughter of George II (1683-1760) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 357.01 (land 355.27; water 1.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,690. **State rank:** 2239. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +7.7%. **Pop 2005:** 12,273 (White 73.5%; Black or African American 23.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.1%. **Median age:** 42.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,197; median household $50,135; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,326 - $33,600.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### AMHERST COUNTY

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In west-central VA, north of Lynchburg; organized 1761 from Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** For Lord Jeffery Amherst (1717-97), commander of British forces in North America during the French and Indian Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 477.53 (land 473.93; water 3.60). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.3.

**Pop 2010:** 32,353. **State rank:** 1363. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 32,134 (White 76.7%; Black or African American 19.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,097; median household $44,757; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,704 - $29,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Madison Heights (11,285).

### APPOMATTOX COUNTY

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Appomattox, VA 24522
www.appomattox.org

**Ph:** 434-352-5275
**Fax:** 434-352-2781

In south-central VA, east of Lynchburg; organized 1845 from Buckingham, Campbell, Charlotte, and Prince Edward counties. **Name Origin:** For the Appomattox River, which runs through the county; origin of name is obscure: tobacco plant country and curving tidal estuary have been suggested. Apumetec is mentioned as an Indian queen in John Smith's (c.1580-1631) *The Generall Historie of Virginia, New-England, & the Summer Isles* (1624).

**Area (sq mi):** 334.54 (land 333.49; water 1.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,973. **State rank:** 2124. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,967 (White 77.5%; Black or African American 20.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,388; median household $49,224; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,210 - $30,308.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ARLINGTON COUNTY

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Arlington, VA 22201
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**Fax:** 703-228-7430

On the northeastern border of VA, west of Washington, D.C. Established 1801 as Alexandria County of the Dist. of Columbia; in 1846 county was returned to VA; renamed March 16, 1920. Arlington functions politically as a county in VA. **Name Origin:** For the home of George Washington Parke Custis (1781-1857), grandson of Martha Washington (1732-1802), named for the 1st Earl of Arlington, Henry Bennet (1618-85) who shared Charles II's (1630-85) grant of the colony of VA. It was later the home of Gen. Robert E. Lee (1807-70).

**Area (sq mi):** 26.06 (land 25.97; water 0.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 7993.6.

**Pop 2010:** 207,627. **State rank:** 287. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 195,965 (White 71.7%; Black or African American 8.5%; Hispanic or Latino 15.1%; Asian 9.6%; Others 15.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 23.1%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $57,724; median household $94,880; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $77,616 - $79,967.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Arlington (207,627); Bon Air (16,366).

### AUGUSTA COUNTY

18 Government Center Ln
Verona, VA 24482
www.co.augusta.va.us

**Ph:** 540-245-5600
**Fax:** 540-245-5621

On the northwestern border of VA, west of Charlottesville; organized Aug 1, 1738 from Orange County. Part annexed to Waynesboro (independent) city effective July 1, 1994. **Name Origin:** For Princess Augusta of Saxe-Gotha (1719?-72), mother of George III of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 967.57 (land 967; water 0.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.3.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Augusta County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 73,750. **State rank:** 739. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +6.3%. **Pop 2005:** 69,725 (White 93.4%; Black or African American 4.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,571; median household $50,612; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,662 - $33,502 (BEA data includes Augusta County, Staunton & Waynesboro).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BATH COUNTY

PO Box 309
Warm Springs, VA 24484
www.bathcountyva.org

**Ph:** 540-839-7221
**Fax:** 540-839-7222

On the central western border of VA, west of Charlottesville; organized Dec 14, 1790 from Augusta and Botetourt counties, VA, and Greenbrier County (now WV). **Name Origin:** For the city in England, which was also famed for its hot springs.

**Area (sq mi):** 531.86 (land 529.16; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.9.

**Pop 2010:** 4,731. **State rank:** 2863. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,937 (White 93.7%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,083; median household $50,589; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,292 - $35,823.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BEDFORD COUNTY

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Bedford, VA 24523
www.co.bedford.va.us

**Ph:** 540-586-7601
**Fax:** 540-586-0406

In west-central VA, west of Lynchburg; organized 1753 from Albemarle and Lunenburg counties. Part annexed to Bedford (independent) city effective July 1, 1993. **Name Origin:** For John Russell (1710-71), 4th Duke of Bedford, British statesman who negotiated the treaty that ended the French and Indian Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 767.77 (land 753.02; water 14.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 91.2.

**Pop 2010:** 68,676. **State rank:** 2724. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 65,286 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,732; median household $54,110; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,934 - $37,827 (BEA data includes Bedford County & Bedford City).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 77.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Radford (16,408).

### BEDFORD (INDEPENDENT CITY)

215 E Main St
Bedford, VA 24523
www.bedfordva.gov

**Ph:** 540-587-6001
**Fax:** 540-586-7134

In south-central VA, between Roanoke and Lynchburg. Serves as county seat for Bedford County. Annexed part of Bedford County effective July 1, 1993. **Name Origin:** Incorporated as the town of Liberty in 1839; name changed to Bedford City in 1890 for John Russell (1710-71), the fourth Duke of Bedford; shortened to Bedford in 1912. Incorporated as a city in 1969.

**Area (sq mi):** 6.89 (land 6.88; water 0.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 904.6.

**Pop 2010:** 6,222. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,211 (White 76.4%; Black or African American 20.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,092; median household $32,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. (BEA data includes Bedford County & Bedford City).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BLAND COUNTY

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Bland, VA 24315
www.bland.org

**Ph:** 276-688-4562
**Fax:** 276-688-2438

On the southwestern border of VA, west of Roanoke; organized Mar 30, 1861 from Giles, Tazewell, and Wythe counties. **Name Origin:** For Richard Bland (1710-76), member of the VA House of Burgesses (1745-75) and the Continental Congress (1774-75).

**Area (sq mi):** 357.79 (land 357.73; water 0.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 19.1.

**Pop 2010:** 6,824. **State rank:** 2689. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,943 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,468; median household $41,552; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,481 - $29,030.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BOTETOURT COUNTY

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Fincastle, VA 24090
www.co.botetourt.va.us

**Ph:** 540-473-8223
**Fax:** 540-473-8225

In west-central VA, north of Roanoke; organized Nov 7, 1769 from Augusta County. **Name Origin:** For Norborne Berkeley, Baron de Botetourt, the penultimate English governor of VA (1769-70).

**Area (sq mi):** 544.48 (land 541.20; water 3.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.2.

**Pop 2010:** 33,148. **State rank:** 1359. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 32,027 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 44.9.

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## Botetourt County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,540; median household $64,724; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,669 - $39,051.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 65.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BRISTOL (INDEPENDENT CITY)

497 Cumberland St, Rm 210 **Ph:** 276-645-7321
Bristol, VA 24201 **Fax:** 276-821-6097
www.bristolva.org

In southwestern VA on the Tennessee border. **Name Origin:** Established in 1850 as Goodson, for Samuel Goodson, the founder; incorporated as a town in 1856. Incorporated as a city and renamed Bristol in 1890 for the contiguous town in TN of the same name.

**Area (sq mi):** 13.28 (land 13.01; water 0.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 1370.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,835. **State rank:** 1929. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 17,335 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 5.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,700; median household $32,079; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.4%. (BEA data includes Washington County & Bristol ).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BRUNSWICK COUNTY

216 N Main St **Ph:** 434-848-2215
Lawrenceville, VA 23868 **Fax:** 434-848-4307
www.tourbrunswick.org

On the central southern border of VA, southwest of Richmond; organized Nov 2, 1720 from Prince George, Isle of Wight, and Surry counties (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Royal House of Brunswick, one of the titles of the British royal house of Hanover (the latter was changed to Windsor during World War I to sound less German).

**Area (sq mi):** 569.40 (land 566.17; water 3.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.8.

**Pop 2010:** 17,434. **State rank:** 1937. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,920 (White 40.4%; Black or African American 57.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,739; median household $35,184; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,156 - $26,403.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 31 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUCHANAN COUNTY

PO Box 950 **Ph:** 276-935-6500
Grundy, VA 24614 **Fax:** 276-935-4479

On the southwestern border of VA, north of Bristol, TN; organized Feb 13, 1858 from Tazewell and Russell counties. **Name Origin:** For James Buchanan (1791-1868), fifteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 502.76 (land 502.76; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,098. **State rank:** 1679. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 -8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 24,755 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,742; median household $29,183; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,659 - $30,099.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUCKINGHAM COUNTY

13360 West James Anderson Hwy PO Box 252 **Ph:** 434-969-4242
Buckingham, VA 23921 **Fax:** 434-969-1638
www.buckinghamcountyva.org

In south-central VA, east of Lynchburg; organized 1761 from Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** Either for the town in Buckinghamshire, England, or the dukedom held by George Villiers and his son, George.

**Area (sq mi):** 582.36 (land 579.66; water 2.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,146. **State rank:** 2030. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.8%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,058 (White 62.1%; Black or African American 35.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 41.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,752; median household $34,720; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,577 - $23,967.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BUENA VISTA (INDEPENDENT CITY)

2039 Sycamore Ave **Ph:** 540-261-8601
Buena Vista, VA 24416 **Fax:** 540-261-8727
www.buenavistavirginia.org

In south-central VA, north of Lynchburg. Established 1889; incorporated as a town in 1890, and as a city in 1892. **Name Origin:** The town was built on the site of an abandoned iron furnace, dubbed Buena Vista, because it supplied cannonballs used in the Battle of Buena Vista in the Mexican-American War.

**Area (sq mi):** 6.70 (land 6.70; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 991.9.

**Pop 2010:** 6,650. **State rank:** 2741. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,437 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,030; median household $39,955; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. (BEA data includes Rockbridge County, Buena Vista & Lexington).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**CAMPBELL COUNTY**
732 Village Hwy PO Box 7
Rustburg, VA 24588
www.co.campbell.va.us
**Ph:** 434-332-9517
**Fax:** 434-332-9518

In south-central VA, south of Lynchburg; organized Nov 5, 1781 from Bedford County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. William Campbell (1745-81), officer in the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 506.65 (land 503.87; water 2.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.8.

**Pop 2010:** 54,842. **State rank:** 925. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 52,339 (White 82.1%; Black or African American 14.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,044; median household $43,478; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,445 - $29,899 (BEA data includes Campbell County & Lynchburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Timberlake (12,183).

**CAROLINE COUNTY**
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Bowling Green, VA 22427
www.co.caroline.va.us
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**Fax:** 804-633-4970

In east-central VA, north of Richmond; organized Feb 1, 1727 from Essex, King and Queen, and King William counties. **Name Origin:** For Princess Wilhelmina Carolina of Anspach (1683-1737), wife of George II of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 533.87 (land 527.51; water 6.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,545. **State rank:** 1489. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.7%; 2000-2005 +15.6%. **Pop 2005:** 25,563 (White 65.3%; Black or African American 29.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.4%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,024; median household $57,690; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,735 - $34,574.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 37 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CARROLL COUNTY**
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Hillsville, VA 24343
carrollcountyva.org
**Ph:** 276-730-3098

On the southwestern border of VA, southwest of Roanoke; organized Jan 17, 1842 from Grayson County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Carroll (1737-1832), signer of the Declaration of Independence, U.S. senator from MD (1789-92), and founder of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 475.99 (land 474.69; water 1.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.3.

**Pop 2010:** 30,042. **State rank:** 1452. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 29,438 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,670; median household $36,142; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,488 - $28,864 (BEA data includes Carroll County & Galax).

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Woodlawn (20,804).

**CHARLES CITY COUNTY**
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Charles City, VA 23030
www.co.charles-city.va.us
**Ph:** 804-652-4701
**Fax:** 804-829-5819

In east-central VA, west of Williamsburg; original county; organized 1634. Birthplace of two U.S. presidents: William Henry Harrison (1773-1841) and John Tyler (1790-1862). **Name Origin:** For Charles I (1600-49), king of Great Britain.

**Area (sq mi):** 204.28 (land 182.82; water 21.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,256. **State rank:** 2648. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,119 (White 40.9%; Black or African American 48.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,955; median household $46,337; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,397 - $32,581.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 77.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHARLOTTE COUNTY**
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Charlotte Court House, VA 23923
www.charlotteva.com
**Ph:** 434-542-5117
**Fax:** 434-542-5248

In south-central VA, southeast of Lynchburg; organized Mar 1, 1765 from Lunenburg County. **Name Origin:** For Charlotte Sophia, Princess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz (1744-1818) wife of George III (1738-1820) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 477.72 (land 475.27; water 2.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.5.

**Pop 2010:** 12,586. **State rank:** 2287. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 -.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,404 (White 67.3%; Black or African American 29.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,348; median household $34,881; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,983 - $27,795.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CHARLOTTESVILLE (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Charlottesville, VA 22902
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**Fax:** 434-970-3890

In central VA, 70 mi. northwest of Richmond. Established 1762; incorporated as a town in 1802; as a city in 1888. Site of University of VA. Serves as county seat for Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** For

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## Charlottesville (Independent City) (cont'd)

Princess Charlotte Sophia of Mecklenberg-Stelitz (1744-1818), wife of King George III (1738-1820) of Great Britian.

**Area (sq mi):** 10.24 (land 10.24; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 4246.4.

**Pop 2010:** 43,475. **State rank:** 1106. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 -10.2%. **Pop 2005:** 40,437 (White 69.1%; Black or African American 19.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 6.4%; Others 5.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 11.8%. **Median age:** 27.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,578; median household $42,240; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.1%. (BEA data includes Albemarle County & Charlottesville).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHESAPEAKE (INDEPENDENT CITY)

306 Cedar Rd **Ph:** 757-382-6151
Chesapeake, VA 23322 **Fax:** 757-382-6678
www.chesapeake.va.us

In southeastern VA, southeast of Norfolk. Formed in 1963 by merger of Norfolk County and the former city of South Norfolk, both of which then became extinct. **Name Origin:** For Chesapeake Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 350.98 (land 340.80; water 10.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 652.

**Pop 2010:** 222,209. **State rank:** 282. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 218,968 (White 62.6%; Black or African American 29.8%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 2.9%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,306; median household $67,855; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,598 - $40,812.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHESTERFIELD COUNTY

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Chesterfield, VA 23832-2090 **Fax:** 804-751-4993
www.co.chesterfield.va.us

In east-central VA, south of Richmond; organized May 1, 1749 from Henrico County. **Name Origin:** For Philip Dormer Stanhope (1694-1773), 4th Earl of Chesterfield, English statesman and writer.

**Area (sq mi):** 434.53 (land 423.30; water 11.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 747.1.

**Pop 2010:** 316,236. **State rank:** 205. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.5%; 2000-2005 +11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 288,876 (White 68.3%; Black or African American 21.9%; Hispanic or Latino 7.2%; Asian 3.3%; Others 7.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.7%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,711; median household $71,321; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,293 - $41,883.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Chester (20,987); Meadowbrook (18,312); Bon Air (16,366); Manchester (10,804).

### CLARKE COUNTY

101 Chalmers Ct, Suite B **Ph:** 540-955-5100
Berryville, VA 22611 **Fax:** 540-955-4002
www.co.clarke.va.us

On northern border of VA, northwest of Arlington; organized Mar 8, 1836 from Frederick and Warren counties. **Name Origin:** Alternate spelling for George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), a general in the American Revolution and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 177.75 (land 176.18; water 1.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 79.7.

**Pop 2010:** 14,034. **State rank:** 2121. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +12.3%. **Pop 2005:** 14,205 (White 90.2%; Black or African American 5.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.9%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,630; median household $73,244; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,043 - $40,755.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COLONIAL HEIGHTS (INDEPENDENT CITY)

201 James Ave PO Box 3401 **Ph:** 804-520-9265
Colonial Heights, VA 23834-4900 **Fax:** 804-520-9207
www.colonial-heights.com/index.htm

In southeastern VA on the heights overlooking the Appomattox River. Established 1910; incorporated as a town in 1926; as a city in 1948. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette's (1757-1834) artillery, known as the Colonials, which he placed here to shell British positions in Petersburg during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 7.83 (land 7.52; water 0.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 2315.3.

**Pop 2010:** 17,411. **State rank:** 1919. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,567 (White 82.3%; Black or African American 10.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 3.3%; Others 3.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.4%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,115; median household $50,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. (BEA data includes Dinwiddie County, Colonial Heights & Petersburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 74.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COVINGTON (INDEPENDENT CITY)

333 W Locust St **Ph:** 540-965-6302
Covington, VA 24426 **Fax:** 540-965-6303
www.covington.va.us

In south-central VA, north of Roanoke. Established 1818; incorporated as a town in 1833, as a city in 1953. Serves as county seat for Alleghany County. **Name Origin:** For Peter Covington, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 5.47 (land 5.47; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 1090.2.

**Pop 2010:** 5,961. **State rank:** 2747. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.9%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 6,205 (White 84.1%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Covington (Independent City) (cont'd)

American 12.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,781; median household $35,277; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. (BEA data includes Alleghany County & Covington).

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 77.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CRAIG COUNTY

182 Main Street, Suite 4 PO Box 185
New Castle, VA 24127
www.co.craig.va.us

**Ph:** 540-864-6141
**Fax:** 540-864-7471

On the central western border of VA, west of Roanoke; organized Mar 21, 1851 from Botetourt, Roanoke, Giles, and Monroe counties. **Name Origin:** For Robert Craig (1792-1852), U.S. representative from VA (1829-33; 1835-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 329.53 (land 329.53; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,190. **State rank:** 2830. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,154 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,461; median household $51,291; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,393 - $30,228.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CULPEPER COUNTY

302 N Main St
Culpeper, VA 22701
www.culpepercounty.gov

**Ph:** 540-727-3427
**Fax:** 540-727-3460

In north-central VA, northeast of Charlottesville; organized Mar 23, 1748 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Sir Thomas Culpeper (1635-89), colonial governor of VA. Also spelled Culpepper or Colepeper.

**Area (sq mi):** 380.50 (land 379.23; water 1.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 123.1.

**Pop 2010:** 46,689. **State rank:** 1017. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.8%; 2000-2005 +24.1%. **Pop 2005:** 42,530 (White 75.1%; Black or African American 15.8%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 1.3%; Others 8.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.2%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,507; median household $65,132; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,043 - $34,610.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Salem (24,802); Culpeper 🏛 (16,379).

### CUMBERLAND COUNTY

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Cumberland, VA 23040
www.cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov

**Ph:** 804-492-4280
**Fax:** 804-492-3342

In south-central VA, west of Richmond; organized 1749 from Goochland County. **Name Origin:** For William Augustus, Duke of Cumberland (1721-65), British general and second son of George II (1683-1760) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 298.74 (land 297.46; water 1.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.8.

**Pop 2010:** 10,052. **State rank:** 2446. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 9,378 (White 63.9%; Black or African American 32.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,691; median household $40,143; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,063 - $29,200.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DANVILLE (INDEPENDENT CITY)

401 Patton St
Danville, VA 24544
www.danville-va.gov

**Ph:** 434-799-5168
**Fax:** 434-799-6502

In southern VA on the Dan River, just north of the NC border. Established 1793; incorporated as a town in 1830; as a city in 1890. **Name Origin:** For its location on the Dan River.

**Area (sq mi):** 43.81 (land 42.93; water 0.88). **Pop per sq mi:** 1002.8.

**Pop 2010:** 43,055. **State rank:** 1065. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.7%; 2000-2005 -4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 46,143 (White 47.7%; Black or African American 48.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,840; median household $29,936; **Pop below poverty level:** 24.4%. (BEA data includes Pittsylvania County & Danville).

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DICKENSON COUNTY

PO Box 190
Clintwood, VA 24228
www.dickensoncountyvirginia.org

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**Fax:** 276-926-6465

On the southwestern border of VA, north of Bristol, TN; organized Mar 3, 1880 from Buchanan, Russell, and Wise counties. **Name Origin:** For William J. Dickenson (1828-1907), lawyer and legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 332.44 (land 330.53; water 1.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.1.

**Pop 2010:** 15,903. **State rank:** 2028. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -.9%. **Pop 2005:** 16,243 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,278; median household $29,080; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,204 - $28,871.

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## Dickenson County (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**DINWIDDIE COUNTY**
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Dinwiddie, VA 23841 **Fax:** 804-469-4503
www.dinwiddieva.us

In southeastern VA, south of Richmond; organized Feb 27, 1752 from Prince George County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Dinwiddie (1693-1770), lieutenant governor of VA (1751-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 507.03 (land 503.72; water 3.31). **Pop per sq mi:** 55.6.

**Pop 2010:** 28,001. **State rank:** 1537. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.3%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 25,391 (White 63.9%; Black or African American 32.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,423; median household $51,459; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,927 - $36,303 (BEA data includes Dinwiddie County, Colonial Heights & Petersburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**EMPORIA (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
201 S Main St PO Box 511 **Ph:** 434-634-3332
Emporia, VA 23847 **Fax:** 434-634-0003
www.ci.emporia.va.us

In southeastern VA, southwest of Norfolk. Incorporated in 1887 from the merger of Hicksford and Belfield. Charter revoked in 1888; reincorporated in 1892; became a city in 1967. Serves as county seat for Greensville County. **Name Origin:** Named in 1887 to indicate that it was to be a center of trade.

**Area (sq mi):** 6.96 (land 6.89; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 859.7.

**Pop 2010:** 5,927. **State rank:** 2782. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,587 (White 32.7%; Black or African American 62.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 4.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,245; median household $32,788; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.0%. (BEA data includes Greensville County & Emporia).

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ESSEX COUNTY**
305 Prince Street PO Box 445 **Ph:** 804-443-3541
Tappahannock, VA 22560 **Fax:** 804-445-1216
www.essex-virginia.org

In east-central VA, on west bank of the Rappahannock River; organized Apr 16, 1692 from Old Rappahannock County, which was organized 1656 from Lancaster County and abolished in 1692. **Name Origin:** For the county of Essex, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 285.26 (land 257.12; water 28.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.4.

**Pop 2010:** 11,151. **State rank:** 2339. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,492 (White 57.1%; Black or African American 38.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.1%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,795; median household $46,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,859 - $32,598.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FAIRFAX COUNTY**
12000 Government Ctr Pkwy **Ph:** 703-324-2531
Fairfax, VA 22035 **Fax:** 703-324-3956
www.co.fairfax.va.us

On the northeastern border of VA, west of Washington, D.C.; organized May 6, 1742 from Prince William County. Parts annexed to Fairfax (independent) city effective December 31, 1991 and January 1, 1994. **Name Origin:** For Thomas, 6th Baron Fairfax of Cameron (1692-1780), inheritor of the Fairfax Proprietary, vast estates in northern VA; the colonies' only resident peer.

**Area (sq mi):** 402.54 (land 390.97; water 11.57). **Pop per sq mi:** 2766.8.

**Pop 2010:** 1,081,726. **State rank:** 1605. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.5%; 2000-2005 +3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 1,006,529 (White 62.7%; Black or African American 9.2%; Hispanic or Latino 15.6%; Asian 17.5%; Others 15.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 28.8%. **Median age:** 37.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $49,001; median household $105,416; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $69,086 - $66,679 (BEA data includes Fairfax County, Fairfax City & Falls Church).

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 29 (see page 45 for cities).

**FAIRFAX (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
10455 Armstrong St **Ph:** 703-385-7936
Fairfax, VA 22030 **Fax:** 703-385-7811
www.co.fairfax.va.us

In northeastern VA, west of Washington, D.C. Incorporated as a town in 1874; as a city in 1961. Site of George Mason University. Serves as county seat for Fairfax County. Annexed parts of Fairfax County effective December 31, 1991 and January 1, 1994. **Name Origin:** Established in 1805 as Providence. After the former town of Fairfax (now Culpepper, in Culpepper County), named for Thomas, Lord Fairfax (1692-1780), one of the early great landowners, changed its name in 1859, Providence renamed itself Fairfax.

**Area (sq mi):** 6.24 (land 6.24; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 3616.8.

**Pop 2010:** 22,565. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 21,963 (White 69.6%; Black or African American 4.7%; Hispanic or Latino 15.8%; Asian 15.2%; Others 15.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 25.4%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $44,008; median household $97,900; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.0%. (BEA data includes Fairfax County, Fairfax City & Falls Church).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Fairfax (Independent City) (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 77.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FALLS CHURCH (INDEPENDENT CITY)

300 Park Ave
Falls Church, VA 22046
www.ci.falls-church.va.us

**Ph:** 703-248-5001
**Fax:** 703-248-5146

In northeastern VA, west of Washington, D.C., near the Little Falls of the Potomac River. Established in 1850, incorporated as a town in 1875; as a city in 1948. **Name Origin:** For an Anglican church, so named for its location near the falls, built in the area about 1769.

**Area (sq mi):** 2 (land 2; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 6169.1.

**Pop 2010:** 12,332. **State rank:** 2295. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.4%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,781 (White 79.9%; Black or African American 4.3%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 9.4%; Others 9.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 17.9%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $55,389; median household $114,409; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.8%. (BEA data includes Fairfax County, Fairfax City & Falls Church).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 84.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FAUQUIER COUNTY

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Warrenton, VA 20186
www.fauquiercounty.gov

**Ph:** 540-422-8020
**Fax:** 540-422-8022

In north-central VA, west of Alexandria; organized May 1, 1759 from Prince William County. **Name Origin:** For Francis Fauquier (1704-68), lieutenant governor of the colony of VA (1758-68).

**Area (sq mi):** 649.17 (land 647.45; water 1.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 100.7.

**Pop 2010:** 65,203. **State rank:** 769. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.3%; 2000-2005 +17.9%. **Pop 2005:** 64,997 (White 85.3%; Black or African American 8.2%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 1.3%; Others 6.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,710; median household $83,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,857 - $51,454.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hopewell (22,591).

### FLOYD COUNTY

120 W Oxford St PO Box 218
Floyd, VA 24091
www.floydcova.org

**Ph:** 540-745-9300
**Fax:** 540-745-9305

In southwestern VA, southwest of Roanoke; organized Jan 15, 1831 from Montgomery and Franklin counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. John Floyd (1783-1837), U.S. representative (1817-29) and governor of VA (1830-34).

**Area (sq mi):** 380.43 (land 380.42; water 0.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,279. **State rank:** 2094. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 14,649 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,425; median household $42,044; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,282 - $26,987.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FLUVANNA COUNTY

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Palmyra, VA 22963
www.co.fluvanna.va.us

**Ph:** 434-591-1910
**Fax:** 434-591-1911

In central VA, southeast of Charlottesville; organized May 5, 1777 from Albemarle County. **Name Origin:** For the name by which the upper James River was known until the Civil War; from Latin *fluvius* 'river,' and *anna* for Queen Anne (1665-1714) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 288.85 (land 286.01; water 2.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.8.

**Pop 2010:** 25,691. **State rank:** 1562. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +23.5%. **Pop 2005:** 24,751 (White 80.7%; Black or African American 15.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,407; median household $68,223; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,516 - $35,969.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

1255 Franklin St
Rocky Mount, VA 24151
www.franklincountyva.org

**Ph:** 540-483-3030
**Fax:** 540-483-3035

In southwestern VA, south of Roanoke; organized Oct 17, 1785 from Bedford, Henry, and Patrick counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 709.91 (land 690.43; water 19.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.3.

**Pop 2010:** 56,159. **State rank:** 2526. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 50,345 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 8.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,527; median household $45,555; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,133 - $31,323.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**FRANKLIN (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Franklin, VA 23851
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**Ph:** 757-562-8559
**Fax:** 757-562-8561

In U.S. state of Washington, and was organizes on 1883. **Name Origin:** Origin unclear: possibly for patriot and statesman Benjamin Franklin (1707-90) or for a local storekeeper named Franklin. One story has it that the name originated from the exclamation of a railroad section foreman who, upon driving a spike while working here, said, This shall be Franklin!

**Area (sq mi):** 8.26 (land 8.21; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 1045.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,582. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 8,594 (White 39.4%; Black or African American 56.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,453; median household $33,174; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.1%. (BEA data includes Southampton County & Franklin).

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FREDERICK COUNTY**
107 N Kent St
Winchester, VA 22601
www.co.frederick.va.us
**Ph:** 540-665-5600
**Fax:** 540-667-0370

On the northern border of VA; organized Aug 1, 1738 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Frederick Louis (1707-51), Prince of Wales, son of George II (1683-1760) and father of George III (1738-1820) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 414.50 (land 413.50; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 189.4.

**Pop 2010:** 78,305. **State rank:** 718. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.3%; 2000-2005 +16.7%. **Pop 2005:** 69,123 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 4.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 1.2%; Others 6.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,977; median household $61,973; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,417 - $36,132 (BEA data includes Frederick County & Winchester).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FREDERICKSBURG (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Fredericksburg, VA 22401
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**Fax:** 540-372-1201

In northeastern VA on the Rappahannock River, 41 mi. southwest of Alexandria. Founded 1728; incorporated as a town in 1781; as a city in 1879. **Name Origin:** For Frederick Louis (1707-51), Prince of Wales, eldest son of King George II (1683-1760) of Great Britain.

**Area (sq mi):** 10.44 (land 10.44; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 2326.2.

**Pop 2010:** 24,286. **State rank:** 1661. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.1%; 2000-2005 +7.5%. **Pop 2005:** 20,732 (White 64.2%; Black or African American 22.6%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 2.8%; Others 10.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.2%. **Median age:** 28.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,870; median household $43,558; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.6%. (BEA data includes Spotsylvania County & Fredericksburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GALAX (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Galax, VA 24333
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**Ph:** 276-236-5773
**Fax:** 276-236-2889

In southern VA, southwest of Roanoke. Incorporated as a town in 1906; as a city in 1954. **Name Origin:** For the mountain evergreen plant, which grows abundantly in the area. Originally called Bonaparte.

**Area (sq mi):** 8.24 (land 8.24; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 854.6.

**Pop 2010:** 7,042. **State rank:** 2679. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6;676 (White 85.8%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 14.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 14.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,609; median household $22,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.3%. (BEA data includes Carroll County & Galax).

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GILES COUNTY**
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Pearisburg, VA 24134
www.gilescounty.org
**Ph:** 540-921-1722
**Fax:** 540-921-3825

On the southwestern border of VA, west of Roanoke; organized Jan 16, 1806 from Montgomery and Tazewell counties, VA, and Monroe County (now WV). **Name Origin:** For William Branch Giles (1762-1830), U.S. senator from VA (1804-15) and governor (1827-30).

**Area (sq mi):** 358.85 (land 355.78; water 3.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,286. **State rank:** 1946. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,098 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,985; median household $41,186; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,082 - $29,253.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GLOUCESTER COUNTY**
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Gloucester, VA 23061
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**Fax:** 804-693-6004

On the central eastern border of VA, on east bank of the York River; organized 1651 from York County. **Name Origin:** For Henry, Duke of Gloucester (1639-60), brother of Charles II (1630-85) and James II (1633-1701) of England.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Gloucester County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 289.20 (land 217.81; water 71.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 169.2.

**Pop 2010:** 36,858. **State rank:** 1188. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 37,787 (White 87.2%; Black or African American 8.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,395; median household $59,331; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,944 - $37,360.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GOOCHLAND COUNTY

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Goochland, VA 23063
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**Ph:** 804-556-5843
**Fax:** 804-556-3707

In central VA, northwest of Richmond; organized Feb 1, 1727 from Henrico County. **Name Origin:** For Sir William Gooch (1681-1751), governor of the colony of VA (1727-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 286.98 (land 281.42; water 5.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.2.

**Pop 2010:** 21,717. **State rank:** 1745. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.2%; 2000-2005 +14.8%. **Pop 2005:** 19,360 (White 77.5%; Black or African American 19.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,553; median household $79,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $60,982 - $61,598.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRAYSON COUNTY

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Independence, VA 24348-8013
www.graysoncountyva.com

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**Fax:** 276-773-3338

On the southwestern border of VA, east of Bristol, TN; organized Nov 7, 1792 from Wythe County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Grayson (1736/40-90), an officer in the Revolutionary War, member of the Continental Congress (1785-87), and U.S. senator from VA (1789-90).

**Area (sq mi):** 445.44 (land 442.18; water 3.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.1.

**Pop 2010:** 15,533. **State rank:** 2050. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.1%; 2000-2005 -8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 16,366 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 46.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,499; median household $32,178; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,360 - $24,574.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENE COUNTY

40 Celt Rd PO Box 358
Stanardsville, VA 22973
www.gcva.us

**Ph:** 434-985-5201
**Fax:** 434-985-3705

In north-central VA, north of Charlottesville; organized Jan 24, 1838 from Orange County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), hero of the Revolutionary War, quartermaster general (1778-80), and commander of the Army of the South (1780).

**Area (sq mi):** 156.64 (land 156.25; water 0.39). **Pop per sq mi:** 117.8.

**Pop 2010:** 18,403. **State rank:** 1891. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +14.3%. **Pop 2005:** 17,418 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 1.4%; Others 4.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,969; median household $54,307; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,230 - $36,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 72.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GREENSVILLE COUNTY

337 S Main St
Emporia, VA 23847
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**Fax:** 434-348-4020

On the southeastern border of VA, south of Richmond; organized Oct 16, 1780 from Brunswick County. **Name Origin:** For either Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86) or Sir Richard Grenville (1542-91), leader of the Roanoke settlement.

**Area (sq mi):** 296.60 (land 295.23; water 1.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 12,243. **State rank:** 2285. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 -4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,088 (White 38.5%; Black or African American 59.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,631; median household $38,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,270 - $23,236 (BEA data includes Greensville County & Emporia).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HALIFAX COUNTY

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Halifax, VA 24558
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On the central southern border of VA, southeast of Lynchburg; organized Feb 27, 1752 from Lunenburg County. Added the former independent city of South Boston effective June 30, 1995. **Name Origin:** For George Montagu Dunk (1716-71), 2nd Earl of Halifax, English statesman and a strong supporter of trade with the American colonies.

**Area (sq mi):** 828.11 (land 817.84; water 10.27). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.3.

**Pop 2010:** 36,241. **State rank:** 1287. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 36,284 (White 60.7%; Black or African American 36.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%.

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## Halifax County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,909; median household $34,705; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,469 - $28,785.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wolf Trap (16,131).

### HAMPTON (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Hampton, VA 23669
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In southeastern VA, 7 mi. northeast of Newport News. Founded 1680; incorporated as a city in 1952. **Name Origin:** For Hampton Creek, earlier called the Southampton River, itself named for Henry Wriothesley (1573-1624), 3rd Earl of Southampton.

**Area (sq mi):** 135.86 (land 51.41; water 84.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 2673.2.

**Pop 2010:** 137,436. **State rank:** 427. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.6%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 145,579 (White 42.7%; Black or African American 49.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.2%; Others 4.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 35.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,051; median household $49,815; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,864 - $38,678.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HANOVER COUNTY

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Hanover, VA 23069
www.co.hanover.va.us

**Ph:** 804-365-6000
**Fax:** 804-365-6234

In east-central VA, north of Richmond; organized 1720 from New Kent (prior to stateshood). **Name Origin:** For Hanover, the British royal house, which began with George I (1660-1727), the Duke of Hanover. The name was changed to Windsor during World War I to sound less German.

**Area (sq mi):** 469.94 (land 468.54; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 213.1.

**Pop 2010:** 99,863. **State rank:** 576. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 97,426 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 9.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 1.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,201; median household $76,425; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,573 - $44,112.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 64.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mechanicsville (36,348); Woodlawn (20,804).

### HARRISONBURG (INDEPENDENT CITY)

345 S Main St
Harrisonburg, VA 22801
www.harrisonburgva.gov

**Ph:** 540-432-7701
**Fax:** 540-432-7778

In northern VA, 23 mi. northeast of Staunton. Founded 1780; incorporated as a town in 1849; as a city in 1916. Serves as county seat for Rockingham County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Harrison, who gave fifty acres for the town site.

**Area (sq mi):** 17.45 (land 17.42; water 0.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 2808.2.

**Pop 2010:** 48,914. **State rank:** 1051. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +21.0%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 40,438 (White 78.4%; Black or African American 6.4%; Hispanic or Latino 15.7%; Asian 3.5%; Others 15.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 13.5%. **Median age:** 22.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,750; median household $37,235; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.7%. (BEA data includes Rockingham County & Harrisonburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HENRICO COUNTY

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Richmond, VA 23273
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In east-central VA, north of Petersburg; original county; organized 1634. **Name Origin:** For the lost town of Henricus (or Henrico), destroyed by Indians in the Massacre of 1622; itself named for Prince Henry Frederick (1594-1612), son of James I (1566-1625) of England. Originally called *Henricopolis* (the Greek suffix *-polis* 'city of Henry').

**Area (sq mi):** 240.24 (land 233.70; water 6.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 1313.4.

**Pop 2010:** 306,935. **State rank:** 218. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 280,581 (White 59.2%; Black or African American 29.5%; Hispanic or Latino 4.9%; Asian 6.5%; Others 4.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 10.6%. **Median age:** 37.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $33,001; median household $60,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,036 - $43,151.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 45 for cities).

### HENRY COUNTY

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Collinsville, VA 24078
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On central southern border of VA, south of Roanoke; organized Oct 7, 1776 from Pittsylvania County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 384.37 (land 382.33; water 2.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.6.

**Pop 2010:** 54,151. **State rank:** 902. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 -2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 56,501 (White 72.9%; Black or African American 21.9%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Henry County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,206; median household $34,086; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,427 - $29,628 (BEA data includes Henry County & Martinsville ).

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HIGHLAND COUNTY

Main St PO Box 190 **Ph:** 540-468-2447
Monterey, VA 24465 **Fax:** 540-468-3447
www.highlandcova.org

On the central western border of VA, west of Staunton; organized Mar 19, 1847 from Bath County, VA, and Pendleton County (now WV). **Name Origin:** For its location in the Allegheny Mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 415.16 (land 415.16; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.6.

**Pop 2010:** 2,321. **State rank:** 3014. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.2%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 2,475 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 52.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,690; median household $43,481; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,030 - $35,296.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### HOPEWELL (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Hopewell, VA 23860 **Fax:** 804-541-2248
www.hopewellva.gov

In southeastern VA at the confluence of the James and Appomattox rivers, 10 mi. northeast of Petersburg. Incorporated as Hopewell in 1916. **Name Origin:** Established as Charles City Point by Sir Thomas Dale (?-1619) in 1613. Town called City Point until 1913 when Du Pont de Nemours and Co. established a settlement for their workers on Hopewell Farm, itself named by the former owner for the ship on which he arrived in VA.

**Area (sq mi):** 10.86 (land 10.28; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 2198.

**Pop 2010:** 22,591. **State rank:** 1665. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 +1.5%. **Pop 2005:** 22,690 (White 55.4%; Black or African American 37.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.8%; Others 6.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 36.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,148; median household $37,789; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. (BEA data includes Prince George County & Hopewell).

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY

17090 Monument Cir PO Box 80 **Ph:** 757-365-6204
Isle of Wight, VA 23397 **Fax:** 757-357-9171
www.co.isle-of-wight.va.us

In southeastern VA, on the west bank of the James River. Organized 1634 as Warrascoyak County from Upper Norfolk (which was organized 1636 from New Norfolk County and renamed Nansemond County in 1642-43); name changed in 1637. **Name Origin:** For the island off the southern coast of England. Originally named for the local Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 362.50 (land 315.61; water 46.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 111.8.

**Pop 2010:** 35,270. **State rank:** 1271. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +12.4%. **Pop 2005:** 33,417 (White 71.8%; Black or African American 24.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 1.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,547; median household $62,242; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,993 - $40,710.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JAMES CITY COUNTY

101 C Mounts Bay Rd PO Box 8784 **Ph:** 757-253-6728
Williamsburg, VA 23187-7878 **Fax:** 757-253-6833
www.james-city.va.us

In southeastern VA, on the east bank of James River; original county, organized 1634. **Name Origin:** For James I (1566-1625), king of England; also king of Scotland as James VI; son of Mary, Queen of Scots.

**Area (sq mi):** 179.23 (land 142.44; water 36.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 470.4.

**Pop 2010:** 67,009. **State rank:** 806. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +16.5%; 2000-2005 +19.6%. **Pop 2005:** 57,525 (White 80.3%; Black or African American 13.1%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.2%; Others 4.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.3%. **Median age:** 44.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,162; median household $73,903; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,843 - $49,563 (BEA data includes James City County & Williamsburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KING GEORGE COUNTY

9483 Kings Hwy, Suite 3 **Ph:** 540-775-3322
King George, VA 22485 **Fax:** 540-775-5466
www.king-george.va.us

On the northeastern coast of VA, on west bank of the Potomac River; organized Nov 2, 1720 from Richmond and Westmoreland counties. **Name Origin:** For King George I of England (1660-1727).

**Area (sq mi):** 187.43 (land 179.64; water 7.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 131.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,584. **State rank:** 1642. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.3%; 2000-2005 +22.8%. **Pop 2005:** 20,637 (White 76.7%; Black or African American 17.9%; Hispanic or Latino 3.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 3.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 36.6.

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## King George County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,630; median household $76,241; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,016 - $39,296.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KING & QUEEN COUNTY**
242 Allens Cir, Suite L PO Box 177 **Ph:** 804-785-5975
King & Queen Court House, VA 23085 **Fax:** 804-785-5999
www.kingandqueenco.net

In east-central VA, northeast of Richmond; organized Apr 16, 1691 from New Kent County. **Name Origin:** For King William (1650-1702) and Queen Mary (1662-94) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 325.20 (land 315.14; water 10.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.

**Pop 2010:** 6,945. **State rank:** 2687. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.2%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 6,796 (White 67.1%; Black or African American 28.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.6%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,777; median household $44,442; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,129 - $31,215.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 34 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KING WILLIAM COUNTY**
PO Box 215 **Ph:** 804-769-4927
King William, VA 23086 **Fax:** 804-769-4964
www.kingwilliamcounty.us

In east-central VA, northeast of Richmond; organized Dec 5, 1702 from King and Queen County. **Name Origin:** For William III of England (1650-1702).

**Area (sq mi):** 284.16 (land 273.94; water 10.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,935. **State rank:** 2018. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 +12.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,732 (White 77.2%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.0%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,853; median household $64,946; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,915 - $37,613.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LANCASTER COUNTY**
PO Box 99 **Ph:** 804-462-5611
Lancaster, VA 22503
www.co.lancaster.pa.us

On the central eastern coast of VA, on east bank of the Rappahannock River; organized 1652 from York and Northumberland counties. **Name Origin:** For the city in England, former home of many early settlers who escaped from Oliver Cromwell's (1599-1658) reign.

**Area (sq mi):** 231.45 (land 133.25; water 98.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 85.5.

**Pop 2010:** 11,391. **State rank:** 2336. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 11,593 (White 70.1%; Black or African American 28.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%. **Median age:** 54.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,275; median household $45,209; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $46,760 - $46,796.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LEE COUNTY**
Rm 111 PO Box 367 **Ph:** 276-346-7714
Jonesville, VA 24263 **Fax:** 276-346-7712
www.leecova.org

On the southwestern border of VA, west of Kingsport, TN; organized Oct 25, 1792 from Russell County. **Name Origin:** For Henry Lighthorse Harry Lee (1756-1818), VA soldier, statesman, governor (1792-95), and U.S. representative (1799-1801); father of Robert E. Lee (1807-70).

**Area (sq mi):** 435.70 (land 435.52; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.8.

**Pop 2010:** 25,587. **State rank:** 1586. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 23,686 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,513; median household $31,352; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,756 - $27,258.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rose Hill (20,226).

**LEXINGTON (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
300 E Washington St **Ph:** 540-462-3700
Lexington, VA 24450 **Fax:** 540-463-5310
www.ci.lexington.va.us

In south-central VA, northeast of Roanoke. Established in 1778; incorporated as a town in 1874; as a city in 1965. Serves as county seat for Rockbridge County. **Name Origin:** Probably for the village in MA where the first battle of the American Revolution was fought.

**Area (sq mi):** 2.50 (land 2.50; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 2820.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,042. **State rank:** 2676. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.9%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 6,776 (White 85.2%; Black or African American 9.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 2.2%; Others 3.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 22.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,022; median household $31,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.8%. (BEA data includes Rockbridge County, Buena Vista & Lexington).

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 13.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**LOUDOUN COUNTY**
1 Harrison St SE PO Box 7000
Leesburg, VA 20177
www.loudoun.gov
**Ph:** 703-777-0200
**Fax:** 703-777-0325

On northeastern border of VA, northwest of Washington, D.C.; organized Mar 25, 1757 from Fairfax County. **Name Origin:** For John Campbell (1705-82), 4th Earl of Loudoun, commander in chief of British forces during the French and Indian Wars.

**Area (sq mi):** 516.81 (land 515.56; water 1.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 605.8.

**Pop 2010:** 312,311. **State rank:** 209. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +22.2%; 2000-2005 +50.7%. **Pop 2005:** 255,518 (White 68.7%; Black or African American 7.3%; Hispanic or Latino 12.4%; Asian 14.7%; Others 12.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.7%. **Median age:** 34.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $45,356; median household $115,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,607 - $53,085.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 33.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 45 for cities).

**LOUISA COUNTY**
1 Woolfolk Ave P.O. Box 160
Louisa, VA 23093
www.louisacounty.com
**Ph:** 540-967-0401
**Fax:** 540-967-3411

In east-central VA, east of Charlottesville; organized May 6, 1742 from Hanover County. **Name Origin:** For Louisa, queen of Denmark (1724-51), daughter of George II (1683-1760) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 509.95 (land 496.30; water 13.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.8.

**Pop 2010:** 33,153. **State rank:** 1338. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.4%; 2000-2005 +17.1%. **Pop 2005:** 30,020 (White 78.4%; Black or African American 17.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,562; median household $54,257; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,159 - $39,023.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centreville (71,135).

**LUNENBURG COUNTY**
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Lunenburg, VA 23952
lunenburgva.org
**Ph:** 434-696-2142
**Fax:** 434-696-3931

In south-central VA, southwest of Richmond; organized May 1, 1746 from Brunswick County. **Name Origin:** For King George II (1683-1760) of England who retained the German title, Duke of Brunswick.

**Area (sq mi):** 432.36 (land 431.68; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.9.

**Pop 2010:** 12,914. **State rank:** 2245. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,194 (White 60.8%; Black or African American 34.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 3.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,744; median household $37,424; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,960 - $25,837.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**LYNCHBURG (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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**Fax:** 434-847-1536

In south-central VA, northeast of Roanoke. Established 1786; incorporated as a town in 1805; as a city in 1852. **Name Origin:** For John Lynch, owner of the original town site.

**Area (sq mi):** 49.50 (land 49.13; water 0.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 1538.2.

**Pop 2010:** 75,568. **State rank:** 726. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.8%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 66,973 (White 64.4%; Black or African American 29.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 2.5%; Others 3.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 30.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,586; median household $37,058; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.7%. (BEA data includes Campbell County & Lynchburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MADISON COUNTY**
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Madison, VA 22727
www.madison-va.com
**Ph:** 540-948-6888
**Fax:** 540-948-3759

In north-central VA, northeast of Charlottesville; organized May 1, 1793 from Culpeper County. **Name Origin:** For James Madison (1751-1836), fourth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 321.04 (land 320.68; water 0.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,308. **State rank:** 2180. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.7%; 2000-2005 +7.0%. **Pop 2005:** 13,398 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 9.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,081; median household $56,608; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,607 - $35,270.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MANASSAS (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Manassas, VA 20110
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**Fax:** 703-335-0042

In northeastern VA, 25 mi. west of Alexandria. Established 1852; incorporated as a town in 1874; as a city in 1975. Serves as county seat for Prince William County. **Name Origin:** For its location at the Manassas junction of the Manassas Gap Railroad and the Orange and Alexandria Railroad.

**Area (sq mi):** 9.90 (land 9.88; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 3827.6.

**Pop 2010:** 37,821. **State rank:** 1254. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +6.9%. **Pop 2005:** 37,569 (White 61.7%; Black or African

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## Manassas (Independent City) (cont'd)

American 13.7%; Hispanic or Latino 31.4%; Asian 5.0%; Others 31.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 24.7%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,941; median household $75,173; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.4%. (BEA data includes Prince William County, Manassas & Manassas Park).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 75.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MANASSAS PARK (INDEPENDENT CITY)

1 Park Ctr Ct
Manassas Park, VA 20111-1239
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**Ph:** 703-335-8800
**Fax:** 703-335-0053

In northeastern VA, west of Alexandria. Established in 1955; incorporated as a town in 1957; as a city in 1975. Annexed part of Prince William County effective December 31, 1990. **Name Origin:** For the nearby city of Manassas.

**Area (sq mi):** 2.53 (land 2.53; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 5632.6.

**Pop 2010:** 14,273. **State rank:** 2286. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +22.8%; 2000-2005 +12.9%. **Pop 2005:** 11,622 (White 55.9%; Black or African American 13.0%; Hispanic or Latino 32.5%; Asian 9.0%; Others 32.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 29.4%. **Median age:** 30.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,335; median household $70,299; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.3%. (BEA data includes Prince William County, Manassas & Manassas Park).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 90.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARTINSVILLE (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Martinsville, VA 24112
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In southern VA, 32 mi. west of Danville. Founded 1791; incorporated as a town in 1873; as a city in 1928. Serves as county seat for Henry County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Martin (1740-1808), pioneer settler and army officer who represented the county in the General Assembly when the town was established.

**Area (sq mi):** 11.01 (land 10.96; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 1261.5.

**Pop 2010:** 13,821. **State rank:** 2117. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.4%; 2000-2005 -3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 14,925 (White 49.9%; Black or African American 45.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 4.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,766; median household $32,408; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.5%. (BEA data includes Henry County & Martinsville).

**Unemployment 2010:** 19%. **Change from 2007:** +10.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MATHEWS COUNTY

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Mathews, VA 23109
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**Fax:** 804-725-7805

On the southeastern border of VA, on the western shore of Chesapeake Bay; organized 1791 from Gloucester County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Mathews, American Revolutionary general and patriot.

**Area (sq mi):** 252.21 (land 85.93; water 166.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 104.5.

**Pop 2010:** 8,978. **State rank:** 2511. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.3%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 9,194 (White 88.0%; Black or African American 9.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 50.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,011; median household $47,435; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $48,668 - $50,782.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MECKLENBURG COUNTY

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Boydton, VA 23917
www.mecklenburgva.com

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**Fax:** 434-738-6804

On the central southern border of VA, southwest of Richmond; organized Mar 1, 1765 from Lunenburg County. **Name Origin:** For Charlotte Sophia, Princess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz (1744-1818), wife of George III (1738-1820) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 680.85 (land 625.49; water 55.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 52.3.

**Pop 2010:** 32,727. **State rank:** 1376. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 32,529 (White 59.9%; Black or African American 36.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 2.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,162; median household $36,431; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,810 - $29,977.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MIDDLESEX COUNTY

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Saluda, VA 23149
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**Fax:** 804-758-8637

On the southeastern border of VA, along the west bank of the Rappahannock River; organized Sep 21, 1674 from Lancaster County. **Name Origin:** For an ancient county in England, most of which became part of Greater London in 1965. The suffix *-sex* is Old Norman from camp or military headquarters.

**Area (sq mi):** 210.77 (land 130.31; water 80.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,959. **State rank:** 2374. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 10,493 (White 79.2%; Black or African American 18.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 51.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,539; median household $50,207; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Middlesex County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,148 - $39,552.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 50.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Christiansburg, VA 24073-3318
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**Fax:** 540-382-6943

In western VA, west of Roanoke; organized Oct 7, 1776 from Fincastle (organized 1772 from Botetourt County and abolished 1777), Botetourt, and Pulaski counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Richard Montgomery (1736-75), American Revolutionary War officer who captured Montreal, Canada.

**Area (sq mi):** 388.22 (land 387.01; water 1.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 243.9.

**Pop 2010:** 94,392. **State rank:** 618. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.0%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 84,303 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 3.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 5.4%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.1%. **Median age:** 26.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,040; median household $43,229; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,545 - $27,844 (BEA data includes Montgomery County & Radford).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Blacksburg (42,620); Christiansburg 🏛 (21,041).

### NELSON COUNTY

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Lovingston, VA 22949
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**Fax:** 434-263-7004

In west-central VA, southwest of Charlottesville; organized 1808 from Amherst County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Nelson (1738-89), member of the Continental Congress, signer of the Declaration of Independence, and governor of VA (1781).

**Area (sq mi):** 472.81 (land 470.86; water 1.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.9.

**Pop 2010:** 15,020. **State rank:** 2066. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.5%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 15,101 (White 83.3%; Black or African American 13.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,996; median household $48,118; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,639 - $38,737.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEW KENT COUNTY

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New Kent, VA 23124
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**Fax:** 804-966-9528

In east-central VA, east of Richmond; organized Nov 20, 1654 from York County. **Name Origin:** For Kent, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 223.66 (land 209.73; water 13.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.9.

**Pop 2010:** 18,429. **State rank:** 1902. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.4%; 2000-2005 +19.6%. **Pop 2005:** 16,107 (White 81.7%; Black or African American 13.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.1%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,741; median household $70,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,910 - $35,124.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 80.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NEWPORT NEWS (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Newport News, VA 23607
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In southeastern VA at the mouth of the James River and the entrance to Hampton Roads, 11 mi. northwest of Norfolk. Established in 1880; incorporated as a city in 1896. **Name Origin:** Possibly for Sir Christopher Newport and Sir William Newce, the latter name changed by folk etymology. In 1619 called Newportes Newce.

**Area (sq mi):** 119.47 (land 68.71; water 50.76). **Pop per sq mi:** 2630.

**Pop 2010:** 180,719. **State rank:** 320. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 179,899 (White 49.0%; Black or African American 40.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.5%; Asian 2.7%; Others 7.5%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 32.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,249; median household $49,562; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,569 - $32,921.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORFOLK (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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In southeastern VA on the Elizabeth River just south of Hampton Roads. Established 1682; incorporated as a town in 1736; as a city in 1845. Major port; distribution center for nearby coal-mining regions. Site of Norfolk Naval Base, largest naval installation in the U.S.; headquarters of the Atlantic Command of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). Site of Old Dominion University. **Name Origin:** For the county in England, former home of Adam Thoroughgood, an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 96.70 (land 54.12; water 42.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 4486.4.

**Pop 2010:** 242,803. **State rank:** 270. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 231,954 (White 47.1%; Black or African American 43.1%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 3.3%; Others 6.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

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## Norfolk (Independent City) (cont'd)

**born:** 6.8%. **Median age:** 29.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,773; median household $42,677; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,375 - $35,816.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

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**Fax:** 757-678-5410

On the southern border of Delmarva peninsula, bounded on the west by Chesapeake Bay and on the east by the Atlantic Ocean. Original county; organized 1634 as Accawmack County; name changed 1642-43. **Name Origin:** Possibly for Spencer Compton (1601-32), 2nd Earl of Northampton.

**Area (sq mi):** 799.58 (land 211.61; water 587.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.5.

**Pop 2010:** 12,389. **State rank:** 2200. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.6%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 13,548 (White 57.9%; Black or African American 36.5%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 0.7%; Others 7.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.0%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,233; median household $35,760; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,478 - $35,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Arlington (207,627).

### NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY

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Heathsville, VA 22473
www.co.northumberland.va.us

**Ph:** 804-580-3700
**Fax:** 804-580-2261

On central eastern coast of VA, on Chesapeake Bay; organized Oct 12, 1648 from Chicacoun Indian District. **Name Origin:** For the county in England, former home of many early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 284.66 (land 191.30; water 93.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 64.5.

**Pop 2010:** 12,330. **State rank:** 2231. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,874 (White 71.4%; Black or African American 25.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 53.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,646; median household $51,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,817 - $40,413.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NORTON (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Norton, VA 24273
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**Fax:** 276-679-3510

In southwestern VA. Incorporated as a town in 1894; as a city in 1954. **Name Origin:** For Eckstein Norton, Louisville and National Railroad president, 1886-91. Originally called Prince's Flats, probably for William Prince, a settler in the area about 1787.

**Area (sq mi):** 7.48 (land 7.48; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 529.1.

**Pop 2010:** 3,958. **State rank:** 2919. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 -5.8%. **Pop 2005:** 3,677 (White 88.7%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 1.4%; Others 1.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,145; median household $33,944; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.6%. (BEA data includes Wise County & Norton).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NOTTOWAY COUNTY

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Nottoway, VA 23955
www.nottoway.org

**Ph:** 434-645-8696
**Fax:** 434-645-8667

In south-central VA, southwest of Richmond; organized 1789 from Amelia County. **Name Origin:** For the local Indian tribe related to the Iroquois. The name, given to them by their neighbours, means 'rattlesnake' in the sense of 'untrustworthy enemy.' Their own name *Cheroenhaka* is believed to mean 'fork of a stream,' perhaps to signify a favorite campsite.

**Area (sq mi):** 315.84 (land 314.39; water 1.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 50.4.

**Pop 2010:** 15,853. **State rank:** 2041. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,560 (White 56.6%; Black or African American 39.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.8%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,318; median household $37,344; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,130 - $30,204.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ORANGE COUNTY

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Orange, VA 22960
orangecountyva.gov

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**Fax:** 276-672-1679

In north-central VA, northeast of Charlottesville; organized Feb 1, 1734 from Spotsylvania County. **Name Origin:** For the European ruling family of Orange-Nassau, one of whose princes married Princess Anne, daughter of King George II (1683-1760).

**Area (sq mi):** 342.48 (land 340.78; water 1.70). **Pop per sq mi:** 98.2.

**Pop 2010:** 33,481. **State rank:** 1324. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +16.9%. **Pop 2005:** 30,246 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 12.7%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Orange County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,447; median household $54,916; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,199 - $34,220.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PAGE COUNTY

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Luray, VA 22835
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**Ph:** 540-743-4142
**Fax:** 540-743-4533

In north-central VA, north of Charlottesville; organized Mar 30, 1831 from Rockingham and Shenandoah counties. **Name Origin:** For John Page (1743-1808), U.S. representative from VA (1789-97) and governor (1802-05).

**Area (sq mi):** 313.83 (land 310.86; water 2.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.3.

**Pop 2010:** 24,042. **State rank:** 1622. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 23,831 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,969; median household $41,617; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,747 - $28,559.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Springfield (30,484); Salem (24,802).

### PATRICK COUNTY

106 Rucker St PO Box 466
Stuart, VA 24171
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**Fax:** 276-694-2160

On the southwestern border of VA, southwest of Roanoke; organized Nov 26, 1790 from Henry County. **Name Origin:** For Patrick Henry (1736-99), patriot, governor of VA (1776-79; 1784-86), and statesman, famous for proclaiming, Give me liberty or give me death.

**Area (sq mi):** 485.82 (land 483.10; water 2.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.3.

**Pop 2010:** 18,490. **State rank:** 1880. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 19,209 (White 91.1%; Black or African American 5.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 46.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,396; median household $35,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,335 - $25,690.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PETERSBURG (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Petersburg, VA 23803
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**Ph:** 804-733-2301
**Fax:** 804-732-9212

In southeastern VA at the head of navigation of the Appomattox River, 23 mi. south of Richmond. **Name Origin:** Named by William Bryd II (1674-1744) for Peter Jones, his companion on expeditions into the VA backcountry. Founded in 1645 as Fort Henry, a trading post; name changed in 1748 when incorporated as a town; incorporated as a city in 1850.

**Area (sq mi):** 23.23 (land 22.93; water 0.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 1413.7.

**Pop 2010:** 32,420. **State rank:** 1342. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 32,604 (White 16.1%; Black or African American 79.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,142; median household $36,449; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. (BEA data includes Dinwiddie County, Colonial Heights & Petersburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY

21 N Main St PO Box 426
Chatham, VA 24531
www.pittgov.org

**Ph:** 434-432-7700
**Fax:** 434-432-7915

On the central southern border of VA, south of Lynchburg; organized Nov 6, 1766 from Halifax County. **Name Origin:** For William Pitt (the Elder; 1708-78), 1st Earl of Chatham, prime minister of England and supporter of the American colonies; with the addition of *-sylvania* 'Pitt's woods.'

**Area (sq mi):** 976.36 (land 968.94; water 7.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 65.5.

**Pop 2010:** 63,506. **State rank:** 833. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +.2%. **Pop 2005:** 61,854 (White 75.5%; Black or African American 22.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 44.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,652; median household $39,224; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,956 - $30,587 (BEA data includes Pittsylvania County & Danville).

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hopewell (22,591).

### POQUOSON (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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Poquoson, VA 23662
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**Ph:** 757-868-3000
**Fax:** 757-868-3101

In southeastern VA, 9 mi. north of Newport News. Established as a post office between 1885 and 1888; incorporated as a town in 1952; as a city in 1976. **Name Origin:** From an Algonquian term probably meaning 'swamp' or 'overflowed land.'

**Area (sq mi):** 78.23 (land 15.32; water 62.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 793.2.

**Pop 2010:** 12,150. **State rank:** 2304. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,811 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 2.1%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,840; median household $84,315; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.9%. (BEA data includes York County & Poquoson).

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## Poquoson (Independent City) (cont'd)

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 78.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PORTSMOUTH (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
801 Crawford St PO Box 820 **Ph:** 757-393-8000
Portsmouth, VA 23704 **Fax:** 757-393-5378
www.portsmouthva.gov

In southeastern VA on the Elizabeth River opposite of Norfolk. Established 1752; incorporated as a town in 1836; as a city in 1858. **Name Origin:** Named by town founder, William Crawford, for the city in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 47.11 (land 33.65; water 13.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 2838.8.

**Pop 2010:** 95,535. **State rank:** 581. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.6%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 100,169 (White 41.6%; Black or African American 53.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 3.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 35.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,302; median household $45,488; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,326 - $36,762.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POWHATAN COUNTY**
3430 E Anderson Hwy PO Box 37 **Ph:** 804-598-9301
Powhatan, VA 23139 **Fax:** 804-598-5608
www.powhatanva.com

In east-central VA, west of Richmond; organized May 5, 1777 from Cumberland and Chesterfield counties. **Name Origin:** For chief Powhatan (c.1550-1618), the leader of a confederacy of 32 tribes, whose Indian name was Wahunsonacock; father of Pocahontas (c.1595-1617). Name is believed to mean 'falls in a current of water' or 'at the falls.'

**Area (sq mi):** 261.34 (land 260.22; water 1.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 107.8.

**Pop 2010:** 28,046. **State rank:** 1485. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +18.9%. **Pop 2005:** 26,598 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 13.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 41.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,851; median household $73,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,859 - $41,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY**
111 South St PO Box 304 **Ph:** 434-392-5145
Farmville, VA 23901 **Fax:** 434-392-3913
www.co.prince-edward.va.us

In south-central VA, southeast of Lynchburg; organized 1754 from Amelia County. **Name Origin:** For Prince Edward Augustus (1767-1820), son of George III (1738-1820) of England and father of Queen Victoria (1819-1901).

**Area (sq mi):** 351.05 (land 349.96; water 1.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 66.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,368. **State rank:** 1706. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.2%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,455 (White 63.3%; Black or African American 33.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.9%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 30.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,192; median household $36,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,653 - $22,084.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY**
6602 Courts Dr PO Box 68 **Ph:** 804-733-2600
Prince George, VA 23875 **Fax:** 804-732-3604
www.princegeorgeva.org

In southeastern VA, southeast of Richmond; organized 1703 from Charles City County. **Name Origin:** For George of Denmark (1653-1708), husband of Queen Anne (1665-1714) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 281.39 (land 265.16; water 16.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 134.7.

**Pop 2010:** 35,725. **State rank:** 1232. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +11.1%. **Pop 2005:** 36,725 (White 61.1%; Black or African American 32.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 1.5%; Others 5.8%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,769; median household $64,171; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,986 - $35,494 (BEA data includes Prince George County & Hopewell).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY**
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Prince William, VA 22192 **Fax:** 703-792-7484
www.pwcgov.org

On the northeastern border of VA, southwest of Alexandria; organized 1731 from King George and Stafford counties. Part annexed to Manassas Park (independent) city effective December 31, 1990. **Name Origin:** For Prince William Augustus (1721-65), Duke of Cumberland, son of George II (1683-1760) of England.

**Area (sq mi):** 346.98 (land 336.40; water 10.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 1195.

**Pop 2010:** 402,002. **State rank:** 174. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.3%; 2000-2005 +24.1%. **Pop 2005:** 348,588 (White 57.8%; Black or African American 20.2%; Hispanic or Latino 20.3%; Asian 7.5%; Others 20.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 21.3%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,737; median household $91,098; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,382 - $43,346 (BEA data includes Prince William County, Manassas & Manassas Park).

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.5%.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Prince William County (cont'd)

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 10 (see page 45 for cities).

**PULASKI COUNTY**
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Pulaski, VA 24301
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**Fax:** 540-980-7717

In southwestern VA, southwest of Roanoke; organized Mar 30, 1839 from Montgomery and Wythe counties. **Name Origin:** For Count Casimir Pulaski (1747-79), Polish soldier who fought for America during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 328.89 (land 319.86; water 9.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 109.

**Pop 2010:** 34,872. **State rank:** 1290. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 35,081 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,976; median household $41,163; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,292 - $31,684.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RADFORD (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
10 Robertson St
Radford, VA 24141
www.radford.va.us
**Ph:** 540-731-3603
**Fax:** 540-731-3699

In western VA, 14 mi. northeast of Pulaski. **Name Origin:** Previously called Lovely Mount, English Ferry, Ingle's Ferry, and Central Depot. Established as the town of Central City in 1885; incorporated in 1887. Name changed in 1890 to honor the original landowner, Dr. John Blair Radford; incorporated as a city in 1892.

**Area (sq mi):** 10.24 (land 9.87; water 0.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 1662.1.

**Pop 2010:** 16,408. **State rank:** 2020. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +12.6%; 2000-2005 -8.1%. **Pop 2005:** 14,575 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 7.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 22.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,496; median household $29,155; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.8%. (BEA data includes Montgomery County & Radford).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY**
290 Gay St PO Box 519
Washington, VA 22747
www.rappahannockcountyva.gov
**Ph:** 540-675-5330
**Fax:** 540-675-5331

In north-central VA, west of Arlington; organized Feb 8, 1833 from Culpeper County (not to be confused with Old Rappahannock County, with county seat at Lancaster, organized 1656 from Lancaster County and abolished 1692). **Name Origin:** For the Rappahannock River.

**Area (sq mi):** 266.49 (land 266.23; water 0.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.7.

**Pop 2010:** 7,373. **State rank:** 2666. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +4.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,271 (White 92.7%; Black or African American 4.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $37,149; median household $62,117; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,133 - $41,110.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rose Hill (20,226).

**RICHMOND COUNTY**
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Warsaw, VA 22572
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**Fax:** 804-333-3408

In east-central VA, on the north bank of the Rappahannock River; organized Apr 16, 1692 from Old Rappahannock County, which was organized 1656 from Lancaster County and abolished in 1692. **Name Origin:** For Richmond, Surrey, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 216.41 (land 191.49; water 24.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.3.

**Pop 2010:** 9,254. **State rank:** 300. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 9,114 (White 64.8%; Black or African American 30.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,965; median household $42,182; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,029 - $25,905.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**RICHMOND (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Richmond, VA 23219
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**Fax:** 804-646-7987

In southeastern VA, northwest of Norfolk. State capital; founded 1742. Major commercial (tobacco products, chemicals, printed material); cultural, educational (Univ. of Richmond and others); and historical center. Capital of the Confederate States of America 1861-65. Established in 1742; incorporated as a town in 1782; as a city in 1842. Serves as county seat for Henrico County. **Name Origin:** Probably for Richmond, Surrey, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 62.29 (land 59.81; water 2.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 3414.7.

**Pop 2010:** 204,214. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 193,777 (White 40.8%; Black or African American 50.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 2.3%; Others 6.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,034; median household $38,266; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,470 - $42,037.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**ROANOKE COUNTY**
5204 Bernard Dr
Roanoke, VA 24018
www.co.roanoke.va.us
**Ph:** 540-772-2006
**Fax:** 540-772-2193

In west-central VA, west of Lynchburg; organized Mar 30, 1838 from Botetourt and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word spelled Roanoak by the first English settlers. Indians applied it to an island, meaning place where white shells are found or perhaps shells which are used for money. Or possibly named for the lost colony of Roanoke.

**Area (sq mi):** 250.70 (land 250.52; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 368.7.

**Pop 2010:** 92,376. **State rank:** 603. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 88,172 (White 90.0%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 2.7%; Others 2.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,046; median household $59,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,324 - $39,866 (BEA data includes Roanoke County & Salem).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 66.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cave Spring (24,922); Hollins (14,673).

**ROANOKE (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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Roanoke, VA 24011
www.roanokeva.gov
**Fax:** 540-853-1138

In south-central VA, southwest of Lynchburg. Established in 1852 as Big Lick, for the large salt marsh where deer fed; incorporated in 1874. Name changed to Roanoke in 1882, became a city 1884. Convention and railroad center. **Name Origin:** From an Indian name applied to an island, possibly meaning '(place to find) shells that are used for money' or 'place where white shells are found.'

**Area (sq mi):** 42.59 (land 42.56; water 0.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 2279.8.

**Pop 2010:** 97,032. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 92,631 (White 64.2%; Black or African American 28.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 1.8%; Others 5.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,530; median household $36,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,277 - $38,541.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY**
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Lexington, VA 24450
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**Fax:** 540-463-5981

In west-central VA, northwest of Lynchburg; organized Mar 1, 1778 from Augusta and Botetourt counties. **Name Origin:** For Natural Bridge or Rock Bridge, the most famous feature in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 598.91 (land 597.56; water 1.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.3.

**Pop 2010:** 22,307. **State rank:** 1746. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 21,242 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 46.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,753; median household $44,417; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,006 - $30,854 (BEA data includes Rockbridge County, Buena Vista & Lexington).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Blacksburg (42,620); Mechanicsville (36,348); Springfield (30,484); Fredericksburg (24,286).

**ROCKINGHAM COUNTY**
20 E Gay St
Harrisonburg, VA 22802
www.rockinghamcountyva.gov
**Ph:** 540-564-3000
**Fax:** 540-434-7163

On the northwestern border of VA, northwest of Charlottesville; organized Mar 1, 1778 from Augusta County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Watson Wentworth (1730-82), 2nd Marquess of Rockingham, prime minister of England who was largely responsible for the repeal of the Stamp Act.

**Area (sq mi):** 851.23 (land 849.09; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.9.

**Pop 2010:** 76,314. **State rank:** 715. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 71,251 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 5.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.3%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,274; median household $49,930; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,589 - $30,451 (BEA data includes Rockingham County & Harrisonburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mechanicsville (36,348).

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In southwestern VA, north of Bristol, TN; organized May 1, 1786 from Washington County. **Name Origin:** For William Russell (1758-1825), VA officer in the Revolutionary War and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 475.93 (land 473.82; water 2.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.

**Pop 2010:** 28,897. **State rank:** 1441. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,949 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,909; median household $32,780; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,004 - $27,995.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laurel (16,713).

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**SALEM (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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In west-central VA, 8 mi. west of Roanoke. Laid out 1802; established in 1806. Incorporated as a town in 1836; as a city in 1968. Serves as county seat for Roanoke County. **Name Origin:** For Salem, NJ, former home of an early settler.

**Area (sq mi):** 14.44 (land 14.44; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 1717.9.

**Pop 2010:** 24,802. **State rank:** 1577. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 24,654 (White 88.2%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.6%. **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,081; median household $48,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.8%. (BEA data includes Roanoke County & Salem).

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SCOTT COUNTY**
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In southwest VA, north of Kingsport, TN; organized November 24, 1814 from Lee, Russell, and Washington counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Winfield Scott (1786-1866), VA officer during the War of 1812 and the Mexican War; general in chief of the U.S. Army (1841-61) and commander of the Union armies at the beginning of the Civil War.

**Area (sq mi):** 537.58 (land 535.53; water 2.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 43.3.

**Pop 2010:** 23,177. **State rank:** 1692. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 22,962 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,667; median household $34,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,738 - $26,989.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHENANDOAH COUNTY**
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On the northeastern border of VA, northeast of Harrisonburg; organized as Dunmore County May 15, 1772 from Frederick County; name changed 1778. **Name Origin:** For the Shenandoah River.

**Area (sq mi):** 509.10 (land 508.78; water 0.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 82.5.

**Pop 2010:** 41,993. **State rank:** 1140. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.2%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 39,184 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 6.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,502; median household $50,171; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,462 - $31,909.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SMYTH COUNTY**
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In southwestern VA, northeast of Bristol, TN; organized Feb 23, 1832 from Washington and Wythe counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Alexander Smyth (1765-1830), U.S. representative from VA (1817-25; 1827-30).

**Area (sq mi):** 451.15 (land 450.93; water 0.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.4.

**Pop 2010:** 32,208. **State rank:** 1381. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 -1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 32,640 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,906; median household $34,864; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,200 - $27,381.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY**
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In southeastern VA, west of Norfolk; organized Apr 30, 1749 from Isle of Wight and Nansemond counties. Site of Nat Turner's (1800-31) Rebellion (1831). Part annexed to Franklin (independent) city effective December 31, 1995. **Name Origin:** For Henry Wriothesley (1573-1624), 3rd Earl of Southampton, English statesman and patron of William Shakespeare (1564-1616).

**Area (sq mi):** 601.95 (land 599.15; water 2.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.

**Pop 2010:** 18,570. **State rank:** 1886. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,585 (White 60.4%; Black or African American 37.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,201; median household $45,426; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,242 - $31,434 (BEA data includes Southampton County & Franklin).

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In east-central VA, north of Richmond; organized 1721 from Essex,

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## Spotsylvania County (cont'd)

King William, and King and Queen counties. **Name Origin:** For Alexander Spotswood (1676-1740), lieutenant governor of the colony of VA (1710-22). Name is a combination of *Spots*wood and *sylvania* 'woodlands,' a play on the surname.

**Area (sq mi):** 412.91 (land 401.50; water 11.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 304.9.

**Pop 2010:** 122,397. **State rank:** 493. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +28.9%. **Pop 2005:** 116,549 (White 75.5%; Black or African American 15.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 2.3%; Others 7.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.1%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,012; median household $76,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,096 - $39,385 (BEA data includes Spotsylvania County & Fredericksburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STAFFORD COUNTY

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On the northeastern coast of VA, on west bank of upper Potomac River; organized 1664 from Westmoreland County. Part of the facility is also in Prince William County. **Name Origin:** For the county of Staffordshire, England.

**Area (sq mi):** 278.55 (land 268.96; water 9.59). **Pop per sq mi:** 479.5.

**Pop 2010:** 128,961. **State rank:** 482. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.4%; 2000-2005 +27.5%. **Pop 2005:** 117,874 (White 72.5%; Black or African American 17.0%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 2.8%; Others 9.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.9%. **Median age:** 34.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $34,691; median household $93,065; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,391 - $40,657.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### STAUNTON (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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In north-central VA, 35 mi. northwest of Charlottesville. Laid out in 1748; established as a town in 1761. Incorporated as a town in 1801; as a city in 1871. Serves as county seat for Augusta County. **Name Origin:** For Rebecca Staunton, wife of colonial governor William Gooch.

**Area (sq mi):** 19.98 (land 19.98; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 1188.8.

**Pop 2010:** 23,746. **State rank:** 1629. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 23,337 (White 83.7%; Black or African American 12.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.8%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,077; median household $42,724; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.2%. (BEA data includes Augusta County, Staunton & Waynesboro).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SUFFOLK (INDEPENDENT CITY)

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In southeastern VA on the Nansemond River, 18 mi. southwest of Portsmouth. Established in 1742; incorporated as a town in 1808; as a city in 1910. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 429.22 (land 400.17; water 29.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 211.4.

**Pop 2010:** 84,585. **State rank:** 657. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.1%; 2000-2005 +24.1%. **Pop 2005:** 78,994 (White 52.3%; Black or African American 42.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.9%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,441; median household $65,104; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,203 - $36,828.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SURRY COUNTY

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On southeastern coast of VA, on south bank of the James River; organized 1652 from James City County. **Name Origin:** For Surrey, England; spelling is a clerical error.

**Area (sq mi):** 310.17 (land 278.95; water 31.22). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,058. **State rank:** 2662. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 7,013 (White 51.3%; Black or African American 46.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,835; median household $55,030; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,665 - $34,130.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 34.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 70.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wakefield (11,275).

### SUSSEX COUNTY

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In southeastern VA, south of Richmond; organized 1754 from Surry County. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 492.32 (land 490.22; water 2.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.7.

**Pop 2010:** 12,087. **State rank:** 2282. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 12,071 (White 39.3%; Black or African American 58.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 40.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sussex County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,735; median household $37,978; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,289 - $28,290.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wakefield (11,275).

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On the southwestern border of VA, northeast of Bristol, TN; organized 1800 from Russell and Wythe counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Tazewell (1753-99), VA legislator, chief justice (1785-93), and U.S. senator (1794-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 519 (land 518.85; water 0.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.9.

**Pop 2010:** 45,078. **State rank:** 1053. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 44,795 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,016; median household $35,215; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,775 - $32,424.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In southeastern VA on the Atlantic Ocean, 18 mi. east of Norfolk. Incorporated as a town in 1906; as a city in 1952. **Name Origin:** This noted oceanside resort is named for the state.

**Area (sq mi):** 498.05 (land 249.02; water 249.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 1758.9.

**Pop 2010:** 437,994. **State rank:** 151. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 438,415 (White 67.7%; Black or African American 19.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 6.1%; Others 6.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 8.9%. **Median age:** 34.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,873; median household $64,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,369 - $44,857.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WARREN COUNTY**
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In north-central VA, west of Arlington; organized Mar 9, 1836 from Frederick and Shenandoah counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Joseph Warren (1741-75), Revolutionary War patriot and member of the Committee of Safety who dispatched Paul Revere (1735-1818) on his famous ride.

**Area (sq mi):** 216.10 (land 213.47; water 2.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 176.

**Pop 2010:** 37,575. **State rank:** 1249. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +12.6%. **Pop 2005:** 35,556 (White 90.9%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 39.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,098; median household $60,522; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,458 - $37,871.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Front Royal (14,440).

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On the southwestern border of VA, north of Bristol, TN; organized Oct 7, 1776 from Fincastle (organized 1772 from Botetourt County and abolished 1777) and Montgomery counties. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 564.10 (land 560.98; water 3.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.8.

**Pop 2010:** 54,876. **State rank:** 924. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.4%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 52,085 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,488; median household $40,422; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,907 - $32,084 (BEA data includes Washington County & Bristol).

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Blacksburg (42,620).

**WAYNESBORO (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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In north-central VA, in the Shenandoah Valley at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains, 12 mi. southeast of Staunton. Laid out in 1797; established as a town in 1801. Incorporated as a town in 1834; as a city in 1948. Annexed part of Augusta County effective July 1, 1994. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the American Revolution.

**Area (sq mi):** 15.06 (land 15.04; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 1396.8.

**Pop 2010:** 21,006. **State rank:** 1712. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 21,269 (White 82.2%; Black or African American 10.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 38.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,190; median household $40,977; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. (BEA data includes Augusta County,

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## Waynesboro (Independent City) (cont'd)

Staunton & Waynesboro).

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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On the central eastern coast of VA, along the west bank of the Potomac River; organized Jul 5, 1653 from Northumberland County. **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 252.84 (land 229.38; water 23.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.1.

**Pop 2010:** 17,454. **State rank:** 1930. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 17,227 (White 65.9%; Black or African American 28.0%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 5.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 46.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,501; median household $52,990; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,725 - $35,483.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WILLIAMSBURG (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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In southeastern VA on the peninsula between the James and York rivers, 27 mi. northwest of Newport News. Capital of VA, 1699-1780. Site of College of William and Mary. Serves as county seat for James City County. **Name Origin:** Established in 1633 as Middle Plantation. Renamed in 1699 for William III (1650-1702), king of England; incorporated as a city in 1884.

**Area (sq mi):** 9.15 (land 9.02; water 0.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 1559.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,068. **State rank:** 2251. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +19.7%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,751 (White 74.0%; Black or African American 14.0%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 5.7%; Others 6.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.5%. **Median age:** 23.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,851; median household $50,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.5%. (BEA data includes James City County & Williamsburg).

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.2%. **Change from 2007:** +9.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINCHESTER (INDEPENDENT CITY)**
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In northern VA, in the Shenandoah Valley, 70 mi. northwest of Alexandria. Settled 1738; established in 1752. Incorporated as a town in 1779; as a city in 1874. Serves as county seat for Frederick County. **Name Origin:** Named by James Wood, one of the town founders, for Winchester, England, his birthplace. Previously called Opequon, Frederick's Town, and Fredericktown.

**Area (sq mi):** 9.23 (land 9.23; water 0). **Pop per sq mi:** 2838.

**Pop 2010:** 26,203. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.3%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 25,119 (White 74.5%; Black or African American 10.9%; Hispanic or Latino 15.4%; Asian 2.3%; Others 15.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 15.0%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,341; median household $44,873; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.0%. (BEA data includes Frederick County & Winchester).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WISE COUNTY**
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On the southwestern border of VA, north of Kingsport, TN; organized Feb 16, 1856 from Lee, Russell, and Scott counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry A. Wise (1806-76), U.S. representative from VA (1833-44), governor (1856-60), and Confederate Army officer.

**Area (sq mi):** 404.37 (land 403.19; water 1.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 102.8.

**Pop 2010:** 41,452. **State rank:** 1120. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,997 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,944; median household $33,608; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,219 - $31,285 (BEA data includes Wise County & Norton).

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laurel (16,713).

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In southwestern VA, southwest of Roanoke; organized May 1, 1790 from Montgomery County. **Name Origin:** For George Wythe (1726-1806), VA patriot, first law professor in the U.S., member of the House of Burgesses (1758-68), and signer of the Declaration of Independence.

**Area (sq mi):** 463.19 (land 461.82; water 1.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.3.

**Pop 2010:** 29,235. **State rank:** 1458. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 28,421 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,589; median household $38,948; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,312 - $28,142.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wythe County (cont'd)

30.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**YORK COUNTY**
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Yorktown, VA 23690
www.yorkcounty.gov

**Ph:** 757-890-3320
**Fax:** 757-890-4000

On the southeastern coast of VA, on the west bank of the York River; original county; organized as Charles River Shire 1634; name changed 1642. **Name Origin:** Renamed York for Charles (1600-49), Duke of York, later King Charles I; this to avoid confusion of the original name, Charles River, with Charles City (County).

**Area (sq mi):** 214.65 (land 104.78; water 109.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 624.8.

**Pop 2010:** 65,464. **State rank:** 835. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.0%; 2000-2005 +9.7%. **Pop 2005:** 61,758 (White 76.4%; Black or African American 13.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.4%; Asian 4.9%; Others 4.4%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,823; median household $81,055; **Pop below poverty level:** 3.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,184 - $45,334 (BEA data includes York County & Poquoson).

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 76.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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Olympia, WA 98504 **Fax:** 360-753-4110
www.access.wa.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 71,299.64 (land 66,544.06; water 4,755.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.2.

**Pop 2010:** 6,724,540. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +6.7%. **Pop 2005:** 6,287,759 (White 77.3%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.2%; Asian 7.2%; Others 11.2%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $43,564; median household $57,244; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.10%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,192 - $42,589.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.2%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
210 W Broadway **Ph:** 509-659-3240
Ritzville, WA 99169 **Fax:** 509-659-0118
www.co.adams.wa.us

In southeast WA, southwest of Spokane; organized Nov 28, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Whitman County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,929.71 (land 1,924.98; water 4.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.7.

**Pop 2010:** 18,728. **State rank:** 1926. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,803 (White 62.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 59.3%; Asian 0.7%; Others 59.3%, including 1.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 24.2%. **Median age:** 29.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,689; median household $40,829; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,828 - $29,970.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ASOTIN COUNTY**
135 2nd St **Ph:** 509-243-2081
Asotin, WA 99402 **Fax:** 509-243-4978
www.co.asotin.wa.us

On the southeastern border of WA; organized Oct 27, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Garfield County. **Name Origin:** For Asotin Creek, which runs through the county; Nez Perce word meaning 'eel creek.'

**Area (sq mi):** 641.55 (land 636.21; water 5.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.

**Pop 2010:** 21,623. **State rank:** 1742. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 21,178 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.0%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,731; median household $41,665; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,780 - $34,918.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BENTON COUNTY**
7122 W Okanogan Pl **Ph:** 509-735-8388
Kennewick, WA 99336 **Fax:** 509-786-5624
www.co.benton.wa.us

On the south-central border of WA; organized Mar 8, 1905 from Yakima and Klickitat counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Hart Benton (1782-1858), U.S. journalist and statesman; nicknamed Old Bullion for championing the use of gold and silver currency rather than paper money.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,757.41 (land 1,700.38; water 57.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 103.

**Pop 2010:** 175,177. **State rank:** 361. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.9%; 2000-2005 +10.9%. **Pop 2005:** 157,950 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 18.7%; Asian 2.7%; Others 18.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.2%. **Median age:** 35.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,161; median household $57,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,564 - $39,006.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kennewick 🏛 (73,917); Richland (48,058); West Richland (11,811).

**CHELAN COUNTY**
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Wenatchee, WA 98801 **Fax:** 509-667-6611
www.co.chelan.wa.us

In north-central WA, east of Seattle; organized Mar 13, 1899 from Kittitas and Okanogan counties. **Name Origin:** For Chelan Lake; from a Salish Indian tribal name, *tsill-anne*, said to mean 'deep water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,992.78 (land 2,920.53; water 72.25). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.8.

**Pop 2010:** 72,453. **State rank:** 737. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 69,791 (White 79.3%; Black or African

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## Chelan County (cont'd)

American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 25.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 25.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 39.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,378; median household $48,674; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,217 - $36,652.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wenatchee (31,925).

### CLALLAM COUNTY

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Port Angeles, WA 98362
www.clallam.net

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**Fax:** 360-417-2403

On the northwest coast of WA, bordered on the north by the Strait of Juan de Fuca; organized as Clalm County Apr 26,1854 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson County; spelling changed soon after. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe; name means strong people.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,669.22 (land 1,738.33; water 930.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.1.

**Pop 2010:** 71,404. **State rank:** 744. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 69,689 (White 87.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 5.1%; Asian 1.4%; Others 5.1%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,449; median household $44,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,378 - $36,463.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Port Angeles (19,038).

### CLARK COUNTY

1013 Franklin St PO Box 5000
Vancouver, WA 98666
www.co.clark.wa.us

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**Fax:** 360-397-2230

On the southwestern border of WA, north of Portland, OR; original county. Organized as Vancouver County Dec 21, 1845 (prior to statehood); name changed Sep 3, 1849. **Name Origin:** For William Clark (1770-1838), explorer and co-leader of the Lewis and Clark expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 656.99 (land 629; water 27.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 676.2.

**Pop 2010:** 425,363. **State rank:** 152. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.3%; 2000-2005 +17.0%. **Pop 2005:** 403,766 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 4.1%; Others 7.6%, including 0.6% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.1%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,828; median household $58,262; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,038 - $36,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +8.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 45 for cities).

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

341 E Main St
Dayton, WA 99328
www.columbiaco.com

**Ph:** 509-382-4542
**Fax:** 509-382-2490

On the southeastern border of WA; organized Nov 11, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Walla Walla County. **Name Origin:** For the Columbia River.

**Area (sq mi):** 873.34 (land 868.63; water 4.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.7.

**Pop 2010:** 4,078. **State rank:** 2892. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 4,129 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 0.6%; Others 6.2%, including 1.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,810; median household $43,611; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,433 - $37,296.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COWLITZ COUNTY

207 4th Ave N
Kelso, WA 98626
www.co.cowlitz.wa.us

**Ph:** 360-577-3016
**Fax:** 360-577-2323

In southwestern WA, north of Portland, OR; organized Apr 21, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Lewis County. **Name Origin:** For the Cowlitz River, which flows through the county; from an Indian tribal name; meaning uncertain but possibly 'river of shifting sand.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,167.82 (land 1,140.13; water 27.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 89.8.

**Pop 2010:** 102,410. **State rank:** 563. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +4.7%. **Pop 2005:** 97,325 (White 88.9%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 1.5%; Others 7.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,948; median household $45,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,649 - $32,249.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Longview (36,648); Kelso (11,925).

### DOUGLAS COUNTY

203 Ranier St
Waterville, WA 98858
www.douglascountywa.net

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**Fax:** 509-745-9045

In east-central WA, west of Spokane; organized Nov 28, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Lincoln County, just four days after Lincoln Co. was formed. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,847.43 (land 1,819.26; water 28.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.1.

**Pop 2010:** 38,431. **State rank:** 1225. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.9%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 34,977 (White 79.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 28.7%; Asian 0.7%; Others 28.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 15.7%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Douglas County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,359; median household $48,708; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,367 - $29,895.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 57.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** East Wenatchee (13,190).

### FERRY COUNTY

290 E Tessie Ave
Republic, WA 99166
www.ferry-county.com

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**Fax:** 509-775-5230

On northeastern border of WA, northwest of Spokane; organized as Eureka County Jan 12, 1899 from Stevens County; name changed Feb 16, 1899. Northern half is part of Colville National Forest; southern half comprises the Colville Indian Reservation. **Name Origin:** For Elisha Peyre Ferry (1825-95), first governor of WA (1889-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,256.64 (land 2,203.16; water 53.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.4.

**Pop 2010:** 7,551. **State rank:** 2622. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 7,542 (White 76.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,021; median household $35,485; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,226 - $26,225.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.4%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### FRANKLIN COUNTY

1016 N 4th Ave
Pasco, WA 99301
www.co.franklin.wa.us

**Ph:** 509-545-3506
**Fax:** 509-546-5840

In southeastern WA; organized Nov 28, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Whitman County. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), U.S. patriot, diplomat, and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,265.12 (land 1,242.17; water 22.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.9.

**Pop 2010:** 78,163. **State rank:** 699. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +24.0%; 2000-2005 +27.7%. **Pop 2005:** 63,011 (White 60.5%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 51.2%; Asian 1.8%; Others 51.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 26.6%. **Median age:** 28.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,660; median household $47,749; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,453 - $27,902.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 41.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pasco 🏛 (59,781); Five Corners (18,159).

### GARFIELD COUNTY

789 Main St
Pomeroy, WA 99347
www.palouse.org/garfield.htm

**Ph:** 509-843-3731
**Fax:** 509-843-1224

In southeastern WA; organized Nov 29, 1881 (prior to statehood) from Columbia County. **Name Origin:** For James Abram Garfiesld (1831-81), twentieth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 718.33 (land 710.69; water 7.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.2.

**Pop 2010:** 2,266. **State rank:** 3037. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.3%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 2,344 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.0%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 1.7%; Others 4.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,825; median household $42,269; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,372 - $36,791.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### GRANT COUNTY

35 C St NW PO Box 37
Ephrata, WA 98823
www.co.grant.wa.us

**Ph:** 509-754-2011
**Fax:** 509-754-2160

In east-central WA; organized Feb 24, 1909 from Douglas County. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,789.74 (land 2,679.51; water 110.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.3.

**Pop 2010:** 89,120. **State rank:** 638. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +8.7%. **Pop 2005:** 81,229 (White 72.8%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 38.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 38.3%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 17.0%. **Median age:** 32.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,718; median household $42,572; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,439 - $30,148.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Moses Lake (20,366).

### GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY

102 W Broadway St, Rm 203
Montesano, WA 98563
www.co.grays-harbor.wa.us

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**Fax:** 360-249-6381

On the west-central coast of WA, E of Olympia; organized as Chehalis County Apr 14, 1854 (prior to statehood); name changed Mar 15, 1915. **Name Origin:** For Robert Gray (1755-1806), an American who discovered Grays Harbor and named it *Bulfinch* for an owner of his ship. Formerly called *Puerto Grek* by Spanish explorer Martinez y Zayas and *Whidbey* or *Whitbey Harbor* by British explorer David Douglas.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,209.58 (land 1,902.03; water 307.55). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.3.

**Pop 2010:** 72,797. **State rank:** 740. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 70,900 (White 84.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.6%; Asian 1.4%; Others 8.6%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign**

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## Grays Harbor County (cont'd)

**born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,656; median household $41,899; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,679 - $29,011.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Aberdeen (16,896).

### ISLAND COUNTY

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Coupeville, WA 98239
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In northwestern WA, bounded on the north by Deception Pass, on the east by Skagit Bay, on the south by Admiralty Inlet, and on the west by the Strait of Juan de Fuca. Organized Jan 6, 1853 (prior to statehood) from either King County or Thurston County. **Name Origin:** So named because the county is wholly composed of islands.

**Area (sq mi):** 517.40 (land 208.45; water 308.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 376.6.

**Pop 2010:** 78,506. **State rank:** 674. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +10.8%. **Pop 2005:** 79,252 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 4.4%; Others 5.5%, including 0.5% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.9%. **Median age:** 43.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,079; median household $57,190; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,841 - $38,456.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oak Harbor (22,075).

### JEFFERSON COUNTY

1820 Jefferson St PO Box 1220
Port Townsend, WA 98368
www.co.jefferson.wa.us

**Ph:** 360-385-9100
**Fax:** 360-385-9382

On the northwestern coast of WA, E of Seattle; original county; organized Dec 23, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,172.99 (land 1,803.70; water 369.29). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.6.

**Pop 2010:** 29,872. **State rank:** 1430. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.2%; 2000-2005 +10.5%. **Pop 2005:** 28,666 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 1.6%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 53.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,528; median household $46,048; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,854 - $43,065.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### KING COUNTY

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Seattle, WA 98104
www.kingcounty.gov

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**Fax:** 206-296-0194

In west-central WA, bounded on west by Puget Sound; organized Dec 22, 1852 (prior to statehood) from Thurston County. **Name Origin:** For William Rufus King (1786-1853), U.S. senator from AL (1819-44; 1848-52) and vice president for six weeks before his death. In 1986 it was decided the name would honor Martin Luther King, Jr. (1929-68), slain civil rights leader.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,296.05 (land 2,115.57; water 180.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 912.9.

**Pop 2010:** 1,931,249. **State rank:** 14. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 1,793,583 (White 68.7%; Black or African American 6.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 14.6%; Others 8.9%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 19.8%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,211; median household $68,065; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $57,735 - $55,136.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 34 (see page 46 for cities).

### KITSAP COUNTY

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Port Orchard, WA 98366
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**Fax:** 360-337-4632

A peninsula in western WA, bounded on east by Puget Sound, west of Seattle. Organized as Slaughter County Jan 16, 1857 (prior to statehood) from Jefferson and King counties; name changed Jul 13, 1857. **Name Origin:** For an Indian chief, whose name means 'brave,' said to have saved area settlers by warning them of a planned massacre. Originally named for Lt. W.A. Slaughter (?-1855).

**Area (sq mi):** 564.95 (land 394.94; water 170.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 635.9.

**Pop 2010:** 251,133. **State rank:** 265. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 +3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 240,661 (White 82.6%; Black or African American 2.6%; Hispanic or Latino 6.2%; Asian 4.9%; Others 6.2%, including 0.9% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,755; median household $59,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,123 - $42,300.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bremerton (37,729); Bainbridge Island (23,025); Silverdale (19,204); Port Orchard (11,144).

### KITTITAS COUNTY

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Ellensburg, WA 98926
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**Fax:** 509-962-7679

In central WA, southeast of Tacoma; organized Nov 2, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Yakima County. **Name Origin:** Probably from a subtribal name of the Yakima Indians. Meaning uncertain, with 'shoal people' most appropriate, but 'land of bread' has also been suggested, as has 'gray gravel bank,' said to refer to a gravel bank on a river shoal.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Kittitas County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 2,333.20 (land 2,297.27; water 35.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.8.

**Pop 2010:** 40,915. **State rank:** 1177. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.1%; 2000-2005 +10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 36,841 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 2.0%; Others 7.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,467; median household $41,232; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,348 - $32,084.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Ellensburg 🏛 (18,174).

### KLICKITAT COUNTY

205 S Columbus Ave, Rm 204 MS CH3 **Ph:** 509-773-5744
Goldendale, WA 98620 **Fax:** 509-773-4559
www.klickitatcounty.org

On central southern border of WA; original county; organized Dec 20, 1859 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For an Indian nation that lived in the area; name possibly means beyond or those who live beyond the mountain, or even thief.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,903.11 (land 1,871.31; water 31.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.9.

**Pop 2010:** 20,318. **State rank:** 1790. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 19,839 (White 87.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 10.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 10.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.6%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,553; median household $37,398; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,607 - $37,482.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LEWIS COUNTY

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Chehalis, WA 98532 **Fax:** 360-748-1639
lewiscountywa.gov

In southwestern WA, south of Tacoma; original county; organized Dec 21, 1845 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Meriwether Lewis (1774-1809), co-leader of the Lewis and Clark expedition (1804-06).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,431.43 (land 2,402.80; water 28.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.4.

**Pop 2010:** 75,455. **State rank:** 721. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +5.6%. **Pop 2005:** 72,449 (White 89.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 8.7%; Asian 0.9%; Others 8.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,695; median household $43,874; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,656 - $30,763.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Centralia (16,336).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

450 Logan St PO Box 396 **Ph:** 509-725-3081
Davenport, WA 99122 **Fax:** 509-725-1150
www.co.lincoln.wa.us

In eastern WA, W of Spokane; organized Nov 24, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Spokane County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,339 (land 2,310.49; water 28.51). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.6.

**Pop 2010:** 10,570. **State rank:** 2409. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,381 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.3%, including 1.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 47.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,757; median household $45,582; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,639 - $34,179.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MASON COUNTY

PO Box 340 **Ph:** 360-427-9670
Shelton, WA 98584
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In western WA, bordered on east by Puget Sound, west of Tacoma; organized as Sawamish County Mar 13, 1854 from Thurston County; name changed Jan 8, 1864. **Name Origin:** For Charles H. Mason (?-1859), secretary and sometimes acting governor of WA Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,049.39 (land 959.42; water 89.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.3.

**Pop 2010:** 60,699. **State rank:** 870. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.7%; 2000-2005 +10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 54,359 (White 86.1%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 1.2%; Others 8.0%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.3%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,530; median household $48,104; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,237 - $29,990.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OKANOGAN COUNTY

149 N 3rd St **Ph:** 509-422-7275
Okanogan, WA 98840 **Fax:** 509-422-7277
www.okanogancounty.org

On the central northern border of WA; organized Feb 2, 1888 (prior to statehood) from Stevens County. **Name Origin:** For the Okanogan River, which traverses the county. From a Salish Indian name possibly meaning 'meeting place [of water]' for the confluence of the Okanogan and Columbia rivers, or 'rendezvous' because they met here for their potlaches.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,315.07 (land 5,267.98; water 47.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 41,120. **State rank:** 1162. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%;

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## Okanogan County (cont'd)

2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 39,782 (White 73.9%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 17.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 17.6%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.1%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,093; median household $38,551; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,548 - $34,016.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PACIFIC COUNTY**
300 Memorial Dr PO Box 67
South Bend, WA 98586
www.co.pacific.wa.us
**Ph:** 360-875-9320
**Fax:** 360-875-9321

On the southwestern coast of WA; original county; organized Feb 4, 1851 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For the Pacific Ocean, which forms the county's western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,223.18 (land 932.66; water 290.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.4.

**Pop 2010:** 20,920. **State rank:** 1747. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 +2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 21,579 (White 87.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 8.0%; Asian 2.0%; Others 8.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.5%. **Median age:** 50.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,326; median household $39,642; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,206 - $32,295.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.8%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PEND OREILLE COUNTY**
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Newport, WA 99156
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**Fax:** 509-447-2734

On northeastern border of WA; organized Mar 1, 1911 from Stevens County. **Name Origin:** For the Pend Oreille River, which runs through the county, or for the name given to the Kalispel Indians by French-Canadian traders; from the French meaning 'pendant ears' because the Indians wore ear ornaments that probably lengthened their lobes.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,425.04 (land 1,399.99; water 25.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,001. **State rank:** 2236. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.6%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 12,673 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.4%. **Median age:** 47.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,546; median household $38,896; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,294 - $29,426.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.7%. **Change from 2007:** +6.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PIERCE COUNTY**
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Tacoma, WA 98402
www.co.pierce.wa.us
**Ph:** 253-798-7455
**Fax:** 253-798-3428

In west-central WA at the southestern end of Puget Sound; original county; organized Dec 22, 1852 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Franklin Pierce (1804-69), fourteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,797.09 (land 1,669.51; water 127.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 476.3.

**Pop 2010:** 795,225. **State rank:** 68. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +7.6%. **Pop 2005:** 753,787 (White 74.2%; Black or African American 6.8%; Hispanic or Latino 9.2%; Asian 6.0%; Others 9.2%, including 1.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.4%. **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,446; median household $57,869; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,049 - $40,500.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 46 for cities).

**SAN JUAN COUNTY**
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Friday Harbor, WA 98250
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**Fax:** 360-370-5085

Islands in northwestern WA, bounded on west and northwest by Haro Strait, on north and northeast by Georgia Strait, and on south by Juan de Fuca Strait. Organized Oct 31, 1873 (prior to statehood) from Whatcom County. **Name Origin:** For Saint John the Baptist, cousin and baptizer of Jesus. Some sources suggest the county may have been named for San Juan Island, for Juan Francisco de Eliza, governor of the Spanish settlement at Nootka Sound in the late 18th century, or for Juan de Fuca, supposedly a Greek navigator in Spanish service.

**Area (sq mi):** 620.07 (land 173.92; water 446.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 90.7.

**Pop 2010:** 15,769. **State rank:** 2067. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +8.5%. **Pop 2005:** 15,274 (White 92.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 1.1%; Others 5.4%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 52.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $35,487; median household $50,726; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $56,148 - $54,833.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SKAGIT COUNTY**
205 W Kincaid St Rm 103
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
www.skagitcounty.net
**Ph:** 360-336-9440

In northwestern WA, bordered on west by upper Puget Sound, north of Seattle. Organized Nov 28, 1883 (prior to statehood) from Whatcom County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe; meaning of name is unknown.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,916.53 (land 1,731.20; water 185.33). **Pop per sq mi:** 67.5.

**Pop 2010:** 116,901. **State rank:** 497. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 113,171 (White 83.4%; Black or African

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Skagit County (cont'd)

American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 16.9%; Asian 1.8%; Others 16.9%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.6%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,925; median household $54,811; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $38,390 - $37,904.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mount Vernon 🏛 (31,743); Anacortes (15,778); Sedro-Woolley (10,540).

### SKAMANIA COUNTY

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Stevenson, WA 98648
www.skamaniacounty.org

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**Fax:** 509-427-3777

On the southern border of WA, northeast of Portland, OR; organized Mar 9, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Clark County. **Name Origin:** From the Indian name for parts of the Columbia River, which forms the county's southern border. The usual interpretation is 'swift water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,683.10 (land 1,655.68; water 27.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,066. **State rank:** 2359. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +8.0%. **Pop 2005:** 10,664 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 5.0%; Asian 0.9%; Others 5.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,140; median household $48,704; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,550 - $35,059.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SNOHOMISH COUNTY

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Everett, WA 98201
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In northwestern WA, bordered on west by Puget Sound, northeast of Seattle. Organized Jan 14, 1861 (prior to statehood) from Island County. **Name Origin:** For the Snohomish Indians; name is believed to mean 'tidewater people' or 'union.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,194.62 (land 2,087.27; water 107.35). **Pop per sq mi:** 341.8.

**Pop 2010:** 713,335. **State rank:** 87. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +8.2%. **Pop 2005:** 655,944 (White 78.4%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 9.0%; Asian 8.9%; Others 9.0%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 13.6%. **Median age:** 37.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,635; median household $66,300; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,415 - $42,391.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 14 (see page 46 for cities).

### SPOKANE COUNTY

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**Fax:** 509-477-2251

On central eastern border of WA; organized Jan 29, 1864 (prior to statehood) from Stevens County (an earlier Spokane County was merged with Stevens County in 1863). It is the only WA county with township governments in each township. **Name Origin:** For the Spokane Indians, or for the city or river also named for the tribe. The meaning of the name is uncertain; possibly 'sun people' or 'children of the sun', or the name may be from Chief Illum Spokane, whose village was at the base of what became known as Spokane Falls.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,780.88 (land 1,763.79; water 17.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 267.2.

**Pop 2010:** 471,221. **State rank:** 141. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.9%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 440,706 (White 89.2%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.5%; Asian 2.1%; Others 4.5%, including 0.4% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.0%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,127; median household $47,250; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,607 - $35,498.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Spokane 🏛 (208,916); Spokane Valley (89,755); Fairwood (19,102); Cheney (10,590).

### STEVENS COUNTY

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Colville, WA 99114
www.co.stevens.wa.us

**Ph:** 509-684-3751
**Fax:** 509-684-8310

On the northeastern border of WA, northwest of Spokane; original county. Organized 1854 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Isaac Ingalls Stevens (1818-62), an officer in the Mexican-American War and the Civil War; first governor of WA Territory (1853-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,540.11 (land 2,477.77; water 62.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.6.

**Pop 2010:** 43,531. **State rank:** 1103. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 42,013 (White 89.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,773; median household $42,845; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,871 - $27,894.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### THURSTON COUNTY

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Olympia, WA 98502
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**Fax:** 360-753-4033

In west-central WA at the southern end of Puget Sound, southwest of Tacoma; organized Jan 12, 1852 (prior to statehood) from Lewis County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Royal Thurston (1816-54), first delegate to Congress from the Oregon territory (1849-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 768.58 (land 721.96; water 46.62). **Pop per sq mi:** 349.4.

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## Thurston County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 252,264. **State rank:** 254. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.2%; 2000-2005 +10.4%. **Pop 2005:** 228,867 (White 82.4%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 7.1%; Asian 5.2%; Others 7.1%, including 0.8% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 7.1%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,707; median household $60,930; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,003 - $40,736.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Olympia (46,478); Lacey (42,393); Five Corners (18,159); Tumwater (17,371).

### WAHKIAKUM COUNTY

64 Main St PO Box 116
Cathlamet, WA 98612
www.co.wahkiakum.wa.us

**Ph:** 360-795-3558
**Fax:** 360-795-8813

On the southwestern border of WA at the mouth of the Columbia River; organized Apr 25, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Lewis County. **Name Origin:** For a Chinook tribe and chief, Wakiacum, a name believed to mean 'tall trees' or 'big timber.' The spelling was probably changed to reflect the Indian pronunciation.

**Area (sq mi):** 285.83 (land 263.38; water 22.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.1.

**Pop 2010:** 3,978. **State rank:** 2891. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.4%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 3,849 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 2.7%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 52.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,115; median household $40,372; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,485 - $31,749.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.8%. **Change from 2007:** +7.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 32 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WALLA WALLA COUNTY

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**Fax:** 509-524-2576

On the southeastern border of WA; original county; organized Apr 25, 1854 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** Apparently for a small tribe, closely related to the Nez Perce, which took its name from the Walla Walla River, 'place of many waters,' referring to the many tributaries, springs, and streams in the area. Lewis and Clark recorded the name as *Wollah Wollah*.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,298.87 (land 1,270.13; water 28.74). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Pop 2010:** 58,781. **State rank:** 858. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.1%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 57,558 (White 84.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 19.7%; Asian 1.3%; Others 19.7%, including 0.3% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 11.0%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,027; median household $45,575; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,525 - $35,188.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Walla Walla (31,731).

### WHATCOM COUNTY

311 Grand Ave Rm 301
Bellingham, WA 98225
www.co.whatcom.wa.us

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**Fax:** 360-676-6693

On the northwestern border of WA, bordered on west by Georgia Strait; organized Mar 9, 1854 (prior to statehood) from Island County. **Name Origin:** From the Lummi Indian word *what-coom* or *whuks-qua-koos-ta-qua*, said to mean 'noisy, rumbling water,' referring to Whatcom Falls on Bellingham Bay.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,490.88 (land 2,106.86; water 384.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 95.5.

**Pop 2010:** 201,140. **State rank:** 305. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.6%; 2000-2005 +10.0%. **Pop 2005:** 183,471 (White 85.4%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 3.5%; Others 7.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 10.8%. **Median age:** 36.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,407; median household $49,031; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,454 - $36,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Bellingham (80,885); Lynden (11,951); Ferndale (11,415).

### WHITMAN COUNTY

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Colfax, WA 99111
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**Fax:** 509-397-3546

On the southeastern border of WA, S of Spokane; organized Nov 29, 1871 (prior to statehood) from Stevens County. **Name Origin:** For Dr. Marcus Whitman (1802-47), massacred leader of a missionary colony.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,177.32 (land 2,159.09; water 18.23). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.7.

**Pop 2010:** 44,776. **State rank:** 1098. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 40,170 (White 84.6%; Black or African American 1.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.6%; Asian 7.8%; Others 4.6%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 9.5%. **Median age:** 24.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,506; median household $36,368; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,233 - $29,997.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Pullman (29,799).

### YAKIMA COUNTY

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In south-central WA; organized Jan 1, 1865 (prior to statehood) from Indian Territory. **Name Origin:** For a tribe of Shahaptian Indians; name is believed to mean either runaway, for a chief's errant daughter, or possibly black bear.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,310.78 (land 4,295.40; water 15.38). **Pop per sq mi:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Yakima County (cont'd)

56.6.

**Pop 2010:** 243,231. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.0%; 2000-2005 +4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 231,586 (White 63.7%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 45.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 45.0%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 18.0%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,325; median household $42,877; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,538 - $32,122.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Yakima 🏛 (91,067); Sunnyside (15,858); Grandview (10,862).

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# West Virginia

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**Area (sq mi):** 24,229.76 (land 24,077.73; water 152.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 77.1.

**Pop 2010:** 1,852,994. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.0%; 2000-2005 +.5%. **Pop 2005:** 1,816,856 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 3.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.2%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 40.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,641; median household $38,380; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.40%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,497 - $32,042.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

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**BARBOUR COUNTY**
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In northern WV, southeast of Clarksburg; organized Mar 3, 1843 from Harrison, Lewis, and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Philip Pendleton Barbour (1783-1841), U.S. representative from VA (1814-25; 1827-30) and associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1836-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 343.02 (land 341.06; water 1.96). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,589. **State rank:** 2051. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.7%; 2000-2005 +.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,689 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,304; median household $31,212; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,944 - $25,229.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.2%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BERKELEY COUNTY**
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In eastern panhandle of WV, southwest of Hagerstown, MD; organized Feb 10, 1772 (prior to statehood) from Frederick County (in VA). **Name Origin:** For Norborne Berkeley (1718-70), Lord Botetcourt, member of the British Parliament and colonial governor of VA (1768-70) who favored the colonists.

**Area (sq mi):** 321.58 (land 321.14; water 0.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 324.4.

**Pop 2010:** 104,169. **State rank:** 555. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.5%; 2000-2005 +23.0%. **Pop 2005:** 93,394 (White 87.8%; Black or African American 7.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 3.8%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.3%. **Median age:** 37.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,460; median household $52,857; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,286 - $30,644.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 30 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Martinsburg 🏛 (17,227).

**BOONE COUNTY**
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In southwestern WV, south of Charleston; organized Mar 11, 1847 from Kanawha, Cabell, and Logan counties. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Boone (1734?-1820), U.S. frontiersman and KY pioneer, onetime resident of the nearby Kanawha Valley.

**Area (sq mi):** 501.74 (land 501.54; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,629. **State rank:** 1602. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +.7%. **Pop 2005:** 25,703 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,457; median household $39,783; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,307 - $27,354.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 29.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BRAXTON COUNTY**
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In central WV, northeast of Charleston; organized Jan 15, 1836 from Kanawha, Lewis, Nicholas, and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Carter Braxton (1736-97), VA House of Burgesses (1767-71; 1775), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, and a member of the council of state (1786-91; 1794-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 513.50 (land 510.81; water 2.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.4.

## Braxton County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 14,523. **State rank:** 2129. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.2%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 14,851 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,469; median household $32,158; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,963 - $25,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BROOKE COUNTY

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In northern panhandle of WV, east of Steubenville, OH; organized Nov 30, 1796 from Ohio County. **Name Origin:** For Robert Brooke (1751-99), governor of VA (1794-96) and attorney general (1798).

**Area (sq mi):** 92.62 (land 89.21; water 3.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 269.8.

**Pop 2010:** 24,069. **State rank:** 1645. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.8%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 24,515 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,377; median household $39,475; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,408 - $29,619.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.1%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CABELL COUNTY

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On western border of WV along the Ohio River, west of Charleston; organized Jan 2, 1809 from Kanawha County. **Name Origin:** For William H. Cabell (1772-1853), governor of VA (1805-08) and judge of various courts (1808; 1811; 1830).

**Area (sq mi):** 287.45 (land 281.02; water 6.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 342.8.

**Pop 2010:** 96,319. **State rank:** 600. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 -2.8%. **Pop 2005:** 94,031 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 1.0%; Others 1.1%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 38.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,907; median household $34,492; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,329 - $33,496.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Huntington (49,138).

### CALHOUN COUNTY

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In central WV, southeast of Parkersburg; organized Mar 5, 1856 from Gilmer County. **Name Origin:** For John Caldwell Calhoun (1782-1850), U.S. statesman and champion of Southern causes.

**Area (sq mi):** 279.27 (land 279.25; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,627. **State rank:** 2656. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 7,387 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 45.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,121; median household $26,922; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,693 - $21,693.

**Unemployment 2010:** 14.6%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 39.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CLAY COUNTY

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In central WV, east of Charleston; organized Mar 29, 1858 from Braxton and Nicholas counties. **Name Origin:** For Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator from KY, known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 343.32 (land 341.90; water 1.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 27.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,386. **State rank:** 2430. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -9.4%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 10,356 (White 98.8%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian Z%; Others 0.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,205; median household $30,789; **Pop below poverty level:** 23.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,333 - $22,479.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15%. **Change from 2007:** +8.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 52.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DODDRIDGE COUNTY

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In northern WV, west of Clarksburg; organized Feb 4, 1845 from Harrison, Tyler, Ritchie, and Lewis counties. **Name Origin:** For Philip Doddridge (1773-1832), VA house of delegates (1815-16; 1822-23; 1828-29) and U.S. representative (1829-32).

**Area (sq mi):** 319.77 (land 319.72; water 0.05). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,202. **State rank:** 2649. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.7%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 7,476 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,658; median household $30,019; **Pop below poverty level:** 25.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Doddridge County (cont'd)

$18,802 - $19,596.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 37.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 68.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FAYETTE COUNTY**
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In south-central WV, north of Beckley; organized Feb 28, 1831 from Kanawha, Greenbrier, Nicholas, and Logan counties. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 665.98 (land 661.55; water 4.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 69.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,039. **State rank:** 1025. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.7%; 2000-2005 -1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 46,823 (White 93.5%; Black or African American 4.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,082; median household $31,912; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,360 - $27,852.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 42.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GILMER COUNTY**
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In central WV, southwest of Clarksburg; organized Feb 3, 1845 from Lewis and Kanawha counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Walker Gilmer (1802-44), VA legislator, governor (1840-41), U.S. representative (1841-44), and U.S. secretary of the Navy (1844).

**Area (sq mi):** 338.52 (land 338.50; water 0.02). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.7.

**Pop 2010:** 8,693. **State rank:** 2684. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +25.1%; 2000-2005 -2.9%. **Pop 2005:** 6,950 (White 82.5%; Black or African American 12.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $13,899; median household $29,706; **Pop below poverty level:** 30.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $20,600 - $21,401.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT COUNTY**
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In eastern panhandle of WV, southwest of Cumberland, MD; organized Feb 14, 1866 from Hardy County. **Name Origin:** For Ulysses Simpson Grant (1822-85), Civil War general and eighteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 480.36 (land 477.37; water 2.99). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.

**Pop 2010:** 11,937. **State rank:** 2299. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 11,673 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 44.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,358; median household $35,593; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,200 - $28,956.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.4%. **Change from 2007:** +7.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GREENBRIER COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of WV, northeast of Beckley; organized Oct 20, 1778 from Montgomery and Botetcourt counties (in VA). **Name Origin:** For the principal river of the county, whose name refers to the thorny vine *Smilax rotundifolia* found abundantly on its banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,022.74 (land 1,019.57; water 3.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.8.

**Pop 2010:** 35,480. **State rank:** 1300. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.3%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 35,027 (White 94.6%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,044; median household $33,732; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,581 - $30,974.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 24 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In eastern panhandle of WV, southeast of Cumberland, MD. Oldest county of what is now WV; organized Feb 27, 1754 from Frederick and Augusta counties (in VA). **Name Origin:** For the county in England.

**Area (sq mi):** 643.15 (land 640.25; water 2.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.4.

**Pop 2010:** 23,964. **State rank:** 1687. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.8%; 2000-2005 +9.0%. **Pop 2005:** 22,025 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,752; median household $31,792; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,588 - $23,422.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 35.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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In northern panhandle of WV, northeast of Steubenville, OH; organized Jan 15, 1848 from Brooke County. **Name Origin:** For John Hancock (1737-93), noted signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of MA (1780-85; 1787-93), and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 88.14 (land 82.61; water 5.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 371.3.

**Pop 2010:** 30,676. **State rank:** 1428. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 -4.0%. **Pop 2005:** 31,350 (White 95.7%; Black or African American 2.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 45.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,118; median household $38,565; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,614 - $29,843.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Weirton (19,746).

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In eastern panhandle of WV, south of Cumberland, MD; organized Oct 17, 1786 from Hampshire County. **Name Origin:** For Samuel Hardy (1758-85), member of VA house of delegates (1780) and a member of the Continental Congress (1783-85).

**Area (sq mi):** 583.40 (land 582.31; water 1.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.1.

**Pop 2010:** 14,025. **State rank:** 2187. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.6%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 13,287 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.4%; Asian 1.0%; Others 3.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,944; median household $31,347; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,004 - $25,222.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HARRISON COUNTY**
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In northern WV, southwest of Fairmont; organized May 3, 1784 from Monongalia, Randolph, and Ohio counties. **Name Origin:** For Benjamin Harrison (1726-91), a signer of the Declaration of Independence, governor of VA (1782-84), and father of President William Harrison (1773-1841).

**Area (sq mi):** 416.57 (land 416.01; water 0.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 166.1.

**Pop 2010:** 69,099. **State rank:** 763. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 68,369 (White 96.0%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,010; median household $39,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,938 - $37,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Clarksburg (16,578).

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On western border of WV along the Ohio River, south of Parkersburg; organized May 1, 1831 from Kanawha, Mason, and Wood counties. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 470.15 (land 464.35; water 5.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 62.9.

**Pop 2010:** 29,211. **State rank:** 1479. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,403 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,633; median household $41,406; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,415 - $26,317.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.5%. **Change from 2007:** +8%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
PO Box 208
Charles Town, WV 25414
www.jeffersoncountywv.org
**Ph:** 304-728-3215
**Fax:** 304-728-1957

In eastern panhandle of WV, south of Hagerstown, MD; organized Jan 8, 1801 from Berkeley County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 211.67 (land 209.64; water 2.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 255.2.

**Pop 2010:** 53,498. **State rank:** 927. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 +16.6%. **Pop 2005:** 49,206 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.7%; Asian 1.2%; Others 4.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,733; median household $65,603; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,521 - $36,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 55.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KANAWHA COUNTY**
409 Virginia St E
Charleston, WV 25301
www.kanawha.us
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**Fax:** 304-357-0585

In west-central WV, east of Huntington; organized Nov 14, 1788 from Greenbrier County (WV) and Montgomery County (in VA). **Name Origin:** For the Kanawha River, which traverses it; named for an Indian tribe, possibly the Conoy of Algonquian linguistic stock.

**Area (sq mi):** 909.48 (land 901.59; water 7.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 214.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Kanawha County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 193,063. **State rank:** 323. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 193,559 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 7.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 1.0%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,439; median household $42,669; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,157 - $40,840.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Charleston 🏛 (51,400); South Charleston (13,450).

### LEWIS COUNTY

110 Center Ave PO Box 87 **Ph:** 304-269-8215
Weston, WV 26452 **Fax:** 304-269-8202
www.lewiscounty.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx

In north-central WV, south of Clarksburg; organized Dec 18, 1816 from Harrison and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Charles Lewis (1733-1774), a soldier killed during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 392.51 (land 384.90; water 7.61). **Pop per sq mi:** 42.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,372. **State rank:** 1941. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.8%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 17,199 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,240; median household $33,293; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,368 - $32,660.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

PO Box 497 **Ph:** 304-824-7990
Hamlin, WV 25523 **Fax:** 304-824-2444
www.co.lincoln.wv.us

In southwestern WV, southwest of Charleston; organized Feb 23, 1867 from Boone, Cabell, and Kanawha counties. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 438.20 (land 437.04; water 1.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.7.

**Pop 2010:** 21,720. **State rank:** 1715. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,374 (White 99.0%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 41.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $16,439; median household $30,868; **Pop below poverty level:** 26.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,690 - $24,146.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +6.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 36.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LOGAN COUNTY

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Logan, WV 25601 **Fax:** 304-792-8621
www.logancountychamberofcommerce.com

In southwestern WV, west of Beckley; organized Jan 12, 1824 from Cabell and Kanawha counties (WV), and Giles and Tazewell counties (in VA). **Name Origin:** For John Logan (1725-80), a Mingo Indian chief originally named *Tah-gah-jute*, who was educated by James Logan of PA.

**Area (sq mi):** 455.14 (land 453.74; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 81.

**Pop 2010:** 36,743. **State rank:** 1277. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 -3.9%. **Pop 2005:** 36,237 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,614; median household $35,465; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,080 - $31,172.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MARION COUNTY

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Fairmont, WV 26555-5126 **Fax:** 304-367-5448
www.marioncountywv.com

In northern WV, southwest of Morgantown; organized Jan 14, 1842 from Harrison and Monongalia counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Francis Marion (c.1732-95), SC soldier and legislator, known as The Swamp Fox for his tactics during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 310.54 (land 308.74; water 1.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 182.7.

**Pop 2010:** 56,418. **State rank:** 881. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 56,509 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 3.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,752; median household $38,115; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,707 - $34,663.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fairmont 🏛 (18,704).

### MARSHALL COUNTY

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Moundsville, WV 26041 **Fax:** 304-845-5891
www.marshallcountytourism.com

In northern panhandle of WV, southeast of Wheeling; organized Mar 12, 1835 from Ohio County. **Name Origin:** For John Marshall (1755-1835), American jurist and fourth Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court (1801-35).

**Area (sq mi):** 310.62 (land 305.43; water 5.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 108.4.

**Pop 2010:** 33,107. **State rank:** 1358. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.6%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 34,337 (White 98.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.3.

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## Marshall County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,064; median household $34,419; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,250 - $33,414.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 53.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MASON COUNTY**
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Point Pleasant, WV 25550
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On western border of WV along the Ohio River, northeast of Huntington; organized Jan 2, 1804 from Kanawha County. **Name Origin:** For George Mason (1725-92), VA statesman and author of the VA Declaration of Rights, a model for the American Bill of Rights.

**Area (sq mi):** 443.70 (land 430.75; water 12.95). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.4.

**Pop 2010:** 27,324. **State rank:** 1572. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 -.8%. **Pop 2005:** 25,761 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,609; median household $36,027; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,073 - $25,926.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MCDOWELL COUNTY**
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Welch, WV 24801
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**Fax:** 304-436-8576

On southern border of WV, southwest of Beckley; organized Feb 20, 1858 from Tazewell County (in VA). **Name Origin:** For James McDowell (1796-1851), member of the VA house of delegates (1830-35; 1838), governor (1842-46), and U.S. representative (1846-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 533.64 (land 533.46; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 41.5.

**Pop 2010:** 22,113. **State rank:** 1702. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -8.9%; 2000-2005 -11.2%. **Pop 2005:** 24,273 (White 89.1%; Black or African American 9.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 43.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $12,955; median household $22,154; **Pop below poverty level:** 32.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,010 - $25,614.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.9%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MERCER COUNTY**
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Princeton, WV 24740
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**Ph:** 304-487-8311
**Fax:** 304-487-9842

On southern border of WV, southeast of Beckley; organized Mar 17, 1837 from Giles and Tazewell counties (in VA). **Name Origin:** For Gen. Hugh Mercer (1721-77), Revolutionary War officer and physician.

**Area (sq mi):** 419.25 (land 418.99; water 0.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 148.6.

**Pop 2010:** 62,264. **State rank:** 829. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 61,589 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 6.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,431; median household $32,131; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,626 - $31,485.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MINERAL COUNTY**
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Keyser, WV 26726
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**Ph:** 304-788-3924
**Fax:** 304-788-4109

In eastern panhandle of WV, southwest of Cumberland, MD; organized Feb 1, 1866 from Hampshire County. **Name Origin:** For its mineral resources, particularly coal.

**Area (sq mi):** 329.23 (land 327.83; water 1.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,212. **State rank:** 1514. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.4%; 2000-2005 -.2%. **Pop 2005:** 27,028 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 2.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.7%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,805; median household $36,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,654 - $30,002.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MINGO COUNTY**
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Williamson, WV 25661
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On southwestern border of WV, southeast of Huntington; organized Jan 30, 1895 from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For the Indian tribe of Iroquoian linguistic stock. The name derives from Algonquian *Mingwe*, probably 'stealthy, treacherous.'

**Area (sq mi):** 424.14 (land 423.11; water 1.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.4.

**Pop 2010:** 26,839. **State rank:** 1535. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -3.7%. **Pop 2005:** 27,210 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,629; median household $32,902; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,230 - $29,253.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 37.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

**MONONGALIA COUNTY**
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Morgantown, WV 26505
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**Fax:** 304-291-7233

On northern border with PA, north of Fairmont; organized Oct 7, 1776 from District of West Augusta. **Name Origin:** Variant spelling for the Monongahela River, which traverses the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 364.79 (land 360.06; water 4.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 267.1.

**Pop 2010:** 96,189. **State rank:** 626. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.0%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 84,386 (White 91.0%; Black or African American 3.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 3.1%; Others 1.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.7%. **Median age:** 29.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,116; median household $39,167; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,745 - $35,924.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Morgantown 🏛 (29,660).

**MONROE COUNTY**
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Union, WV 24983
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**Fax:** 304-772-4191

On southeastern border of WV, southeast of Beckley; organized Jan 14, 1779 from Greenbrier County (WV) and Botetourt County (in VA). **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 473.05 (land 472.75; water 0.30). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,502. **State rank:** 2178. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 -7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 13,507 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,927; median household $39,574; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,374 - $25,467.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**MORGAN COUNTY**
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Berkeley Springs, WV 25411
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**Fax:** 304-258-8545

In eastern panhandle of WV, west of Hagerstown, MD; organized Feb 9, 1820 from Berkeley and Hampshire counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Daniel Morgan (1736-1802), an officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. representative from VA (1797-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 229.75 (land 229.07; water 0.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 76.6.

**Pop 2010:** 17,541. **State rank:** 2006. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.5%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 16,022 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 45.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,732; median household $37,281; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,067 - $30,829.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 60.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**NICHOLAS COUNTY**
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In central WV, east of Charleston; organized Jan 30, 1818 from Greenbrier, Kanawha, and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Wilson Cary Nicholas (1761-1820), U.S. senator from VA (1799-1804), U.S. representative (1807-09), and governor (1814-16).

**Area (sq mi):** 652.59 (land 646.82; water 5.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 40.6.

**Pop 2010:** 26,233. **State rank:** 1543. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,464 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 43.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,359; median household $38,457; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,408 - $30,452.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**OHIO COUNTY**
1500 Chapline St, Rm 205
Wheeling, WV 26003
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**Ph:** 304-234-3656
**Fax:** 304-234-3829

In northern panhandle of WV, southeast of Steubenville, OH; organized Oct 7, 1776 from Augusta County. **Name Origin:** For the Ohio River, which forms its western border.

**Area (sq mi):** 108.50 (land 105.82; water 2.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 420.

**Pop 2010:** 44,443. **State rank:** 1070. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 45,112 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 3.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.8%; Others 0.8%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,950; median household $39,669; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,890 - $37,431.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wheeling 🏛 (28,486).

**PENDLETON COUNTY**
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Franklin, WV 26807
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**Ph:** 304-358-2505
**Fax:** 304-358-2473

In eastern panhandle of WV; organized Dec 4, 1788 from Hardy County (WV) and Augusta and Rockingham counties (in VA). **Name Origin:** For Edmund Pendleton (1721-1803), VA House of Burgesses (1752-54), VA House of Delegates (1776-77), and presiding judge of VA court of appeals (1779).

**Area (sq mi):** 696.33 (land 696.05; water 0.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.1.

**Pop 2010:** 7,695. **State rank:** 2630. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.9%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,844 (White 96.2%; Black or African

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## Pendleton County (cont'd)

American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 47.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,401; median household $33,323; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,207 - $30,077.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PLEASANTS COUNTY**
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Saint Marys, WV 26170
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**Fax:** 304-684-7569

On northwestern border of WV, northeast of Parkersburg; organized Mar 29, 1851 from Ritchie, Tyler, and Wood counties. **Name Origin:** For James Pleasants, Jr. (1769-1836), U.S. representative from VA (1811-19), U.S. senator (1819-22), and governor (1822-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 133.96 (land 130.10; water 3.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 58.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,605. **State rank:** 2632. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 -1.8%. **Pop 2005:** 7,376 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 42.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,770; median household $38,882; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,598 - $30,618.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**POCAHONTAS COUNTY**
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Marlinton, WV 24954
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**Fax:** 304-799-6947

On central eastern border of WV; organized Dec 21, 1821 from Pendleton, Randolph, and Greenbrier counties (WV) and Bath County (in VA). **Name Origin:** For Indian princess Pocahontas (1595?-1617), daughter of Chief Powhatan (1550?-1618), whom she convinced to spare the life of VA colonist John Smith (c.1580-1631).

**Area (sq mi):** 941.84 (land 940.28; water 1.56). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.3.

**Pop 2010:** 8,719. **State rank:** 2555. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.5%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,851 (White 97.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.0%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 47.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,763; median household $32,161; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,934 - $29,732.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.7%. **Change from 2007:** +5.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PRESTON COUNTY**
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Kingwood, WV 26537
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On northern border of WV, east of Morgantown; organized Jan 19, 1818 from Monongalia and Ranolph counties. **Name Origin:** For James Patton Preston (1774-1843), VA legislator, officer in the War of 1812, and governor of VA (1816-19).

**Area (sq mi):** 651.87 (land 648.81; water 3.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.7.

**Pop 2010:** 33,520. **State rank:** 1418. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.3%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 30,115 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,329; median household $40,753; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,048 - $27,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PUTNAM COUNTY**
3389 Winfield Rd
Winfield, WV 25213
www.putnamcounty.org
**Ph:** 304-586-0202
**Fax:** 304-586-0280

In western WV, northwest of Charleston; organized Mar 11, 1848 from Kanawha, Mason, and Cabell counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Israel Putnam (1718-90), Revolutionary War officer and American commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

**Area (sq mi):** 349.84 (land 345.67; water 4.17). **Pop per sq mi:** 160.5.

**Pop 2010:** 55,486. **State rank:** 892. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.9%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 54,443 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,857; median household $52,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,360 - $38,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 58.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Teays Valley (13,175).

**RALEIGH COUNTY**
215 Main St PO Drawer 2518
Beckley, WV 25801
www.raleighcounty.com
**Ph:** 304-255-9126
**Fax:** 304-255-9352

In south-central WV, southeast of Charleston; organized Jan 23, 1850 from Fayette County. **Name Origin:** For Sir Walter Raleigh (1522?-1618), British naval commander and first lord proprietor of the colony of VA (1584-1603).

**Area (sq mi):** 607.76 (land 605.35; water 2.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 130.3.

**Pop 2010:** 78,859. **State rank:** 688. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.4%; 2000-2005 -.1%. **Pop 2005:** 79,167 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 8.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.6%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,457; median household $38,036; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Raleigh County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,449 - $34,459.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beckley 🏛 (17,614).

### RANDOLPH COUNTY

2 Randolph Ave PO Box 368
Elkins, WV 26241

**Ph:** 304-636-0543
**Fax:** 304-636-0544

In east-central WV; organized May 5, 1787 from Harrison County. **Name Origin:** For Edmund Jennings Randolph (1753-1813), governor of VA (1786-88), first U.S. attorney general (1789), and U.S. secretary of state (1794-95).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,039.88 (land 1,039.68; water 0.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.3.

**Pop 2010:** 29,405. **State rank:** 1471. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 28,571 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 43.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,472; median household $36,176; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,298 - $29,588.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.9%. **Change from 2007:** +6.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RITCHIE COUNTY

115 E Main St Rm 201
Harrisville, WV 26362
www.ritchiecounty.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx

**Ph:** 304-643-2164
**Fax:** 304-643-2906

In north-central WV, east of Parkersburg; organized Feb 18, 1843 from Harrison, Lewis, and Wood counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Ritchie (1778-1854), newspaper owner and editor of the Richmond *Enquirer* (1804-45) and manager of the Washington, DC *Union* (1845-51).

**Area (sq mi):** 452.06 (land 451.99; water 0.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 23.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,449. **State rank:** 2412. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 10,540 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.1%. **Median age:** 44.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,255; median household $32,619; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,319 - $27,913.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ROANE COUNTY

200 Main St
Spencer, WV 25276
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**Fax:** 304-927-2489

In west-central WV, northeast of Charleston; organized Mar 11, 1856 from Kanawha, Jackson, and Gilmer counties. **Name Origin:** For Spencer Roane (1762-1822), justice of the VA supreme court of appeals and son-in-law of Patrick Henry (1736-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 483.74 (land 483.56; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.9.

**Pop 2010:** 14,926. **State rank:** 2104. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -.3%. **Pop 2005:** 15,407 (White 98.4%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.7%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,103; median household $27,428; **Pop below poverty level:** 27.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $22,256 - $24,185.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 38.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SUMMERS COUNTY

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Hinton, WV 25951
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**Ph:** 855-466-5420
**Fax:** 304-466-5420

In southern WV, east of Beckley; organized Feb 27, 1871 from Greenbrier, Monroe, and Mercer counties. **Name Origin:** For George William Summers (1804-68), U.S. representative from VA (1831-45) and judge of VA's eighteenth judicial circuit (1852-58).

**Area (sq mi):** 367 (land 360.46; water 6.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 38.6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,927. **State rank:** 2224. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.4%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 13,740 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 4.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.4%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $15,190; median household $27,720; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,177 - $23,899.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TAYLOR COUNTY

214 W Main St
Grafton, WV 26354
www.taylorcounty.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx

**Ph:** 304-265-1401
**Fax:** 304-265-5450

In northern WV, south of Fairmont; organized Jan 19, 1844 from Harrison, Barbour, and Marion counties. **Name Origin:** For Col. John Taylor (1754-1824), officer in the Revolutionary War and U.S. senator from VA (1792-94; 1803; 1822-24).

**Area (sq mi):** 175.68 (land 172.77; water 2.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 97.8.

**Pop 2010:** 16,895. **State rank:** 2008. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 16,291 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 42.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,562; median household $36,956; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,305 - $26,180.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 56.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**TUCKER COUNTY**
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Parsons, WV 26287
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**Fax:** 304-478-2217

In eastern WV, southeast of Clarksburg; organized Mar 7, 1856 from Randolph County. **Name Origin:** For Capt. Henry Saint George Tucker (1780-1848), cavalry officer in the War of 1812, U.S. representative from VA (1815-19), and president of the VA court of appeals (1831-41).

**Area (sq mi):** 421.16 (land 418.92; water 2.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 17.

**Pop 2010:** 7,141. **State rank:** 2686. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 -5.2%. **Pop 2005:** 6,943 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian Z%; Others 0.6%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.4%. **Median age:** 46.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,020; median household $32,712; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,679 - $27,833.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**TYLER COUNTY**
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Middlebourne, WV 26149
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**Ph:** 304-758-2102
**Fax:** 304-758-2126

On northwestern border of WV along the Ohio River, west of Fairmont; organized Dec 6, 1814 from Ohio County. **Name Origin:** For John Tyler (1747-1813), judge in the VA general court (1789-1808), governor (1808-11), and father of U.S. President John Tyler (1790-1862).

**Area (sq mi):** 259.43 (land 256.29; water 3.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 35.9.

**Pop 2010:** 9,208. **State rank:** 2537. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.4%; 2000-2005 -2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,340 (White 99.0%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 45.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,245; median household $33,496; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,827 - $25,340.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UPSHUR COUNTY**
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Buckhannon, WV 26201
www.buchamber.com
**Ph:** 304-472-1068
**Fax:** 304-472-1029

In central WV, south of Clarksburg; organized Mar 26, 1851 from Randolph, Barbour, and Lewis counties. **Name Origin:** For Abel Parker Upshur (1791-1844), judge in VA courts (1826-41), U.S. secretary of the Navy (1841-43), and U.S. secretary of state (1843-44).

**Area (sq mi):** 354.74 (land 354.64; water 0.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 68.4.

**Pop 2010:** 24,254. **State rank:** 1635. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +1.3%. **Pop 2005:** 23,712 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.0%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,823; median household $36,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,757 - $27,838.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAYNE COUNTY**
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**Fax:** 304-272-5318

On southwestern border of WV, south of Huntington; organized Jan 18, 1842 from Cabell County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Anthony Wayne (1745-96), PA soldier and statesman, nicknamed Mad Anthony for his daring during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 512.38 (land 505.98; water 6.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 84.

**Pop 2010:** 42,481. **State rank:** 1138. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.9%; 2000-2005 -1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 42,091 (White 98.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.6%. **Median age:** 41.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,410; median household $35,079; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,743 - $28,078.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 63.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WEBSTER COUNTY**
2 Court Sq Rm G1
Webster Springs, WV 26288
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**Ph:** 304-847-2508
**Fax:** 304-847-5780

In central WV; organized Jan 10, 1860 from Braxton, Nicholas, and Randolph counties. **Name Origin:** For Daniel Webster (1782-1852), U.S. statesman and orator from MA.

**Area (sq mi):** 553.65 (land 553.47; water 0.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.5.

**Pop 2010:** 9,154. **State rank:** 2467. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 9,804 (White 98.6%; Black or African American Z%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.3%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,268; median household $28,025; **Pop below poverty level:** 22.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,645 - $24,293.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.2%. **Change from 2007:** +7%. **Median travel time to work:** 31 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WETZEL COUNTY**
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New Martinsville, WV 26155
www.wetzelcounty.wv.gov/Pages/default.aspx
**Ph:** 304-455-8224
**Fax:** 304-455-5256

In north WV below its northern panhandle, south of Wheeling; organized Jan 10, 1846 from Tyler County. **Name Origin:** For Lewis Wetzel (1764-1808), an Indian fighter and scout.

**Area (sq mi):** 360.20 (land 358.06; water 2.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 46.3.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Wetzel County (cont'd)

**Pop 2010:** 16,583. **State rank:** 2017. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.1%; 2000-2005 -3.3%. **Pop 2005:** 17,117 (White 98.7%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,899; median household $36,636; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,596 - $29,917.

**Unemployment 2010:** 13.5%. **Change from 2007:** +7.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 28.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WIRT COUNTY

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Elizabeth, WV 26143
www.wirtcounty.wv.gov

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**Fax:** 304-275-3418

In west-central WV, southeast of Parkersburg; organized Jan 19, 1848 from Wood and Jackson counties. **Name Origin:** For William Wirt (1774-1838), who in 1807 prosecuted the case against Aaron Burr (1756-1836), and was an army officer in the War of 1812 and U.S. attorney general (1817-29).

**Area (sq mi):** 234.36 (land 232.51; water 1.85). **Pop per sq mi:** 24.6.

**Pop 2010:** 5,717. **State rank:** 2786. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.0%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 5,896 (White 98.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.5%; Asian 0.2%; Others 0.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 44.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $18,438; median household $36,705; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $19,505 - $21,715.

**Unemployment 2010:** 12.9%. **Change from 2007:** +7.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 31.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 67.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WOOD COUNTY

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Parkersburg, WV 26102
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**Fax:** 304-424-1864

On northwestern border of WV along the Ohio River, west of Clarksburg; organized 1789 from Harrison and Kanawha counties. **Name Origin:** For Gen. James Wood ( 1796-1799.), Indian fighter, officer in the Revolutionary War, and governor of VA (1796-99).

**Area (sq mi):** 375.91 (land 366.26; water 9.65). **Pop per sq mi:** 237.4.

**Pop 2010:** 86,956. **State rank:** 646. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 87,047 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,890; median household $42,146; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,353 - $32,075.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 15.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Parkersburg 🏛 (31,492); Vienna (10,749).

### WYOMING COUNTY

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Pineville, WV 24874
www.wyomingcounty.com

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**Fax:** 304-732-9659

In southern WV, southwest of Beckley; organized Jan 26, 1850 from Logan County. **Name Origin:** For the Wyoming Valley of PA; the name was popularized by the 1809 Thomas Campbell (1777-1844) poem Gertrude of Wyoming about the Indian attack on the Wyoming Valley in 1778.

**Area (sq mi):** 500.39 (land 499.45; water 0.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.6.

**Pop 2010:** 23,796. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 24,479 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 0.4%; Asian 0.1%; Others 0.4%, including 0.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $17,662; median household $36,343; **Pop below poverty level:** 17.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $23,629 - $27,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 32.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**WISCONSIN STATE INFORMATION**
www.wisconsin.gov **Ph:** 608-266-2211

**Area (sq mi):** 65,497.82 (land 54,310.10; water 11,187.72). **Pop per sq mi:** 105.

**Pop 2010:** 5,686,986. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 5,536,201 (White 86.2%; Black or African American 6.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 2.3%; Others 5.9%, including 1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $38,432; median household $51,598; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.60%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,831 - $38,225.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 26.1%.

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**ADAMS COUNTY**
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Friendship, WI 53934 **Fax:** 608-339-4514
www.adamscountywi.com

In south-central WI, west of Oshkosh; organized Mar 11, 1848 (prior to statehood) from Portage County. **Name Origin:** For John Adams (1735-1826), second U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 686.43 (land 645.65; water 40.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.3.

**Pop 2010:** 20,875. **State rank:** 1812. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.2%; 2000-2005 +11.7%. **Pop 2005:** 20,828 (White 93.0%; Black or African American 3.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.8%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 49.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,917; median household $39,885; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,349 - $32,283.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 54.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**ASHLAND COUNTY**
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Ashland, WI 54806 **Fax:** 715-682-7032
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On central northern border of WI, bordered on north by Lake Superior; organized Mar 27, 1860 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the abundant ash trees, probably *Fraxinus americana*, or for the KY home of Henry Clay (1777-1852), U.S. senator known as the Great Pacificator for his advocacy of compromise to avert national crises.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,294.95 (land 1,045.04; water 1,249.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 15.5.

**Pop 2010:** 16,157. **State rank:** 2021. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.8%; 2000-2005 -1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,627 (White 84.6%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.9%, including 11.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,730; median household $38,111; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,987 - $31,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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Barron, WI 54812 **Fax:** 715-537-6277
www.co.barron.wi.us

In west-central WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized as Dallas County Mar 19, 1859; name changed Mar 4, 1869. **Name Origin:** For Henry D. Barron, state senator and judge of the WI circuit court. Originally for George Dallas (1792-1864), U.S. vice president (1845-49).

**Area (sq mi):** 889.89 (land 862.71; water 27.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 53.2.

**Pop 2010:** 45,870. **State rank:** 1039. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.1%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 45,834 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.9%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 43.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,666; median household $42,601; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,963 - $32,202.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**BAYFIELD COUNTY**
PO Box 878 **Ph:** 715-373-6100
Washburn, WI 54891 **Fax:** 715-373-6153
www.bayfieldcounty.org

On northwestern border of WI, east of Duluth, MN; organized as LaPointe County Feb 19, 1845 (prior to statehood) from Ashland County; name changed Apr 12, 1866. **Name Origin:** For Henry W. Bayfield, an admiral in the British navy.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,043.14 (land 1,477.86; water 565.28). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,014. **State rank:** 2109. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.9%; 2000-2005 +.9%. **Pop 2005:** 15,145 (White 86.7%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.1%,

## Bayfield County (cont'd)

including 9.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 49.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,028; median household $43,176; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,798 - $32,792.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BROWN COUNTY

305 E Walnut St PO Box 23600 **Ph:** 920-448-4035
Green Bay, WI 54305-5360 **Fax:** 920-448-4036
www.co.brown.wi.us

In central-eastern WI, at southern end of Green Bay; organized Oct 26, 1818 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county; annexed part of Shawano and Oconto counties in 1919. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Jacob Jennings Brown (1775-1828), an officer in the War of 1812 and commander of the U.S. Army (1821-28).

**Area (sq mi):** 616.46 (land 529.71; water 86.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 468.2.

**Pop 2010:** 248,007. **State rank:** 258. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.8%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 238,987 (White 86.5%; Black or African American 2.2%; Hispanic or Latino 7.3%; Asian 2.7%; Others 7.3%, including 2.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.2%. **Median age:** 36.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,816; median household $52,553; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,073 - $38,179.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 46 for cities).

### BUFFALO COUNTY

407 S 2nd St **Ph:** 608-685-6212
Alma, WI 54610-0006 **Fax:** 608-685-6211
www.buffalocounty.com

On central western border of WI, southeast of Saint Paul, MN; organized Jul 6, 1853. **Name Origin:** For the herds of buffalo that once roamed here.

**Area (sq mi):** 696.75 (land 671.64; water 25.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.2.

**Pop 2010:** 13,587. **State rank:** 2204. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +1.2%. **Pop 2005:** 13,968 (White 97.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.7%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.7%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,579; median household $45,302; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,253 - $39,019.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### BURNETT COUNTY

7410 County Rd K **Ph:** 715-349-2147
Siren, WI 54872 **Fax:** 715-349-7659
www.burnettcounty.com

On northwestern border of WI; organized Mar 31, 1856 from Polk County. **Name Origin:** For Thomas P. Burnett (?-1846), lawyer and WI territorial legislator.

**Area (sq mi):** 880.71 (land 821.85; water 58.86). **Pop per sq mi:** 18.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,457. **State rank:** 2046. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.5%; 2000-2005 +5.4%. **Pop 2005:** 16,528 (White 91.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 4.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 49.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,767; median household $39,626; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,641 - $33,857.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CALUMET COUNTY

206 Court St **Ph:** 920-849-1432
Chilton, WI 53014 **Fax:** 920-849-1614
www.co.calumet.wi.us

In east-central WI, east of Lake Winnebago; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** French *chalumet* tube or little reed; extended to the Indians peace pipe.

**Area (sq mi):** 395.43 (land 318.24; water 77.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 153.9.

**Pop 2010:** 48,971. **State rank:** 1054. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.0%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 44,137 (White 94.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 2.1%; Others 3.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.1%. **Median age:** 38.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,567; median household $61,685; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,006 - $41,601.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### CHIPPEWA COUNTY

711 N Bridge St Rm 109 **Ph:** 715-726-7980
Chippewa Falls, WI 54729 **Fax:** 715-726-7987
www.co.chippewa.wi.us

In west-central WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized Feb 3, 1845 (prior to statehood) from Crawford County. (A former county of the same name existed at the time of the 1830 census, covering much of what is now Douglas, Bayfield, Ashland, Iron, and Vilas counties). **Name Origin:** For the Chippewa River, which flows through it and near whose headwaters lived the Chippewa (properly Ojibway) Indians. Name means 'puckered', and refers to the seam in their moccasins.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,039.26 (land 1,008.37; water 30.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 61.9.

**Pop 2010:** 62,415. **State rank:** 842. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1%; 2000-2005 +8.6%. **Pop 2005:** 59,950 (White 95.3%; Black or African American 1.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 1.2%; Others 1.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 40.1.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Chippewa County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,952; median household $48,672; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,521 - $33,642.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Howard (17,399); Chippewa Falls 🏛 (13,661).

### CLARK COUNTY

517 Court St Rm 301
Neillsville, WI 54456
www.co.clark.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-743-5148
**Fax:** 715-743-5154

In west-central WI; organized 1853 from Marathon County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. George Rogers Clark (1752-1818), officer in the Revolutionary War and frontiersman in the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,213.26 (land 1,209.82; water 3.44). **Pop per sq mi:** 28.7.

**Pop 2010:** 34,690. **State rank:** 1329. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.7%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 34,098 (White 96.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.7%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 37.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $19,797; median household $42,777; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,339 - $28,640.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### COLUMBIA COUNTY

400 DeWitt St PO Box 473
Portage, WI 53901
www.co.columbia.wi.us/ColumbiaCounty

**Ph:** 608-742-9654
**Fax:** 608-742-9846

In south-central WI, northwest of Milwaukee; organized Feb 3, 1846 (prior to statehood) from Portage, Brown, and Crawford counties. **Name Origin:** Feminine form of Columbus, a poetic and honorific reference to Christopher Columbus (1451-1506) and America.

**Area (sq mi):** 787.44 (land 765.53; water 21.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.2.

**Pop 2010:** 56,833. **State rank:** 897. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.7%; 2000-2005 +5.5%. **Pop 2005:** 55,364 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 41.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,993; median household $55,910; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,886 - $40,396.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Portage 🏛 (10,324).

### CRAWFORD COUNTY

225 N Beaumont Rd, Suite 10
Prairie du Chien, WI 53821
www.wisconline.com/counties/crawford

**Ph:** 608-326-0200
**Fax:** 608-326-0213

On southwestern border of WI; organized Oct 26, 1818 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For Fort Crawford, or possibly for Willliam Harris Crawford (1772-1834), U.S. senator from GA (1807-13), U.S. secretary of war (1815-16), and U.S. secretary of the treasury (1816-25).

**Area (sq mi):** 597.19 (land 570.66; water 26.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,644. **State rank:** 1977. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 17,134 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 0.9%; Asian 0.4%; Others 0.9%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,346; median household $39,486; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,976 - $31,346.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### DANE COUNTY

210 ML King Jr Blvd, Rm 425
Madison, WI 53703
www.countyofdane.com

**Ph:** 608-266-4941

In south-central WI, west of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Iowa County. **Name Origin:** For Nathan Dane (1725-1835), U.S. representative from MA (1782-85) who proposed the Ordinance of 1787 establishing the Northwest Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,233.66 (land 1,197.24; water 36.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 407.7.

**Pop 2010:** 488,073. **State rank:** 134. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.5%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 458,106 (White 84.7%; Black or African American 5.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.9%; Asian 4.7%; Others 5.9%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 7.4%. **Median age:** 34.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $32,392; median household $60,519; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,610 - $45,106.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 7 (see page 46 for cities).

### DODGE COUNTY

127 E Oak St
Juneau, WI 53039
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**Ph:** 920-386-3602
**Fax:** 920-386-3928

In southeastern WI, west of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from territorial county. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Henry Dodge (1782-1867), an officer in the War of 1812 and Black Hawk War, first governor of WI Territory (1836-41;1845-48), and U.S. senator from WI (1848-57).

**Area (sq mi):** 900.34 (land 875.63; water 24.71). **Pop per sq mi:** 101.4.

**Pop 2010:** 88,759. **State rank:** 642. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.7%; 2000-2005 +2.6%. **Pop 2005:** 88,103 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 2.7%; Hispanic or Latino 4.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%.

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## Dodge County (cont'd)

**Median age:** 40.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,663; median household $52,571; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,592 - $32,986.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Beaver Dam (16,214).

**DOOR COUNTY**
421 Nebraska St
Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235
www.co.door.wi.gov
**Ph:** 920-746-2200
**Fax:** 920-746-2330

On the peninsula in northeast WI, bordered on west by Green Bay and on east by Lake Michigan; organized Feb 11,1851 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** Origin uncertain. A legendary incident involving Indians is said to be the reason the strait between Washington Island and the peninsula is named in French *La Porte des Morts*, 'Door of the Dead.' Or possibly the door refers to the entrance to Green Bay. The county later took the name from the strait.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,369.09 (land 481.98; water 1,887.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 57.6.

**Pop 2010:** 27,785. **State rank:** 1491. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.0%; 2000-2005 +1.4%. **Pop 2005:** 28,349 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.4%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 49.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $29,154; median household $47,775; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,236 - $41,610.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +4.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Whitefish Bay (14,110).

**DOUGLAS COUNTY**
1313 Belknap St, Rm 101
Superior, WI 54880
www.douglascountywi.org
**Ph:** 715-395-1341
**Fax:** 715-395-1421

On northwestern border of WI, at southwestern end of Lake Superior; organized Feb 9, 1854 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For Stephen Arnold Douglas (1813-61), U.S. orator and statesman.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,474.92 (land 1,304.14; water 170.78). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.9.

**Pop 2010:** 44,159. **State rank:** 1067. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.1%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 44,208 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.9%; Others 1.1%, including 2.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 39.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,552; median household $43,127; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,935 - $30,876.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 35.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Superior (27,244); Allouez (13,975).

**DUNN COUNTY**
800 Wilson Ave
Menomonie, WI 54751
www.dunncountywi.govoffice2.com
**Ph:** 715-232-1677
**Fax:** 715-232-2534

In west-central WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized Feb 3, 1854 from Chippewa County. **Name Origin:** For Charles Dunn, a legislator and first chief justice of WI Territory.

**Area (sq mi):** 862 (land 850.11; water 11.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 51.6.

**Pop 2010:** 43,857. **State rank:** 1093. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 41,708 (White 94.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 2.6%; Others 1.4%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.2%. **Median age:** 33.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,624; median household $48,376; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,980 - $29,991.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 34.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Weston (14,868).

**EAU CLAIRE COUNTY**
721 Oxford Ave
Eau Claire, WI 54703
www.co.eau-claire.wi.us
**Ph:** 715-839-4801
**Fax:** 715-839-4854

In west-central WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized Oct 6, 1856 from Clark County. **Name Origin:** For Eau Clair River, which runs through it; French transliteration of an Indian word meaning 'clear water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 645.62 (land 637.98; water 7.64). **Pop per sq mi:** 154.8.

**Pop 2010:** 98,736. **State rank:** 580. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 94,089 (White 93.1%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 1.8%; Asian 3.3%; Others 1.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 33.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,826; median household $45,846; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,010 - $36,327.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Eau Claire (65,883).

**FLORENCE COUNTY**
501 Lake Ave PO Box 410
Florence, WI 54121
www.florencewisconsin.com
**Ph:** 715-528-3204
**Fax:** 715-528-4762

On northeastern border of WI; organized Mar 18, 1882 from Marinette and Oconto counties. **Name Origin:** For Florence Terry Hulst, wife of an early developer and mine owner, Dr. N. P. Hulst.

**Area (sq mi):** 497.63 (land 488.20; water 9.43). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.1.

**Pop 2010:** 4,423. **State rank:** 2860. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.1%; 2000-2005 -2.2%. **Pop 2005:** 4,974 (White 97.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 0.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.8%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.0%. **Median age:** 49.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,283; median household $40,180; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,255 - $35,235.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.2%. **Median travel**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

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**time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 62.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FOND DU LAC COUNTY**
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Fond du Lac, WI 54936 **Fax:** 920-929-3293
www.co.fond-du-lac.wi.us

In east-central WI; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For its location at the southern end of Lake Winnebago; French 'end of the lake,' transliterated from *Wanikamiu*, name of an Indian village, with the similar meaning 'farthest point of the lake.'

**Area (sq mi):** 762.44 (land 719.55; water 42.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 141.2.

**Pop 2010:** 101,633. **State rank:** 574. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.3%; 2000-2005 +2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 99,337 (White 94.1%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 1.1%; Others 4.3%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 40.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,360; median household $51,549; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,993 - $37,036.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Fond du Lac 🏛 (43,021); Waupun (11,340).

**FOREST COUNTY**
200 E Madison St **Ph:** 715-478-2422
Crandon, WI 54520 **Fax:** 715-478-5175
www.forestcountywi.com

On northeastern border of WI; organized Apr 11, 1885 from Langlade and Oconto counties. **Name Origin:** Descriptively named for the forests in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,046.41 (land 1,014.07; water 32.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.2.

**Pop 2010:** 9,304. **State rank:** 2458. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -6.6%; 2000-2005 -.6%. **Pop 2005:** 9,961 (White 82.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.1%; Others 1.5%, including 13.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,578; median household $37,627; **Pop below poverty level:** 18.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,469 - $30,845.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**GRANT COUNTY**
111 S Jefferson St Suite 111 **Ph:** 608-723-2675
Lancaster, WI 53813 **Fax:** 608-723-4048
grantcounty.org/govt/index.html

On southwestern border of WI; organized Dec 8, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Iowa County. **Name Origin:** For the Grant River, which runs through it; itself named for a trapper and Indian trader who lived on the banks.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,182.31 (land 1,146.85; water 35.46). **Pop per sq mi:** 44.7.

**Pop 2010:** 51,208. **State rank:** 976. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.1%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 49,671 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.6%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 36.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,758; median household $43,889; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,351 - $31,497.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Platteville (11,224).

**GREEN COUNTY**
1016 16th Ave County Courthouse **Ph:** 608-328-9430
Monroe, WI 53566 **Fax:** 608-328-2835
greencounty.org

On central southern border of WI, south of Madison; organized Dec 8, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Iowa County. **Name Origin:** For Gen. Nathanael Greene (1742-86), Revolutionary War officer and quartermaster general (1778-80). The missing *e* not explained.

**Area (sq mi):** 584.54 (land 583.96; water 0.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 63.1.

**Pop 2010:** 36,842. **State rank:** 1265. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +4.5%. **Pop 2005:** 35,165 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.8%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,721; median household $53,088; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,742 - $36,549.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Monroe 🏛 (10,827).

**GREEN LAKE COUNTY**
571 County Rd A PO Box 3188 **Ph:** 920-294-4005
Green Lake, WI 54941 **Fax:** 920-294-4009
www.co.green-lake.wi.us

In east-central WI, west of Lake Winnebago; organized Mar 5, 1858 from Marquette District. **Name Origin:** For the large lake in the middle of the county, named for the color of the water.

**Area (sq mi):** 375.59 (land 349.44; water 26.15). **Pop per sq mi:** 54.5.

**Pop 2010:** 19,051. **State rank:** 1887. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 +.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,168 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 3.9%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 44.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,973; median household $47,624; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,598 - $33,818.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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**IOWA COUNTY**
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Dodgeville, WI 53533
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In southwestern WI, west of Madison; organized Oct 9, 1829 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For either the Iowa River, or the Iowa Indians. Name is a French version of the Dakota name for the tribe, variously *Ayuhwa, Ouaouia, Aiouez*, and *Ioways* 'the sleepy ones.'

**Area (sq mi):** 767.99 (land 762.58; water 5.41). **Pop per sq mi:** 31.1.

**Pop 2010:** 23,687. **State rank:** 1646. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.5%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 23,569 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.4%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 41.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,156; median household $54,737; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,303 - $37,930.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**IRON COUNTY**
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Hurley, WI 54534
www.ironcountywi.com
**Ph:** 715-561-3375
**Fax:** 715-561-2928

On central northern border of WI; organized Mar 1, 1893 from Ashland and Oneida counties. **Name Origin:** For the huge deposits of iron ore found in the Mesabi Range.

**Area (sq mi):** 920.18 (land 758.17; water 162.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 7.8.

**Pop 2010:** 5,916. **State rank:** 2754. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -11.0%; 2000-2005 -3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 6,649 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.1%; Hispanic or Latino 0.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 0.6%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 51.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,286; median household $35,618; **Pop below poverty level:** 15.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,223 - $35,295.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 45.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**JACKSON COUNTY**
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Black River Falls, WI 54615
www.co.jackson.wi.us
**Ph:** 715-284-0208
**Fax:** 715-284-0270

In west-central WI, northwest of Madison; organized Feb 11, 1853 from Crawford County. **Name Origin:** For Andrew Jackson (1767-1845), seventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,000.51 (land 987.72; water 12.79). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.7.

**Pop 2010:** 20,449. **State rank:** 1824. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.5%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,758 (White 89.3%; Black or African American 2.0%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.5%, including 6.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 41.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,778; median household $43,191; **Pop below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,121 - $32,771.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Franklin (35,451).

**JEFFERSON COUNTY**
320 S Main St Rm 109
Jefferson, WI 53549
www.co.jefferson.wi.us
**Ph:** 920-674-7140
**Fax:** 920-674-7368

In southeastern WI, east of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 from Dodge and Waukesha counties. **Name Origin:** For Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826), U.S. patriot and statesman; third U.S. president. Others claim it was named for Jefferson County, NY, former home of some prominent early settlers.

**Area (sq mi):** 582.20 (land 556.47; water 25.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 150.4.

**Pop 2010:** 83,686. **State rank:** 677. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.5%; 2000-2005 +7.2%. **Pop 2005:** 79,328 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 6.6%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.2%. **Median age:** 38.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,729; median household $54,769; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,194 - $34,824.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 39.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Watertown (23,861); Fort Atkinson (12,368).

**JUNEAU COUNTY**
220 E State St, Rm 112
Mauston, WI 53948
www.juneau.wi.gov
**Ph:** 608-847-9300
**Fax:** 608-847-9402

In south-central WI, northwest of Madison; organized Oct 13, 1856 from Adams County. **Name Origin:** For Solomon Juneau (1793-1856), early French trader, the first postmaster and first mayor of Milwaukee, called 'the father of the city.'

**Area (sq mi):** 803.46 (land 766.93; water 36.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.8.

**Pop 2010:** 26,664. **State rank:** 1532. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +9.9%. **Pop 2005:** 26,725 (White 94.0%; Black or African American 2.1%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.6%, including 1.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,026; median household $45,664; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $25,823 - $28,066.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.9%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 33.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**KENOSHA COUNTY**
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On southeastern border of WI; organized Jan 30, 1850 from Racine County. **Name Origin:** For the name of Potawatomi (Algonquian)

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Kenosha County (cont'd)

Indian villages, meaning pike or pickerel, for the abundance of this fish in the local creeks.

**Area (sq mi):** 753.47 (land 271.99; water 481.48). **Pop per sq mi:** 611.9.

**Pop 2010:** 166,426. **State rank:** 369. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.7%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 160,544 (White 83.8%; Black or African American 6.6%; Hispanic or Latino 11.8%; Asian 1.4%; Others 11.8%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.2%. **Median age:** 36.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,168; median household $54,430; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,818 - $35,606.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 43.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Kenosha 🏛 (99,218); Pleasant Prairie (19,719).

### KEWAUNEE COUNTY

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Kewaunee, WI 54216
www.kewauneeco.org

**Ph:** 920-388-7133
**Fax:** 920-388-7195

On the peninsula in eastern WI, bordered on west by Green Bay and on east by Lake Michigan; organized Apr 16, 1852 from Manitowoc County. **Name Origin:** A Potawatomi word meaning 'river of the lost' referring to the river between Green Bay and Lake Michigan or 'prairie hen' or 'wild duck.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,084.41 (land 342.52; water 741.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 60.1.

**Pop 2010:** 20,574. **State rank:** 1801. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.3%; 2000-2005 +3.2%. **Pop 2005:** 20,840 (White 97.0%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 2.3%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 42.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,574; median household $54,152; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,201 - $36,583.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 44.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LA CROSSE COUNTY

400 N 4th St, Rm 1210
La Crosse, WI 54601
www.co.la-crosse.wi.us

**Ph:** 608-785-9581
**Fax:** 608-785-9741

On southwestern border of WI, northwest of Madison; organized Mar 1, 1851 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the village of the same name,from the French name for an Indian game *baggataway*, from a resemblance they saw to their tennis game, played with a racquet that resembled a bishop's crozier or cross.

**Area (sq mi):** 478.87 (land 451.69; water 27.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 253.8.

**Pop 2010:** 114,638. **State rank:** 521. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.2%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 108,958 (White 92.1%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 4.1%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.6%. **Median age:** 35.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,917; median household $49,328; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,864 - $37,517.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** La Crosse 🏛 (51,320); Onalaska (17,736).

### LAFAYETTE COUNTY

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Darlington, WI 53530
www.co.lafayette.wi.gov

**Ph:** 608-776-4850
**Fax:** 608-776-8893

On southwestern border of WI, southwest of Madison; organized Jan 31, 1846 (prior to statehood) from Iowa County. **Name Origin:** For the Marquis de Lafayette (1757-1834), French statesman and soldier who fought with the Americans during the Revolutionary War.

**Area (sq mi):** 634.59 (land 633.59; water 1). **Pop per sq mi:** 26.6.

**Pop 2010:** 16,836. **State rank:** 2055. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.2%; 2000-2005 +1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 16,310 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.0%. **Median age:** 40.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,026; median household $48,114; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,276 - $30,807.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LANGLADE COUNTY

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Antigo, WI 54409
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**Fax:** 715-627-6303

In northeastern WI, northeast of Wausau; organized Feb 27, 1879 as New County from Oconto County; name changed Feb 19, 1880. **Name Origin:** For Charles Michael de Langlade (1729-1800), an Indian leader who fought with the French against the British in the French and Indian War and with the British against the Americans during the Revolutionary War; he established the first permanent settlement at Green Bay (1764).

**Area (sq mi):** 885.84 (land 870.64; water 15.20). **Pop per sq mi:** 22.9.

**Pop 2010:** 19,977. **State rank:** 1816. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.7%; 2000-2005 0.0%. **Pop 2005:** 20,735 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,025; median household $41,034; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,366 - $34,041.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 18.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LINCOLN COUNTY

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Merrill, WI 54452
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In northeastern WI, north of Wausau; organized Mar 4, 1874 from

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## Lincoln County (cont'd)

Marathon County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 902.72 (land 878.97; water 23.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.7.

**Pop 2010:** 28,743. **State rank:** 1436. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -5.2%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 30,319 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.2%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 44.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,793; median household $46,625; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,921 - $33,135.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.5%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MANITOWOC COUNTY

1010 S 8th St PO Box 2000
Manitowoc, WI 54221
www.co.manitowoc.wi.us

**Ph:** 920-683-4030
**Fax:** 920-683-2733

On central eastern coast of WI, south of Green Bay; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** From an Indian name probably meaning 'land of the spirit,' possibly with a connotation of evil.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,491.42 (land 589.08; water 902.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 138.3.

**Pop 2010:** 81,442. **State rank:** 678. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 81,949 (White 93.8%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 3.1%; Asian 2.5%; Others 3.1%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.8%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,161; median household $49,354; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,531 - $35,777.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.4%. **Change from 2007:** +4.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Manitowoc (33,736); Two Rivers (11,712).

### MARATHON COUNTY

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Wausau, WI 54403
www.co.marathon.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-261-1500
**Fax:** 715-261-1515

In central WI, east of Eau Claire; organized Feb 9, 1850 from Portage County. **Name Origin:** For the site of the famous battle in Greece (490 B.C.).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,576.16 (land 1,544.98; water 31.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 86.8.

**Pop 2010:** 134,063. **State rank:** 458. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.0%; 2000-2005 +2.5%. **Pop 2005:** 128,941 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 5.3%; Others 2.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 39.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,893; median household $53,471; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,739 - $36,421.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Wausau (39,106); Weston (14,868).

### MARINETTE COUNTY

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Marinette, WI 54143
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**Fax:** 715-732-7532

On northeastern border of WI, north of Green Bay; organized Feb 27, 1879 from Oconto County. **Name Origin:** For Marguerite Chevallier (1784-1865), a successful female fur trader, also known as *Marinette*, a combined form of Marie Antoinette (1755-93), then Queen of France.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,547.67 (land 1,399.35; water 148.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 29.8.

**Pop 2010:** 41,749. **State rank:** 1114. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -3.8%; 2000-2005 +.1%. **Pop 2005:** 43,406 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.3%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 45.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,999; median household $39,698; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,064 - $34,690.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 24.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marinette (10,968).

### MARQUETTE COUNTY

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Montello, WI 53949
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**Ph:** 608-297-9136
**Fax:** 608-297-7609

In south- central WI, west of Lake Winnebago; established Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from Marquette District. **Name Origin:** For Jacques Marquette (1637-75), French missonary known as Pere Marquette; explorer with Louis Jolliet (1645-1700) of the Wisconsin and Mississippi Rivers.

**Area (sq mi):** 464.54 (land 455.60; water 8.94). **Pop per sq mi:** 33.8.

**Pop 2010:** 15,404. **State rank:** 2114. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.1%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,237 (White 96.9%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 47.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,895; median household $45,012; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,407 - $29,176.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.3%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MENOMINEE COUNTY

PO Box 279
Keshena, WI 54135
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**Ph:** 715-799-3311
**Fax:** 715-799-1322

In east-central WI, northwest of Lake Winnebago; organized May 1, 1961 from Shawano and Oconto counties. **Name Origin:** For the Menominee Indians, a tribe of Algonquian linguistic stock, who lived in the lake region where wild rice grows. The name probably means wild rice people.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Menominee County (cont'd)

**Area (sq mi):** 364.64 (land 357.61; water 7.03). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.8.

**Pop 2010:** 4,232. **State rank:** 2862. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.6%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 4,580 (White 10.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 4.2%; Asian 0.0%; Others 4.2%, including 87.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.2%. **Median age:** 31.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $14,794; median household $31,076; **Pop below poverty level:** 31.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $21,611 - $25,635.

**Unemployment 2010:** 15.5%. **Change from 2007:** +5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 25 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### MILWAUKEE COUNTY

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Milwaukee, WI 53233
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**Ph:** 414-278-4971
**Fax:** 414-278-4075

On southeastern coast of WI; organized Aug 25, 1835 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** An Algonquian word of uncertain meaning; possibly 'rich beautiful land' or 'gathering place by the river.' The area had long been a council ground for different tribes.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,189.54 (land 241.40; water 948.14). **Pop per sq mi:** 3926.

**Pop 2010:** 947,735. **State rank:** 44. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.8%; 2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 921,654 (White 60.6%; Black or African American 26.8%; Hispanic or Latino 13.3%; Asian 3.4%; Others 13.3%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 8.6%. **Median age:** 33.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,740; median household $43,215; **Pop below poverty level:** 19.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,715 - $37,838.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 13 (see page 46 for cities).

### MONROE COUNTY

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Sparta, WI 54656
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**Ph:** 608-269-8705
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In southwestern WI, east of La Crosse; organized Mar 21, 1854 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For James Monroe (1758-1831), fifth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 908.30 (land 900.78; water 7.52). **Pop per sq mi:** 49.6.

**Pop 2010:** 44,673. **State rank:** 1076. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.8%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 42,644 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.1%; Hispanic or Latino 3.7%; Asian 0.6%; Others 3.7%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 39.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,052; median household $47,333; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $28,657 - $31,913.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Glendale (12,872).

### OCONTO COUNTY

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Oconto, WI 54153
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**Ph:** 920-834-6800
**Fax:** 920-834-6867

On northeastern coast of WI, bordered on east by Green Bay; organized Feb 6, 1851 from unorganized territory. **Name Origin:** For the Oconto River, which flows through it; from a Menominee word of unclear meaning, possibly 'place of the pike fish' or 'red river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,149.06 (land 997.99; water 151.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.7.

**Pop 2010:** 37,660. **State rank:** 1231. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 0.0%; 2000-2005 +5.7%. **Pop 2005:** 37,666 (White 96.7%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.4%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.0%. **Median age:** 43.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,521; median household $46,633; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,697 - $34,415.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### ONEIDA COUNTY

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Rhinelander, WI 54501
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**Ph:** 715-369-6144
**Fax:** 715-369-6230

In north-central WI; organized Apr 11, 1885 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For the Oneida Indians, one of the Five Nations of the Iroquois. The name is thought to mean stone people, perhaps in praise of their bravery.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,224.35 (land 1,112.97; water 111.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.3.

**Pop 2010:** 35,998. **State rank:** 1268. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.7%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 36,994 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.5%; Others 1.1%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 48.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,085; median household $45,857; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,419 - $37,529.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### OUTAGAMIE COUNTY

410 S Walnut St
Appleton, WI 54911
www.co.outagamie.wi.us

**Ph:** 920-832-5077
**Fax:** 920-832-2200

In east-central WI, west of Green Bay; organized Feb 17, 1851 from Brown County. **Name Origin:** Ojibway *O-dug-am-eeg* 'dwellers on the other side,' in reference to the Fox Indians.

**Area (sq mi):** 641.58 (land 637.52; water 4.06). **Pop per sq mi:** 277.2.

**Pop 2010:** 176,695. **State rank:** 345. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.3%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 171,006 (White 91.3%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 3.6%; Asian 3.0%; Others 3.6%, including 1.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.0%. **Median age:** 37.1.

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## Outagamie County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,965; median household $55,914; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,932 - $37,046.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Appleton (72,623); Kaukauna (15,462); Little Chute (10,449).

### OZAUKEE COUNTY

121 W Main St PO Box 994
Port Washington, WI 53074
www.co.ozaukee.wi.us

**Ph:** 262-284-8110
**Fax:** 262-284-8100

On southestern coast of WI, north of Milwaukee, organized Mar 7, 1853 from Milwaukee County. **Name Origin:** Said to be the true name of the main Sauk Indian tribe; meaning is either 'people at the mouth of the river' (the Ojibway name for the tribe), or 'yellow earth,' from their tradition that the first Sauk male sprang from yellow earth.

**Area (sq mi):** 1,117.34 (land 233.08; water 884.26). **Pop per sq mi:** 370.7.

**Pop 2010:** 86,395. **State rank:** 648. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.4%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 86,072 (White 94.9%; Black or African American 1.4%; Hispanic or Latino 2.3%; Asian 1.7%; Others 2.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.5%. **Median age:** 42.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $39,778; median household $74,996; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $59,305 - $57,114.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 48.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Mequon (23,132); Grafton (11,459); Cedarburg (11,412); Port Washington (11,250).

### PEPIN COUNTY

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Durand, WI 54736
www.co.pepin.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-672-8857
**Fax:** 715-672-8677

On central western border of WI, southeast of Saint Paul, MN; organized Feb 25, 1858 from Chippewa County. **Name Origin:** For Pepin Lake, a widening of the Mississippi River. Named before 1700 by French explorers either for a member of the Duluth expedition, or for the French king, Pepin le Bref (715-768), the father of Charlemagne (742-814).

**Area (sq mi):** 248.38 (land 231.98; water 16.40). **Pop per sq mi:** 32.2.

**Pop 2010:** 7,469. **State rank:** 2644. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.2%; 2000-2005 +2.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,380 (White 98.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 1.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%. **Median age:** 44.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,233; median household $48,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,422 - $33,321.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 46.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PIERCE COUNTY

414 W Main St PO Box 119
Ellsworth, WI 54011
www.co.pierce.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-273-3531
**Fax:** 715-273-6861

On central western border of WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized Mar 14, 1853 from Saint Croix County. **Name Origin:** For Franklin Pierce (1804-69), fourteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 588.85 (land 573.75; water 15.10). **Pop per sq mi:** 71.5.

**Pop 2010:** 41,019. **State rank:** 1169. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.9%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 39,102 (White 96.6%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 1.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 34.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,313; median household $60,181; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,918 - $33,220.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.8%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 59.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** River Falls (15,000).

### POLK COUNTY

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Balsam Lake, WI 54810
www.co.polk.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-485-9226
**Fax:** 715-485-9104

On central western border of WI, northeast of Saint Paul, MN; organized Mar 14, 1853 from Saint Croix County. **Name Origin:** For James Knox Polk (1795-1849), eleventh U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 952.97 (land 913.96; water 39.01). **Pop per sq mi:** 48.4.

**Pop 2010:** 44,205. **State rank:** 1068. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +7.3%. **Pop 2005:** 44,329 (White 96.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.5%, including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 42.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,704; median household $49,806; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,667 - $32,314.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.7%. **Change from 2007:** +3.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 27.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### PORTAGE COUNTY

1516 Church St
Stevens Point, WI 54481
www.co.portage.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-346-1351
**Fax:** 715-346-1486

In east-central WI, northwest of Lake Winnebago; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from territorial county in the area now occupied by much of Columbia County, expanded northward in 1841 (into territory from Crawford County); Columbia County detached in 1846. **Name Origin:** For the portage of canoes or other craft between the Fox and Wisconsin rivers.

**Area (sq mi):** 817.13 (land 800.68; water 16.45). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.4.

**Pop 2010:** 70,019. **State rank:** 762. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +.6%. **Pop 2005:** 67,585 (White 94.2%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 2.8%; Others 2.6%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 35.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,873; median household $51,456; **Pop**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Portage County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,859 - $35,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 19.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Stevens Point 🏛 (26,717); Plover (12,123).

### PRICE COUNTY

126 Cherry St Room 106
Phillips, WI 54555
www.co.price.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-339-3325
**Fax:** 715-339-3089

In north-central WI, northwest of Wausau; organized Feb 26, 1879 from Chippewa and Lincoln counties. **Name Origin:** For William Thompson Price (1824-86), WI jurist, legislator, and U.S. representative (1883-86).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,280.25 (land 1,254.38; water 25.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.3.

**Pop 2010:** 14,159. **State rank:** 2145. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -7.0%; 2000-2005 -3.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,220 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.1%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 48.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,125; median household $41,026; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,498 - $33,574.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### RACINE COUNTY

730 Wisconsin Ave
Racine, WI 53403
www.racineco.com

**Ph:** 800-242-4202
**Fax:** 262-636-3733

On southeastern coast of WI, south of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from territorial county. **Name Origin:** French 'root,' referring to the county's principal town, located on the Root River, which had so many roots growing out of its banks that navigation was difficult.

**Area (sq mi):** 791.31 (land 332.50; water 458.81). **Pop per sq mi:** 587.7.

**Pop 2010:** 195,408. **State rank:** 303. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.2%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 195,708 (White 79.7%; Black or African American 11.1%; Hispanic or Latino 11.5%; Asian 1.1%; Others 11.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.9%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,321; median household $53,855; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,928 - $37,530.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 31.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Racine 🏛 (78,860); Mount Pleasant (26,197); Caledonia (24,705); Burlington (10,464).

### RICHLAND COUNTY

181 W Seminary St PO Box 310
Richland Center, WI 53581
www.co.richland.wi.us

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**Fax:** 608-647-6134

In southwestern WI, northwest of Madison; organized Feb 18, 1842 (prior to statehood) from Crawford, Sauk, and Iowa counties. **Name Origin:** For the fertile soil, and possibly because an early settler came from Richland Co., IA.

**Area (sq mi):** 589.33 (land 586.15; water 3.18). **Pop per sq mi:** 30.7.

**Pop 2010:** 18,021. **State rank:** 1918. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.1%; 2000-2005 +2.7%. **Pop 2005:** 18,403 (White 97.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.5%; Others 2.0%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.7%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,301; median household $43,900; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,225 - $30,620.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Germantown (19,749).

### ROCK COUNTY

51 S Main St
Janesville, WI 53545
www.co.rock.wi.us

**Ph:** 608-743-2200
**Fax:** 608-743-2223

On central southern border of WI, southeast of Madison; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For the Rock River, which flows through it.

**Area (sq mi):** 723.87 (land 718.14; water 5.73). **Pop per sq mi:** 223.3.

**Pop 2010:** 160,331. **State rank:** 375. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.8%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 157,538 (White 87.6%; Black or African American 5.0%; Hispanic or Latino 7.6%; Asian 1.0%; Others 7.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 38.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,926; median household $49,716; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,555 - $31,584.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.1%. **Change from 2007:** +5.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 22.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Janesville 🏛 (63,575); Beloit (36,966).

### RUSK COUNTY

311 Miner Ave E
Ladysmith, WI 54848
www.ruskcounty.org

**Ph:** 715-532-2100
**Fax:** 715-532-2237

In northwestern WI, northeast of Saint Paul, MN; organized May 15, 1901 as Gates County from Chippewa County; name changed Jun 19, 1905. **Name Origin:** For Col. Jeremiah McLain Rusk (1830-93), an officer in the Civil War, statesman, governor of WI (1882-89), and U.S. secretary of agriculture (1889-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 931.36 (land 913.59; water 17.77). **Pop per sq mi:** 16.2.

**Pop 2010:** 14,755. **State rank:** 2136. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.9%; 2000-2005 -1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,198 (White 97.6%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.2%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.2%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 45.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $20,573; median household $38,352; **Pop**

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## Rusk County (cont'd)

**below poverty level:** 16.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $24,276 - $26,835.

**Unemployment 2010:** 11.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 22 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SAINT CROIX COUNTY

1101 Carmichael Rd
Hudson, WI 54016
www.co.saint-croix.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-386-4600
**Fax:** 715-381-4400

On central western border of WI, east of Saint Paul, MN; organized Jan 9, 1840 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For the river, which flows through it; French 'holy cross,' probably for an early French explorer of that name who drowned in it.

**Area (sq mi):** 736.31 (land 722.33; water 13.98). **Pop per sq mi:** 116.8.

**Pop 2010:** 84,345. **State rank:** 658. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +9.3%; 2000-2005 +22.2%. **Pop 2005:** 77,144 (White 95.9%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.0%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 36.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,377; median household $67,446; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,657 - $37,784.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.3%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 51.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Hudson (12,719).

### SAUK COUNTY

Sauk County West Sq Bldg Rm #144 505 Broadway
**Ph:** 608-355-3286
Baraboo, WI 53913
www.co.sauk.wi.us

**Fax:** 608-355-3522

In south-central WI, northwest of Madison; organized Jan 11, 1840 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** Shortened form of Saukie, a local Indian tribe; French form is *Sac*. Meaning of the name is unclear: possibly 'something sprouting up' or 'yellow earth' from which their tradition says their first male sprang.

**Area (sq mi):** 841.70 (land 830.90; water 10.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 74.6.

**Pop 2010:** 61,976. **State rank:** 862. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.3%; 2000-2005 +4.6%. **Pop 2005:** 57,746 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.5%; Others 4.3%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.9%. **Median age:** 40.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,452; median household $50,390; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,134 - $36,040.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 21 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Baraboo (12,048).

### SAWYER COUNTY

10610 Main St Ste 10
Hayward, WI 54843
www.sawyercountygov.org

**Ph:** 715-634-4866
**Fax:** 715-634-3666

In northwestern WI, north of Eau Claire; organized Mar 10, 1883 from Ashland and Chippewa counties. **Name Origin:** For Philetus Sawyer (1816-1900), U.S. representative from WI (1865-75) and U.S. senator (1881-93).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,351.21 (land 1,257.31; water 93.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 13.2.

**Pop 2010:** 16,557. **State rank:** 1965. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -2.5%; 2000-2005 +4.8%. **Pop 2005:** 16,975 (White 79.3%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 1.6%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.6%, including 16.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 47.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,527; median household $37,091; **Pop below poverty level:** 20.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,395 - $33,733.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.1%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHAWANO COUNTY

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Shawano, WI 54166
www.co.shawano.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-526-9150
**Fax:** 715-524-5157

In east-central WI, northwest of Green Bay; organized Feb 16, 1853 from Oconto County. **Name Origin:** For Shawano Lake, a Menominee word probably meaning 'to the south.'

**Area (sq mi):** 909.88 (land 893.06; water 16.82). **Pop per sq mi:** 47.

**Pop 2010:** 41,949. **State rank:** 1136. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +1.5%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 41,335 (White 88.8%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 7.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,539; median household $45,841; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $29,634 - $31,258.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 23 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 40.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### SHEBOYGAN COUNTY

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Sheboygan, WI 53081
www.co.sheboygan.wi.us

**Ph:** 920-459-3003
**Fax:** 920-459-0304

On central eastern coast of WI, southeast of Lake Winnebago; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For the Sheboygan River, from an Algonquian word whose meaning is unclear: possibly either 'reed like,' 'something that pierces,' or 'thundering under the ground.'

**Area (sq mi):** 1,268.61 (land 511.27; water 757.34). **Pop per sq mi:** 225.9.

**Pop 2010:** 115,507. **State rank:** 516. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.8%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 114,610 (White 89.9%; Black or African American 1.5%; Hispanic or Latino 5.5%; Asian 4.6%; Others 5.5%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.1%. **Median age:** 40.3.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sheboygan County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,976; median household $51,127; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,535 - $41,681.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sheboygan 🏛 (49,288); Franklin (35,451).

### TAYLOR COUNTY

224 S 2nd St
Medford, WI 54451
www.co.taylor.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-748-1400
**Fax:** 715-748-1415

In north-central WI, northwest of Wausau; organized Mar 4, 1875 from Clark and Lincoln counties. **Name Origin:** For William Robert Taylor (1820-1909), governor of WI (1874-76), known as the farmer governor.

**Area (sq mi):** 984.51 (land 974.88; water 9.63). **Pop per sq mi:** 21.2.

**Pop 2010:** 20,689. **State rank:** 1849. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 19,766 (White 97.9%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 1.5%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.5%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.2%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,639; median household $44,489; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,969 - $28,605.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### TREMPEALEAU COUNTY

36245 Main St
Whitehall, WI 54773
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**Ph:** 715-538-4351
**Fax:** 715-538-4210

On central western border of WI, southeast of Saint Paul, MN; organized Jan 27, 1854 from Chippewa County. **Name Origin:** For the town at the foot of a high elevation surrounded by water; French transliteration *la montagne qui termpe a l'eau* of an Indian word probably meaning 'mountain drenched with water.' The Trempealeau River forms the lower western border of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 740.87 (land 732.97; water 7.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.3.

**Pop 2010:** 28,816. **State rank:** 1493. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%; 2000-2005 +3.0%. **Pop 2005:** 27,812 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 5.8%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.8%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,224; median household $46,582; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $30,626 - $33,539.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +2.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 29.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VERNON COUNTY

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Viroqua, WI 54665
www.wisconline.com/counties/vernon

**Ph:** 608-637-5380
**Fax:** 608-637-5556

On southwestern border of WI, southwest of Madison; organized as Bad Axe County Mar 1, 1851 from Richland and Crawford counties; name changed Mar 22, 1862. **Name Origin:** For either Mount Vernon, first U.S. President George Washington's (1732-99) home overlooking the Potomac River in VA, or for George Vernon Weeks, a friend of the county judge. Originally for the Bad Ax River, which traverses it.

**Area (sq mi):** 813.12 (land 791.58; water 21.54). **Pop per sq mi:** 37.6.

**Pop 2010:** 29,773. **State rank:** 1438. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.5%; 2000-2005 +3.6%. **Pop 2005:** 29,055 (White 97.7%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 0.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 41.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $21,618; median household $43,632; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,645 - $28,989.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### VILAS COUNTY

330 Court St
Eagle River, WI 54521
www.co.vilas.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-479-3600
**Fax:** 715-479-3605

On central northern border of WI; organized Apr 12, 1893 from Oneida County. **Name Origin:** For Col. William Freeman Vilas (1840-1908), officer in the Civil War, U.S. postmaster general (1885-88), U.S. secretary of the interior (1888-89), and U.S. senator from WI (1891-97).

**Area (sq mi):** 1,000.73 (land 856.60; water 144.13). **Pop per sq mi:** 25.

**Pop 2010:** 21,430. **State rank:** 1741. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.0%; 2000-2005 +6.2%. **Pop 2005:** 22,330 (White 87.1%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 1.3%, including 11.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.8%. **Median age:** 50.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,128; median household $41,631; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,100 - $33,869.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 28.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### WALWORTH COUNTY

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Elkhorn, WI 53121
www.co.walworth.wi.us

**Ph:** 262-741-4241
**Fax:** 262-741-4287

On southeastern border of WI, southwest of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For Col. Reuben Hyde Walworth (1788-1867), officer in the War of 1812, jurist, and U.S. representative from NY (1821-23); unconfirmed nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court (1844).

**Area (sq mi):** 576.32 (land 555.13; water 21.19). **Pop per sq mi:** 184.2.

**Pop 2010:** 102,228. **State rank:** 571. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.4%; 2000-2005 +6.5%. **Pop 2005:** 99,844 (White 91.9%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 10.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 10.3%,

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## Walworth County (cont'd)

including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 6.7%. **Median age:** 38.1.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,769; median household $54,487; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,946 - $33,564.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 36.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Whitewater (14,390); Elkhorn (10,084).

**WASHBURN COUNTY**
10 Fourth Ave P.O. Box 339 **Ph:** 715-468-4677
Shell Lake, WI 54871 **Fax:** 715-468-4678
www.co.washburn.wi.us

In northwestern WI; organized Mar 27, 1883 from Burnett County. **Name Origin:** For Cadwallader Colden Washburn (1818-82), U.S. representative (1855-61; 1867-71) and governor of WI (1872-74).

**Area (sq mi):** 840.48 (land 797.11; water 43.37). **Pop per sq mi:** 20.

**Pop 2010:** 15,911. **State rank:** 1979. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -4.2%; 2000-2005 +3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 16,601 (White 96.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 1.3%; Asian 0.4%; Others 1.3%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.1%. **Median age:** 47.7.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,221; median household $41,641; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $27,998 - $31,922.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.6%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 30.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY**
432 E Washington St Ste 2027 **Ph:** 262-335-4305
West Bend, WI 53095 **Fax:** 262-306-2208
www.co.washington.wi.us

In southeastern WI, northwest of Milwaukee; organized Dec 7, 1836 (prior to statehood) from a territorial county. **Name Origin:** For George Washington (1732-99), American patriot and first U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 435.77 (land 430.70; water 5.07). **Pop per sq mi:** 306.2.

**Pop 2010:** 131,887. **State rank:** 462. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.5%; 2000-2005 +7.4%. **Pop 2005:** 126,158 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 2.6%; Asian 1.1%; Others 2.6%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.6%. **Median age:** 40.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,580; median household $64,434; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,782 - $42,929.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.4 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 49.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** West Bend (31,078); Germantown (19,749); Hartford (14,223); Richfield (11,300).

**WAUKESHA COUNTY**
1320 Pewaukee Rd, Rm 120 **Ph:** 262-548-7010
Waukesha, WI 53188 **Fax:** 262-548-7722
www.waukeshacounty.gov

In southeastern WI, west of Milwaukee; organized Jan 31, 1846 (prior to statehood) from Milwaukee County. **Name Origin:** For the Fox River and the Fox Indian tribe, from Potawatomi *wakusheg* foxes.

**Area (sq mi):** 574.48 (land 549.57; water 24.91). **Pop per sq mi:** 709.4.

**Pop 2010:** 389,891. **State rank:** 171. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +2.9%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 378,971 (White 93.3%; Black or African American 1.3%; Hispanic or Latino 4.1%; Asian 2.7%; Others 4.1%, including 0.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 4.4%. **Median age:** 42.

**Income 2007:** per capita $36,752; median household $75,064; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,950 - $51,868.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.4%. **Change from 2007:** +3.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 23.1 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 38.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** 8 (see page 46 for cities).

**WAUPACA COUNTY**
811 Harding Ave **Ph:** 715-258-6200
Waupaca, WI 54983 **Fax:** 715-258-6212
www.co.waupaca.wi.us

In east-central WI, west of Green Bay; organized Feb 17, 1851 from Winnebago and Brown counties. **Name Origin:** From an Indian name of various interpretations; the most probable is 'place of clear water.'

**Area (sq mi):** 761.95 (land 747.71; water 14.24). **Pop per sq mi:** 70.1.

**Pop 2010:** 52,410. **State rank:** 942. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.3%; 2000-2005 +1.6%. **Pop 2005:** 52,563 (White 97.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 2.5%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.5%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.3%. **Median age:** 43.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,293; median household $46,876; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $33,440 - $35,501.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 32.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WAUSHARA COUNTY**
209 S Saint Marie St **Ph:** 920-787-0442
Wautoma, WI 54982 **Fax:** 920-787-0481
www.1waushara.com

In east-central WI, west of Lake Winnebago; organized Feb 15, 1851 from Marquette County. **Name Origin:** From an Indian word possibly meaning 'good land river' or for a Winnebago word meaning 'foxes.' Corruption of the name of a Winnebago chief, an ancient Winnebago village, and the Indian name for Fox Lake.

**Area (sq mi):** 637.51 (land 626.15; water 11.36). **Pop per sq mi:** 39.1.

**Pop 2010:** 24,496. **State rank:** 1607. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -1.2%; 2000-2005 +7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 24,789 (White 93.9%; Black or African American 1.9%; Hispanic or Latino 5.4%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.4%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.5%. **Median age:** 46.2.

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,002; median household $42,540; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:**

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Waushara County (cont'd)

$26,797 - $28,933.

**Unemployment 2010:** 10%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 26.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 47.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WINNEBAGO COUNTY**
PO Box 2808 415 Jackson St 4th Fl
Oshkosh, WI 54903
www.co.winnebago.wi.us

**Ph:** 920-236-4848
**Fax:** 920-303-3025

In east-central WI, west of Lake Winnebago; organized Jan 6, 1840 (prior to statehood) from Brown County. **Name Origin:** For the Winnebago Indians, a tribe of Siouan linguistic stock; their name believed to mean 'fish eaters.'

**Area (sq mi):** 574.61 (land 434.49; water 140.12). **Pop per sq mi:** 384.3.

**Pop 2010:** 166,994. **State rank:** 372. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.7%; 2000-2005 +1.7%. **Pop 2005:** 159,482 (White 92.5%; Black or African American 1.8%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 2.3%; Others 3.5%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.4%. **Median age:** 37.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,383; median household $50,974; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,342 - $36,034.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 25.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Oshkosh 🏛 (66,083); Neenah (25,501); Menasha (17,353).

**WOOD COUNTY**
PO Box 8095
Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54495-5809
www.co.wood.wi.us

**Ph:** 715-421-8460
**Fax:** 715-421-8808

In central WI, southwest of Wausau; organized Mar 29, 1856 from Portage County. **Name Origin:** For Joseph Wood, legislator, county judge, and mayor of Grand Rapids.

**Area (sq mi):** 809.80 (land 793.12; water 16.68). **Pop per sq mi:** 94.2.

**Pop 2010:** 74,749. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 -0.6%; 2000-2005 -.4%. **Pop 2005:** 75,234 (White 95.0%; Black or African American 0.5%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 1.8%; Others 2.2%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.3%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,893; median household $47,204; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,772 - $37,659.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.4%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 14.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Marshfield (19,118); Wisconsin Rapids 🏛 (18,367).

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**WYOMING STATE INFORMATION**
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Cheyenne, WY 82001-1364
www.wyoming.gov

**Area (sq mi):** 97,813.56 (land 97,100.40; water 713.16). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.8.

**Pop 2010:** 563,626. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.7%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 509,294 (White 90.7%; Black or African American 0.8%; Hispanic or Latino 8.9%; Asian 0.8%; Others 8.9%, including 2.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Median age:** 35.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $47,851; median household $53,802; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.80%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $45,281 - $44,961.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 18.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.9%.

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**ALBANY COUNTY**
525 Grand Ave, Suite 205 **Ph:** 307-721-2502
Laramie, WY 82070 **Fax:** 307-721-2503
www.co.albany.wy.us

On the southeastern border of WY, west of Cheyenne; organized Dec 16, 1868 (prior to statehood) from Laramie County. **Name Origin:** For Albany, NY, former home of Charles D. Bradley, a member of the legislature.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,309.88 (land 4,273.84; water 36.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 8.5.

**Pop 2010:** 36,299. **State rank:** 1319. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +17.5%; 2000-2005 -3.5%. **Pop 2005:** 30,890 (White 90.1%; Black or African American 1.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 2.8%; Others 8.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 5.5%. **Median age:** 26.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,622; median household $42,890; **Pop below poverty level:** 21.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $32,864 - $34,861.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.4%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Laramie 🏛 (30,816).

**BIG HORN COUNTY**
420 W 'C' St **Ph:** 307-568-2357
Basin, WY 82410 **Fax:** 307-568-9375
www.bighorncountywy.gov

On the central northern border of WY; organized 1896 from Fremont and Johnson counties. **Name Origin:** For the Big Horn River, which traverses the county, and the Big Horn Mountains, which form its eastern border; both are named for the bighorn sheep in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 3,159.07 (land 3,137.10; water 21.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.7.

**Pop 2010:** 11,668. **State rank:** 2314. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.0%; 2000-2005 -1.1%. **Pop 2005:** 11,333 (White 94.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 8.4%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.4%, including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,486; median household $48,270; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,927 - $31,073.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 13.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CAMPBELL COUNTY**
500 S Gillette Ave, Suite 1600 PO Box 3010 **Ph:** 307-682-7285
Gillette, WY 82717 **Fax:** 307-687-6455
ccg.co.campbell.wy.us

On northeastern border of WY; organized Feb 13, 1911 from Crook and Weston counties. **Name Origin:** Probably for Gen. John Allen Campbell (1835-80), Civil War officer and first territorial governor of WY (1869-75); or possibly for Robert Campbell, member of an expedition into the Missouri River area in 1822.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,807.51 (land 4,802.71; water 4.80). **Pop per sq mi:** 9.6.

**Pop 2010:** 46,133. **State rank:** 1074. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +23.3%; 2000-2005 +11.0%. **Pop 2005:** 37,405 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 7.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 7.8%, including 1.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 31.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,968; median household $76,576; **Pop below poverty level:** 6.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $44,964 - $45,753.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 20.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.1%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Gillette 🏛 (29,087).

**CARBON COUNTY**
816 W Spruce St PO Box 1017 **Ph:** 307-328-2668
Rawlins, WY 82301 **Fax:** 307-328-2669
www.wyomingcarboncounty.com

On the central southern border of WY; organized Dec 16, 1868 (prior to statehood) from Laramie County. **Name Origin:** For vast coal deposits within its boundaries.

**Area (sq mi):** 7,965.47 (land 7,897.58; water 67.89). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.

**Pop 2010:** 15,885. **State rank:** 2056. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +3.6%;

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## Carbon County (cont'd)

2000-2005 -2.0%. **Pop 2005:** 15,331 (White 88.8%; Black or African American 0.7%; Hispanic or Latino 16.8%; Asian 0.7%; Others 16.8%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.7%. **Median age:** 38.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,122; median household $56,565; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,162 - $38,291.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.6%. **Change from 2007:** +4.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CONVERSE COUNTY**
107 N 5th St, Suite 114
Douglas, WY 82633
www.conversecounty.org
**Ph:** 307-358-2244
**Fax:** 307-358-5998

In east-central WY, east of Casper; organized Mar 9, 1888 (prior to statehood) from Albany County. **Name Origin:** For Amasa Converse (1842-85), WY Territory official and Cheyenne businessman who established the Converse Cattle Company.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,265.26 (land 4,254.88; water 10.38). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.3.

**Pop 2010:** 13,833. **State rank:** 2189. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.4%; 2000-2005 +5.9%. **Pop 2005:** 12,766 (White 95.1%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 6.3%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.9%. **Median age:** 39.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,656; median household $54,599; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.7%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,760 - $43,338.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 30.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 23.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**CROOK COUNTY**
309 Cleveland St
Sundance, WY 82729
www.newedc.net/crook/index.htm
**Ph:** 307-283-1323
**Fax:** 307-283-3038

On the northeastern border of WY, northeast of Gillette; created Dec 8, 1875 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Gen. George H. Crook (1829-90), officer in the Oregon Territory and Indian fighter; called Gray Fox by the Shoshones.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,866.34 (land 2,854.41; water 11.93). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.5.

**Pop 2010:** 7,083. **State rank:** 2700. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +14.6%; 2000-2005 +5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,182 (White 97.2%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.0%; Asian 0.2%; Others 2.0%, including 0.7% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.7%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,520; median household $49,890; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.8%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $40,182 - $42,053.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.8%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.7%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**FREMONT COUNTY**
450 N 2nd St
Lander, WY 82520
www.fremontcounty.org
**Ph:** 307-332-2405
**Fax:** 307-332-1132

In west-central WY, west of Casper; organized Mar 5, 1884 (prior to statehood) from Sweetwater County. **Name Origin:** For John Charles Fremont (1813-90), soldier and explorer who led five expeditions to the West, U.S. senator from CA (1850-51), and governor of the AZ Territory (1878-81).

**Area (sq mi):** 9,267.34 (land 9,183.81; water 83.53). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 40,123. **State rank:** 1199. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +10.0%; 2000-2005 +1.9%. **Pop 2005:** 36,491 (White 74.3%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 5.6%; Asian 0.4%; Others 5.6%, including 21.2% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 38.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,173; median household $46,397; **Pop below poverty level:** 14.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,925 - $37,696.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Riverton (10,615).

**GOSHEN COUNTY**
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Torrington, WY 82240
goshencounty.org
**Ph:** 307-532-4051
**Fax:** 307-532-7375

On the southeastern border of WY, northeast of Cheyenne; created Feb 9, 1911 from Platte and Laramie counties. **Name Origin:** For Goshen Hole Valley, which was probably named for the Biblical Egyptian home of the Israelites before the Exodus; generally interpreted as 'land of abundance or plenty.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,232.23 (land 2,225.39; water 6.84). **Pop per sq mi:** 6.

**Pop 2010:** 13,249. **State rank:** 2272. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.2%; 2000-2005 -2.4%. **Pop 2005:** 12,243 (White 94.5%; Black or African American 0.6%; Hispanic or Latino 9.7%; Asian 0.3%; Others 9.7%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.5%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $23,753; median household $42,590; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $31,722 - $32,287.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.1%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 19.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 20.2%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**HOT SPRINGS COUNTY**
415 Arapahoe St
Thermopolis, WY 82443
www.hscounty.com
**Ph:** 307-864-3515
**Fax:** 307-864-3333

In west-central WY; created Feb 9, 1911 from Fremont, Park, and Big Horn counties. **Name Origin:** For the hot springs located in the county seat.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,006.41 (land 2,004.09; water 2.32). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.4.

**Pop 2010:** 4,812. **State rank:** 2855. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.1%; 2000-2005 -7.1%. **Pop 2005:** 4,537 (White 95.8%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.2%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 48.6.

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Hot Springs County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $25,269; median household $42,469; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $36,920 - $39,480.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.2%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 11.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### JOHNSON COUNTY

76 N Main St
Buffalo, WY 82834
www.johnsoncountywyoming.org

**Ph:** 307-684-7272
**Fax:** 307-684-2708

In north-central WY, north of Casper; created as Pease County Dec 8, 1875 (prior to statehood) from Pease County; name changed Dec 13, 1879. **Name Origin:** For E.P. Johnson, a Cheyenne lawyer. Originally named for Dr. E. L. Pease.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,162.57 (land 4,154.15; water 8.42). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 8,569. **State rank:** 2547. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.0%; 2000-2005 +9.1%. **Pop 2005:** 7,721 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 3.2%; Asian 0.4%; Others 3.2%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 44.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,753; median household $45,638; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,326 - $41,699.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.3%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.5 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### LARAMIE COUNTY

309 W 20th St
Cheyenne, WY 82001
webgate.co.laramie.wy.us

**Ph:** 307-633-4270
**Fax:** 307-633-4277

On the southeastern border of WY; first county in WY; created Jan 9, 1867 (prior to statehood). **Name Origin:** For Jacques LaRamie (?-c.1818), a respected French-Canadian trapper killed by Indians near the river, which was later named for him. Also spelled *LaRamie* or *LaRamee*.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,687.49 (land 2,685.91; water 1.58). **Pop per sq mi:** 34.2.

**Pop 2010:** 91,738. **State rank:** 633. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.7%; 2000-2005 +4.4%. **Pop 2005:** 85,163 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 2.5%; Hispanic or Latino 13.1%; Asian 1.1%; Others 13.1%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 3.0%. **Median age:** 37.

**Income 2007:** per capita $27,406; median household $52,824; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,797 - $44,419.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.5%. **Change from 2007:** +4%. **Median travel time to work:** 15.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 5.8%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Cheyenne 🏛 (59,466).

### LINCOLN COUNTY

925 Sage Ave, Suite 101 PO Box 670
Kemmerer, WY 83101
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**Ph:** 307-877-9056
**Fax:** 307-877-3101

On the southwestern border of WY; created Feb 20, 1911 from Uinta County. **Name Origin:** For Abraham Lincoln (1809-65), sixteenth U.S. president.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,096.05 (land 4,076.13; water 19.92). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.4.

**Pop 2010:** 18,106. **State rank:** 1963. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +13.2%; 2000-2005 +9.8%. **Pop 2005:** 15,999 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.3%; Asian 0.3%; Others 4.3%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 2.7%. **Median age:** 37.4.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,421; median household $57,794; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $37,419 - $35,096.

**Unemployment 2010:** 9.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6.7%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 21.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

### NATRONA COUNTY

115 N. Center Suite 100
Casper, WY 82601
www.natronacounty-wy.gov

**Ph:** 307-235-9243
**Fax:** 307-235-9493

In east-central WY; created Mar 9, 1888 (prior to statehood) from Carbon County. **Name Origin:** For the mineral natron, or trona, a sodium carbonate, found in the area.

**Area (sq mi):** 5,376.18 (land 5,340.35; water 35.83). **Pop per sq mi:** 14.1.

**Pop 2010:** 75,450. **State rank:** 723. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.1%; 2000-2005 +4.9%. **Pop 2005:** 69,799 (White 92.8%; Black or African American 0.9%; Hispanic or Latino 6.9%; Asian 0.7%; Others 6.9%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 36.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,235; median household $50,936; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.4%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $49,661 - $49,050.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.2%. **Change from 2007:** +4.6%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Casper 🏛 (55,316).

### NIOBRARA COUNTY

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Lusk, WY 82225
www.niobraracounty.org

**Ph:** 307-334-2211
**Fax:** 307-334-3013

On the central eastern border of WY, east of Casper, created Feb 14, 1911 from Converse County. **Name Origin:** For the Niobrara River, which flows through the county, or for the Niobrara Indian tribe; from an Omaha-Poca Indian word *ni obthantha ko* 'spreading water river.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,628.13 (land 2,626.04; water 2.09). **Pop per sq mi:** 0.9.

**Pop 2010:** 2,484. **State rank:** 3011. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.7%; 2000-2005 -5.0%. **Pop 2005:** 2,286 (White 96.5%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 2.1%; Asian 0.4%; Others 2.1%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.5%. **Median age:** 46.1.

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## Niobrara County (cont'd)

**Income 2007:** per capita $22,885; median household $45,813; **Pop below poverty level:** 11.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $35,978 - $39,233.

**Unemployment 2010:** 5.5%. **Change from 2007:** +2.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 7.0%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PARK COUNTY**
1002 Sheridan Ave
Cody, WY 82414
www.parkcounty.us
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**Fax:** 307-527-8626

On the northwestern border of WY; organized Feb 15, 1909 from Sweetwater, Fremont, and Big Horn counties. **Name Origin:** For Yellowstone National Park, which forms the northwestern part of the county.

**Area (sq mi):** 6,968.19 (land 6,942.08; water 26.11). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.1.

**Pop 2010:** 28,205. **State rank:** 1484. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.8%; 2000-2005 +3.4%. **Pop 2005:** 26,664 (White 95.6%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 4.8%; Asian 0.6%; Others 4.8%, including 0.6% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.9%. **Median age:** 43.6.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,203; median household $46,637; **Pop below poverty level:** 9.0%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $42,841 - $44,762.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +3.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.6 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**PLATTE COUNTY**
PO Box 728
Wheatland, WY 82201
www.plattecountywyoming.com
**Ph:** 307-322-3555
**Fax:** 307-322-2245

In southeastern WY, north of Cheyenne; created Feb 9, 1911 from Laramie County. **Name Origin:** For the North Platte River, which flows through the county; French 'flat' or 'still.'

**Area (sq mi):** 2,110.18 (land 2,084.21; water 25.97). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 8,667. **State rank:** 2572. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +0.6%; 2000-2005 -2.1%. **Pop 2005:** 8,619 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.7%; Asian 0.4%; Others 6.7%, including 0.4% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 1.4%. **Median age:** 47.5.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,185; median household $42,947; **Pop below poverty level:** 10.3%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $34,725 - $40,617.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.9%. **Median travel time to work:** 16.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 9.9%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SHERIDAN COUNTY**
224 S Main St, Suite B-2
Sheridan, WY 82801
www.sheridancounty.com
**Ph:** 307-674-2500
**Fax:** 307-674-2529

On the central northern border of WY; created Mar 9, 1888 from Johnson County. **Name Origin:** For the county's major town and county seat, itself named for Gen. Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-88), Union officer during the Civil War and commander in chief of the U.S. army (1883-88).

**Area (sq mi):** 2,527.74 (land 2,523.99; water 3.75). **Pop per sq mi:** 11.5.

**Pop 2010:** 29,116. **State rank:** 1445. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +6.3%; 2000-2005 +3.1%. **Pop 2005:** 27,389 (White 95.4%; Black or African American 0.4%; Hispanic or Latino 3.5%; Asian 0.7%; Others 3.5%, including 0.1% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.1%. **Median age:** 41.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $26,756; median household $48,141; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.5%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $51,789 - $49,041.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7.8%. **Change from 2007:** +5%. **Median travel time to work:** 17.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 8.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Sheridan (17,444).

**SUBLETTE COUNTY**
PO Box 250
Pinedale, WY 82941
www.visitsublettecounty.com
**Ph:** 307-367-4372
**Fax:** 307-367-6396

In west-central WY; organized Feb 15, 1921 from Fremont County. **Name Origin:** For William Lewis Sublette (1799-1845), fur trader and explorer of the Rocky Mountain region.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,939.62 (land 4,886.54; water 53.08). **Pop per sq mi:** 2.1.

**Pop 2010:** 10,247. **State rank:** 2527. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +47.9%; 2000-2005 +17.0%. **Pop 2005:** 6,926 (White 93.2%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 6.9%; Asian 0.5%; Others 6.9%, including 0.8% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.2%. **Median age:** 38.3.

**Income 2007:** per capita $31,433; median household $70,147; **Pop below poverty level:** 4.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $55,881 - $55,342.

**Unemployment 2010:** 4.6%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 24.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 12.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**SWEETWATER COUNTY**
PO Box 730
Green River, WY 82935-5073
www.co.sweet.wy.us
**Ph:** 307-875-2611
**Fax:** 307-872-6337

On the southern border of WY; largest county in WY. Created as Carter County Dec 27, 1867 (prior to statehood) from Laramie County; name changed Dec 13, 1869. **Name Origin:** For the Sweetwater River, which flows through Fremont County, at that time still a part of Sweetwater County. Originally named for Judge W.A. Carter.

**Area (sq mi):** 10,492.52 (land 10,426.65; water 65.87). **Pop per sq mi:** 4.2.

**Pop 2010:** 43,806. **State rank:** 1134. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +15.4%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 37,975 (White 88.5%; Black or African American 1.0%; Hispanic or Latino 15.3%; Asian 0.8%; Others 15.3%,

**Source: Personal per capita income data are from the Bureau of Economic Analysis; per capita income data are from the Bureau of the Census. See Introduction for explanation of differences.*

## Sweetwater County (cont'd)

including 1.0% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 5.8%. **Median age:** 32.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $30,961; median household $69,828; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $43,962 - $44,734.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.5%. **Median travel time to work:** 22.3 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 4.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Rock Springs (23,036); Green River 🏛 (12,515).

**TETON COUNTY**
PO Box 1727
Jackson, WY 83001
www.tetonwyo.org

**Ph:** 307-733-4430
**Fax:** 307-739-8681

On the northwestern border of WY; created Feb 15, 1921 from Lincoln County. **Name Origin:** For the Teton Mountains.

**Area (sq mi):** 4,209.42 (land 3,995.38; water 214.04). **Pop per sq mi:** 5.3.

**Pop 2010:** 21,294. **State rank:** 1779. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +11.9%; 2000-2005 +4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 19,032 (White 88.4%; Black or African American 0.2%; Hispanic or Latino 15.0%; Asian 1.1%; Others 15.0%, including 0.5% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 9.0%. **Median age:** 36.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $42,224; median household $70,271; **Pop below poverty level:** 8.2%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $124,742 - $94,672.

**Unemployment 2010:** 8.2%. **Change from 2007:** +6%. **Median travel time to work:** 14.9 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 3.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**UINTA COUNTY**
225 9th St
Evanston, WY 82931-1341
www.uintacounty.com

**Ph:** 307-783-0301
**Fax:** 307-783-7432

On the southwestern border of WY; original county, organized Dec 1, 1869 (prior to statehood); smallest county in WY. **Name Origin:** For the Uintah Mountains or the Uinta Indian tribe.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,087.16 (land 2,081.26; water 5.90). **Pop per sq mi:** 10.1.

**Pop 2010:** 21,118. **State rank:** 1768. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +5.9%; 2000-2005 +1.0%. **Pop 2005:** 19,939 (White 92.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 8.8%; Asian 0.3%; Others 8.8%, including 0.2% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander). **Foreign born:** 2.9%. **Median age:** 33.9.

**Income 2007:** per capita $24,460; median household $58,346; **Pop below poverty level:** 12.1%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $41,876 - $40,993.

**Unemployment 2010:** 7%. **Change from 2007:** +4.3%. **Median travel time to work:** 21.7 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 16.6%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** Evanston 🏛 (12,359).

**WASHAKIE COUNTY**
1001 Big Horn Ave
Worland, WY 82401
www.washakiecounty.net

**Ph:** 307-347-3131
**Fax:** 307-347-9366

In north-central WY; created Feb 9, 1911 from Big Horn and Johnson counties. **Name Origin:** For Washakie (1804-1900), the Shoshone Indian chief and ally of the whites; meaning of name is uncertain but possibly 'rattler,' for the one he made and used to lead his men to battle.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,241.24 (land 2,238.55; water 2.69). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.8.

**Pop 2010:** 8,533. **State rank:** 2598. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +7.6%; 2000-2005 -4.3%. **Pop 2005:** 7,933 (White 91.4%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 13.6%; Asian 0.6%; Others 13.6%, including 1.1% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 3.5%. **Median age:** 41.8.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,557; median household $48,379; **Pop below poverty level:** 5.6%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,899 - $39,135.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.5%. **Change from 2007:** +3%. **Median travel time to work:** 12.8 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 6.3%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

**WESTON COUNTY**
1 W Main St
Newcastle, WY 82701
www.westongov.com

**Ph:** 307-746-4744
**Fax:** 307-746-9505

On the northeastern border of WY; organized Mar 12, 1890 from Crook County. **Name Origin:** For John B. Weston, geologist and surveyor who located large anthracite deposits that eventually brought the railroad to WY.

**Area (sq mi):** 2,400.30 (land 2,398.09; water 2.21). **Pop per sq mi:** 3.

**Pop 2010:** 7,208. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +8.0%; 2000-2005 +.4%. **Pop 2005:** 6,671 (White 95.5%; Black or African American 0.3%; Hispanic or Latino 3.0%; Asian 0.3%; Others 3.0%, including 1.3% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 0.8%.

**Income 2007:** per capita $28,463; median household $53,853; **Pop below poverty level:** 7.9%. ***Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $39,679 - $44,420.

**Unemployment 2010:** 6.3%. **Change from 2007:** +3.1%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 17.5%.

**Cities with pop over 10,000:** None.

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# Statistical Tables (County Rankings)

## Counties Ranked by Population (2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Los Angeles County, CA | 9,818,605 |
| Cook County, IL | 5,194,675 |
| Harris County, TX | 4,092,459 |
| Maricopa County, AZ | 3,817,117 |
| San Diego County, CA | 3,095,313 |
| Orange County, CA | 3,010,232 |
| Kings County, NY | 2,504,700 |
| Miami-Dade County, FL | 2,496,435 |
| Dallas County, TX | 2,368,139 |
| Queens County, NY | 2,230,722 |
| Riverside County, CA | 2,189,641 |
| San Bernardino County, CA | 2,035,210 |
| Clark County, NV | 1,951,269 |
| King County, WA | 1,931,249 |
| Wayne County, MI | 1,820,584 |
| Tarrant County, TX | 1,809,034 |
| Santa Clara County, CA | 1,781,642 |
| Broward County, FL | 1,748,066 |
| Bexar County, TX | 1,714,773 |
| New York County, NY | 1,585,873 |
| Philadelphia County, PA | 1,526,006 |
| Alameda County, CA | 1,510,271 |
| Middlesex County, MA | 1,503,085 |
| Suffolk County, NY | 1,493,350 |
| Sacramento County, CA | 1,418,788 |

## Counties Ranked by Population Growth (2005-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Harris County, TX | 399,409 |
| Riverside County, CA | 243,222 |
| Clark County, NV | 240,718 |
| Bexar County, TX | 196,403 |
| Tarrant County, TX | 188,555 |
| Maricopa County, AZ | 181,589 |
| San Diego County, CA | 161,851 |
| Wake County, NC | 152,178 |
| Pinal County, AZ | 146,221 |
| King County, WA | 137,666 |
| Travis County, TX | 136,081 |
| Mecklenburg County, NC | 123,256 |
| Orange County, FL | 122,933 |
| Collin County, TX | 122,884 |
| Fort Bend County, TX | 121,725 |
| Miami-Dade County, FL | 120,421 |
| Denton County, TX | 107,972 |
| Hillsborough County, FL | 97,074 |
| Hidalgo County, TX | 96,494 |
| Williamson County, TX | 89,222 |
| Kern County, CA | 82,806 |
| Santa Clara County, CA | 82,590 |
| Salt Lake County, UT | 81,483 |
| El Paso County, TX | 79,049 |
| Gwinnett County, GA | 79,048 |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage of Population Growth (2005-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Pinal County, AZ | +63.7% |
| Sublette County, WY | +47.9% |
| Sumter County, FL | +45.6% |
| Kendall County, IL | +44.3% |
| Geary County, KS | +39.8% |
| Eureka County, NV | +39.1% |
| North Slope Borough, AK | +36.2% |
| Teton County, ID | +36.2% |
| Forest County, PA | +34.4% |
| Lincoln County, SD | +34.3% |
| Lanier County, GA | +33.4% |
| Loving County, TX | +32.3% |
| Long County, GA | +30.5% |
| McIntosh County, GA | +29.5% |
| Garza County, TX | +29.2% |
| Broomfield City & County, CO | +28.5% |
| Dallas County, IA | +27.8% |
| Guadalupe County, TX | +27.7% |
| Dooly County, GA | +27.0% |
| Williamson County, TX | +26.8% |
| Paulding County, GA | +26.6% |
| Fort Bend County, TX | +26.3% |
| Hays County, TX | +26.3% |
| Schleicher County, TX | +26.2% |
| Flagler County, FL | +25.2% |

## Counties Ranked by Population Loss (2005-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Wayne County, MI | -177,633 |
| Los Angeles County, CA | -116,870 |
| Orleans Parish, LA | -111,034 |
| Cook County, IL | -109,008 |
| Cuyahoga County, OH | -55,195 |
| Broward County, FL | -29,572 |
| Saint Bernard Parish, LA | -29,467 |
| Saint Louis City Hall, MO | -25,068 |
| Jefferson Parish, LA | -20,272 |
| Genesee County, MI | -18,093 |
| Mahoning County, OH | -15,451 |
| Baltimore (Independent City), MD | -14,854 |
| Providence County, RI | -12,986 |
| Allegheny County, PA | -12,493 |
| Montgomery County, OH | -12,282 |
| DuPage County, IL | -12,189 |
| Oakland County, MI | -11,999 |
| Erie County, NY | -11,663 |
| Pinellas County, FL | -11,490 |
| Queens County, NY | -10,878 |
| Barnstable County, MA | -10,626 |
| Fayette County, PA | -9,536 |
| Trumbull County, OH | -8,984 |
| Clayton County, GA | -8,542 |
| Saint Clair County, MI | -8,386 |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage of Population Loss (2005-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, AK | -69.0% |
| Wrangell-Petersburg Census Area, AK | -62.1% |
| Saint Bernard Parish, LA | -45.1% |
| Cameron Parish, LA | -28.4% |
| Issaquena County, MS | -26.3% |
| Orleans Parish, LA | -24.4% |
| Golden Valley County, MT | -23.7% |
| Mineral County, CO | -23.6% |
| Cusseta-Chattahoochee County, GA | -23.2% |
| Plaquemines Parish, LA | -20.5% |
| McMullen County, TX | -19.9% |
| Kalawao County, HI | -18.9% |
| Jefferson County, MS | -18.1% |
| Sharkey County, MS | -17.6% |
| Baker County, GA | -16.9% |
| Claiborne County, MS | -16.4% |
| Accomack County, VA | -15.9% |
| Kiowa County, KS | -14.4% |
| Tensas Parish, LA | -14.3% |
| Hale County, AL | -14.0% |
| Dewey County, SD | -14.0% |
| Cottle County, TX | -13.8% |
| Swift County, MN | -13.6% |
| Quitman County, MS | -13.6% |
| Washington County, MS | -13.6% |

## Counties Having the Most Cities with Populations of 10,000+

(see page 31 for a full county-by-county list of cities with populations over 10,000)

| | |
|---|---|
| Los Angeles County, CA | 101 |
| Cook County, IL | 79 |
| Suffolk County, NY | 58 |
| Miami-Dade County, FL | 50 |
| Nassau County, NY | 44 |
| Orange County, CA | 37 |
| Riverside County, CA | 35 |
| Cuyahoga County, OH | 34 |
| King County, WA | 34 |
| Prince George's County, MD | 33 |
| Bergen County, NJ | 31 |
| San Bernardino County, CA | 30 |
| San Diego County, CA | 30 |
| Fairfax County, VA | 29 |
| Hillsborough County, FL | 27 |
| Broward County, FL | 26 |
| Saint Louis County, MO | 26 |
| Contra Costa County, CA | 25 |
| Montgomery County, MD | 24 |
| DuPage County, IL | 23 |
| Baltimore County, MD | 23 |
| Middlesex County, MA | 23 |
| Wayne County, MI | 23 |
| Maricopa County, AZ | 22 |
| Sacramento County, CA | 22 |

## Counties Ranked by Population Growth (2000-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Maricopa County, AZ | 744,968 |
| Harris County, TX | 691,881 |
| Riverside County, CA | 644,254 |
| Clark County, NV | 575,504 |
| Tarrant County, TX | 362,815 |
| San Bernardino County, CA | 325,776 |
| Bexar County, TX | 321,842 |
| Los Angeles County, CA | 299,267 |
| Collin County, TX | 290,666 |
| San Diego County, CA | 281,480 |
| Wake County, NC | 273,147 |
| Orange County, FL | 249,612 |
| Miami-Dade County, FL | 243,073 |
| Fort Bend County, TX | 230,923 |
| Hillsborough County, FL | 230,278 |
| Denton County, TX | 229,638 |
| Mecklenburg County, NC | 224,174 |
| Gwinnett County, GA | 216,873 |
| Travis County, TX | 211,986 |
| Hidalgo County, TX | 205,306 |
| Pinal County, AZ | 196,043 |
| Sacramento County, CA | 195,289 |
| King County, WA | 194,215 |
| Palm Beach County, FL | 188,950 |
| Kern County, CA | 177,986 |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage of Population Growth (2000-2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Kendall County, IL | +110.35% |
| Pinal County, AZ | +109.08% |
| Flagler County, FL | +92.04% |
| Lincoln County, SD | +85.77% |
| Loudoun County, VA | +84.15% |
| Rockwall County, TX | +81.84% |
| Forsyth County, GA | +78.35% |
| Sumter County, FL | +75.12% |
| Paulding County, GA | +74.25% |
| Sublette County, WY | +73.09% |
| Henry County, GA | +70.87% |
| Teton County, ID | +69.53% |
| Williamson County, TX | +69.09% |
| Fort Bend County, TX | +65.15% |
| Union County, NC | +62.76% |
| Douglas County, CO | +62.41% |
| Dallas County, IA | +62.29% |
| Newton County, GA | +61.22% |
| Hays County, TX | +60.99% |
| Collin County, TX | +59.12% |
| Franklin County, WA | +58.39% |
| Delaware County, OH | +58.39% |
| Forest County, PA | +56.00% |
| Osceola County, FL | +55.77% |
| Montgomery County, TX | +55.14% |

## Counties Ranked by Highest Population Density (2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| New York County, NY | 69,467.50 |
| Kings County, NY | 35,369.10 |
| Bronx County, NY | 32,903.60 |
| Queens County, NY | 20,553.60 |
| San Francisco City & County, CA | 17,179.10 |
| Hudson County, NJ | 13,731.40 |
| Suffolk County, MA | 12,415.70 |
| Philadelphia County, PA | 11,379.50 |
| Alexandria (Independent City), VA | 9,314.30 |
| Richmond County, NY | 8,030.30 |
| Arlington County, VA | 7,993.60 |
| Baltimore (Independent City), MD | 7,671.50 |
| Essex County, NJ | 6,211.50 |
| Falls Church (Independent City), VA | 6,169.10 |
| Manassas Park (Independent City), VA | 5,632.60 |
| Cook County, IL | 5,495.10 |
| Union County, NJ | 5,216.10 |
| Saint Louis City Hall, MO | 5,157.50 |
| Nassau County, NY | 4,704.80 |
| Norfolk (Independent City), VA | 4,486.40 |
| Charlottesville (Independent City), VA | 4,246.40 |
| Milwaukee County, WI | 3,926.00 |
| Denver City & County, CO | 3,922.60 |
| Bergen County, NJ | 3,884.50 |
| Manassas (Independent City), VA | 3,827.60 |

## Counties Ranked by Lowest Population Density (2010)

| | |
|---|---|
| Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, AK | 0 |
| Denali Borough, AK | 0.1 |
| Lake & Peninsula Borough, AK | 0.1 |
| North Slope Borough, AK | 0.1 |
| Yakutat City & Borough, AK | 0.1 |
| Loving County, TX | 0.1 |
| Northwest Arctic Borough, AK | 0.2 |
| Esmeralda County, NV | 0.2 |
| Dillingham Census Area, AK | 0.3 |
| Southeast Fairbanks Census Area, AK | 0.3 |
| Valdez-Cordova Census Area, AK | 0.3 |
| Carter County, MT | 0.3 |
| Garfield County, MT | 0.3 |
| Petroleum County, MT | 0.3 |
| Harding County, NM | 0.3 |
| Kenedy County, TX | 0.3 |
| King County, TX | 0.3 |
| Aleutians East Borough, AK | 0.4 |
| Bethel Census Area, AK | 0.4 |
| Nome Census Area, AK | 0.4 |
| Wade Hampton Census Area, AK | 0.4 |
| Terrell County, TX | 0.4 |
| Powder River County, MT | 0.5 |
| Eureka County, NV | 0.5 |
| Lincoln County, NV | 0.5 |

## Counties Ranked by Per Capita Income (2005)

Data compiled by *Bureau of the Census*

| | |
|---|---|
| Marin County, CA | $44,962 |
| New York County, NY | $42,922 |
| Falls Church (Independent City), VA | $41,051 |
| Pitkin County, CO | $40,811 |
| Fairfield County, CT | $38,350 |
| Teton County, WY | $38,260 |
| Somerset County, NJ | $37,970 |
| Arlington County, VA | $37,706 |
| Alexandria (Independent City), VA | $37,645 |
| Morris County, NJ | $36,964 |
| Fairfax County, VA | $36,888 |
| Westchester County, NY | $36,726 |
| Hunterdon County, NJ | $36,370 |
| San Mateo County, CA | $36,045 |
| Montgomery County, MD | $35,684 |
| San Miguel County, CO | $35,329 |
| Douglas County, CO | $34,848 |
| Los Alamos County, NM | $34,646 |
| San Francisco City & County, CA | $34,556 |
| Summit County, UT | $33,767 |
| Bergen County, NJ | $33,638 |
| Loudoun County, VA | $33,530 |
| Collin County, TX | $33,345 |
| Hamilton County, IN | $33,109 |
| Santa Clara County, CA | $32,795 |

## Counties Ranked by Personal Per Capita Income (2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of Economic Analysis*

| | |
|---|---|
| Pitkin County, CO | $64,381 |
| New York County, NY | $59,149 |
| Arlington County, VA | $57,724 |
| Falls Church (Independent City), VA | $55,389 |
| Alexandria (Independent City), VA | $54,345 |
| Marin County, CA | $53,940 |
| Nantucket County, MA | $53,410 |
| Los Alamos County, NM | $49,474 |
| Fairfax County, VA | $49,001 |
| Hunterdon County, NJ | $48,489 |
| Fairfield County, CT | $48,295 |
| Westchester County, NY | $47,814 |
| Morris County, NJ | $47,342 |
| Montgomery County, MD | $47,310 |
| Somerset County, NJ | $47,067 |
| Mineral County, CO | $46,358 |
| San Francisco City & County, CA | $45,478 |
| Loudoun County, VA | $45,356 |
| Howard County, MD | $45,294 |
| Fairfax (Independent City), VA | $44,008 |
| San Mateo County, CA | $43,958 |
| Kalawao County, HI | $43,308 |
| Hinsdale County, CO | $43,293 |
| Douglas County, CO | $42,418 |
| Norfolk County, MA | $42,371 |

## Counties Ranked by Highest Percentage Below Poverty (2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of the Census*

| | |
|---|---|
| Shannon County, SD | 53.5% |
| Buffalo County, SD | 49.3% |
| Todd County, SD | 48.8% |
| Sioux County, ND | 47.2% |
| Ziebach County, SD | 46.0% |
| Hudspeth County, TX | 46.0% |
| Holmes County, MS | 43.4% |
| Willacy County, TX | 43.4% |
| Zavala County, TX | 43.0% |
| Humphreys County, MS | 42.9% |
| Allendale County, SC | 42.4% |
| Wolfe County, KY | 42.2% |
| Owsley County, KY | 41.5% |
| East Carroll Parish, LA | 40.8% |
| Issaquena County, MS | 39.7% |
| Leflore County, MS | 39.7% |
| Jefferson County, MS | 39.0% |
| Wilcox County, AL | 38.5% |
| Starr County, TX | 38.0% |
| Zapata County, TX | 37.6% |
| Elliott County, KY | 36.5% |
| Knox County, KY | 36.5% |
| Dimmit County, TX | 36.4% |
| Bolivar County, MS | 35.7% |
| Noxubee County, MS | 35.6% |

## Counties Ranked by Lowest Percentage Below Poverty (2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of the Census*

| | |
|---|---|
| King County, TX | 0% |
| Loving County, TX | 0% |
| Morgan County, UT | 1.1% |
| Irion County, TX | 1.5% |
| Los Alamos County, NM | 2.4% |
| Douglas County, CO | 2.9% |
| Loudoun County, VA | 3.2% |
| Elbert County, CO | 3.5% |
| Somerset County, NJ | 3.6% |
| Hinsdale County, CO | 3.7% |
| Kendall County, IL | 3.9% |
| York County, VA | 3.9% |
| Hunterdon County, NJ | 4.0% |
| Morris County, NJ | 4.0% |
| Stafford County, VA | 4.0% |
| Kalawao County, HI | 4.1% |
| Howard County, MD | 4.2% |
| Steele County, ND | 4.2% |
| Sublette County, WY | 4.2% |
| Yakutat City & Borough, AK | 4.3% |
| Lincoln County, SD | 4.3% |
| Borden County, TX | 4.3% |
| Hanover County, VA | 4.3% |
| Calvert County, MD | 4.4% |
| Washington County, NE | 4.4% |

## Counties Ranked by Growth of Personal Per Capita Income (2005-2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of Economic Analysis*

| | |
|---|---|
| Kalawao County, HI | $29,552 |
| King County, TX | $27,190 |
| Pitkin County, CO | $23,570 |
| Borden County, TX | $22,552 |
| Nantucket County, MA | $22,096 |
| Mineral County, CO | $21,883 |
| Hinsdale County, CO | $20,933 |
| Arlington County, VA | $20,018 |
| Edwards County, TX | $18,418 |
| Burke County, ND | $18,321 |
| Loving County, TX | $18,136 |
| Alexandria (Independent City), VA | $16,700 |
| New York County, NY | $16,227 |
| Thomas County, NE | $16,164 |
| Denali Borough, AK | $15,994 |
| Esmeralda County, NV | $15,600 |
| Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, AK | $15,562 |
| Madison County, MT | $15,261 |
| Los Alamos County, NM | $14,828 |
| Boone County, IN | $14,514 |
| Falls Church (Independent City), VA | $14,338 |
| Andrews County, TX | $13,689 |
| San Juan County, CO | $13,648 |
| Rappahannock County, VA | $13,286 |
| Oliver County, ND | $13,077 |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage Growth of Personal Per Capita Income (2005-2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of Economic Analysis*

| | |
|---|---|
| King County, TX | 220.68% |
| Kalawao County, HI | 314.83% |
| Edwards County, TX | 145.13% |
| Burke County, ND | 130.62% |
| Borden County, TX | 122.81% |
| Buffalo County, SD | 118.88% |
| Thomas County, NE | 105.41% |
| Bullock County, AL | 99.64% |
| Hinsdale County, CO | 93.62% |
| Mountrail County, ND | 91.94% |
| Madison County, MT | 90.07% |
| Mineral County, CO | 89.41% |
| McKenzie County, ND | 87.38% |
| Andrews County, TX | 86.01% |
| Sheridan County, ND | 82.84% |
| Esmeralda County, NV | 82.23% |
| Oliver County, ND | 80.37% |
| Mora County, NM | 78.57% |
| Uintah County, UT | 78.03% |
| Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, AK | 77.91% |
| San Juan County, CO | 77.62% |
| Clark County, ID | 77.16% |
| Billings County, ND | 77.10% |
| Grant County, ND | 76.79% |
| Duchesne County, UT | 76.76% |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage Rise in Unemployment (2007-2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of Labor Statistics*

| | |
|---|---|
| Hancock County, GA | 13.8% |
| Wilcox County, AL | 13.3% |
| Lyon County, NV | 13.1% |
| Dolores County, CO | 12.5% |
| Valley County, ID | 12.3% |
| Yuma County, AZ | 11.8% |
| Adams County, ID | 11.7% |
| Clinton County, OH | 11.7% |
| Scott County, TN | 11.7% |
| Imperial County, CA | 11.6% |
| Monroe County, AL | 11.6% |
| Greene County, AL | 11.4% |
| Crook County, OR | 11.3% |
| Winston County, MS | 11.3% |
| Nye County, NV | 11.2% |
| Coffee County, GA | 11.1% |
| Douglas County, NV | 10.9% |
| Baraga County, MI | 10.8% |
| Conecuh County, AL | 10.8% |
| Martinsville (Independent City), VA | 10.7% |
| Clarke County, AL | 10.6% |
| Clark County, NV | 10.5% |
| Jenkins County, GA | 10.5% |
| Atkinson County, GA | 10.4% |
| San Benito County, CA | 10.4% |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage Drop in Unemployment (2007-2010)

Data compiled by *Bureau of Labor Statistics*

| | |
|---|---|
| Mountrail County, ND | -2.8% |
| Woods County, OK | -1.5% |
| Benson County, ND | -1.2% |
| Sioux County, ND | -1.1% |
| McKenzie County, ND | -0.9% |
| Oliver County, ND | -0.7% |
| Bristol Bay Borough, AK | -0.6% |
| Dunn County, ND | -0.5% |
| Towner County, ND | -0.5% |
| Eddy County, ND | -0.3% |
| Roseau County, MN | -0.3% |
| Kiowa County, KS | -0.2% |
| Sheridan County, ND | -0.2% |
| Williams County, ND | -0.2% |
| Billings County, ND | -0.1% |
| Hettinger County, ND | -0.1% |
| Lane County, KS | -0.1% |
| North Slope Borough, AK | -0.1% |
| Divide County, ND | 0% |
| McHenry County, ND | 0% |
| Nelson County, ND | 0% |
| Renville County, ND | 0% |
| Slope County, ND | 0% |
| Wells County, ND | 0% |
| Kalawao County, HI | 0% |

## Counties Ranked by Highest Median Age

| | |
|---|---|
| Sumter County, FL | 62.7 |
| Charlotte County, FL | 55.9 |
| Harding County, NM | 55.9 |
| Catron County, NM | 55.8 |
| Kalawao County, HI | 55.3 |
| Alcona County, MI | 55.2 |
| Llano County, TX | 55.0 |
| Sierra County, NM | 54.5 |
| Lancaster County, VA | 54.1 |
| Citrus County, FL | 54.0 |
| La Paz County, AZ | 53.9 |
| Jefferson County, WA | 53.9 |
| Prairie County, MT | 53.6 |
| Northumberland County, VA | 53.6 |
| Curry County, OR | 53.5 |
| Sheridan County, ND | 53.4 |
| Custer County, CO | 53.3 |
| Roscommon County, MI | 53.3 |
| Mineral County, CO | 53.1 |
| Hickory County, MO | 53.0 |
| Wheeler County, OR | 53.0 |
| Esmeralda County, NV | 52.9 |
| Ontonagon County, MI | 52.7 |
| McIntosh County, ND | 52.7 |
| Loving County, TX | 52.7 |

## Counties Ranked by Lowest Median Age

| | |
|---|---|
| Wade Hampton Census Area, AK | 21.9 |
| Radford (Independent City), VA | 22.4 |
| Madison County, ID | 22.6 |
| Harrisonburg (Independent City), VA | 22.7 |
| Lexington (Independent City), VA | 22.8 |
| Shannon County, SD | 23.5 |
| Williamsburg (Independent City), VA | 23.8 |
| Cusseta-Chattahoochee County, GA | 24.0 |
| Todd County, SD | 24.0 |
| Riley County, KS | 24.3 |
| Whitman County, WA | 24.4 |
| Brazos County, TX | 24.5 |
| Utah County, UT | 24.6 |
| Buffalo County, SD | 25.0 |
| Clay County, SD | 25.0 |
| Isabella County, MI | 25.1 |
| Oktibbeha County, MS | 25.4 |
| Cache County, UT | 25.5 |
| Northwest Arctic Borough, AK | 25.7 |
| Onslow County, NC | 25.7 |
| Athens-Clarke County, GA | 25.9 |
| Bulloch County, GA | 25.9 |
| Bethel Census Area, AK | 26.2 |
| Sioux County, ND | 26.3 |
| Athens County, OH | 26.3 |

## Most Common U.S. County Names

| | |
|---|---|
| Washington | 30 |
| Franklin | 24 |
| Jefferson | 24 |
| Jackson | 23 |
| Lincoln | 23 |
| Madison | 19 |
| Clay | 18 |
| Montgomery | 18 |
| Marion | 17 |
| Monroe | 17 |
| Union | 17 |
| Wayne | 16 |
| Grant | 14 |
| Greene | 14 |
| Warren | 14 |
| Carroll | 13 |
| Adams | 12 |
| Clark | 12 |
| Douglas | 12 |
| Johnson | 12 |
| Lake | 12 |
| Lee | 12 |
| Marshall | 12 |
| Polk | 12 |
| Calhoun | 11 |

## Counties Ranked by Percentage of Residents Born Outside U.S.

| | |
|---|---|
| Aleutians East Borough, AK | 72.2% |
| Aleutians West Census Area, AK | 54.4% |
| Miami-Dade County, FL | 51.1% |
| Queens County, NY | 48.1% |
| Hudson County, NJ | 40.6% |
| Concho County, TX | 38.5% |
| Kings County, NY | 37.4% |
| Santa Clara County, CA | 37.0% |
| Los Angeles County, CA | 35.6% |
| San Francisco City & County, CA | 35.6% |
| Maverick County, TX | 34.2% |
| San Mateo County, CA | 34.0% |
| Hudspeth County, TX | 33.8% |
| Santa Cruz County, AZ | 33.5% |
| Bronx County, NY | 32.5% |
| Imperial County, CA | 31.9% |
| Garza County, TX | 31.0% |
| Broward County, FL | 30.9% |
| Montgomery County, MD | 30.9% |
| Alameda County, CA | 30.8% |
| Orange County, CA | 30.5% |
| Monterey County, CA | 30.1% |
| Seward County, KS | 30.1% |
| Starr County, TX | 30.0% |
| Clark County, ID | 29.4% |

## Counties Ranked by Total Area (square miles)

| | |
|---|---|
| Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, AK | 147,843.00 |
| North Slope Borough, AK | 94,640.94 |
| Bethel Census Area, AK | 45,445.15 |
| Northwest Arctic Borough, AK | 40,436.24 |
| Valdez-Cordova Census Area, AK | 40,119.93 |
| Lake & Peninsula Borough, AK | 30,777.01 |
| Nome Census Area, AK | 28,244.18 |
| Matanuska-Susitna Borough, AK | 25,186.15 |
| Southeast Fairbanks Census Area, AK | 25,015.14 |
| Kenai Peninsula Borough, AK | 24,816.67 |
| Dillingham Census Area, AK | 20,822.41 |
| San Bernardino County, CA | 20,109.76 |
| Wade Hampton Census Area, AK | 19,557.17 |
| Coconino County, AZ | 18,662.68 |
| Nye County, NV | 18,193.99 |
| Elko County, NV | 17,193.74 |
| Aleutians East Borough, AK | 15,005.40 |
| Aleutians West Census Area, AK | 14,110.02 |
| Mohave County, AZ | 13,469.15 |
| Denali Borough, AK | 12,776.29 |
| Prince of Wales-Outer Ketchikan Census Area, AK | 12,707.00 |
| Kodiak Island Borough, AK | 12,013.41 |
| Apache County, AZ | 11,211.06 |
| Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, AK | 10,912.00 |
| Lincoln County, NV | 10,636.37 |

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| Abbeville County, SC | 864-366-5312 | 585 |
| Acadia Parish, LA | 337-788-8800 | 303 |
| Accomack County, VA | 757-787-5700 | 691 |
| Ada County, ID | 208-287-7000 | 183 |
| Adair County, IA | 641-743-2546 | 235 |
| Adair County, KY | 270-384-4703 | 279 |
| Adair County, MO | 660-665-2552 | 391 |
| Adair County, OK | 918-696-7198 | 539 |
| Adams County, CO | 720-523-6020 | 111 |
| Adams County, IA | 641-322-4711 | 235 |
| Adams County, ID | 208-253-4561 | 183 |
| Adams County, IL | 217-277-2150 | 193 |
| Adams County, IN | 260-724-5300 | 215 |
| Adams County, MS | 601-446-6684 | 373 |
| Adams County, ND | 701-567-2460 | 507 |
| Adams County, NE | 402-461-7104 | 427 |
| Adams County, OH | 937-544-2011 | 519 |
| Adams County, PA | 717-334-6781 | 565 |
| Adams County, WA | 509-659-3240 | 719 |
| Adams County, WI | 608-339-4200 | 741 |
| Addison County, VT | 802-388-7741 | 687 |
| Aiken County, SC | 803-642-2012 | 585 |
| Aitkin County, MN | 218-927-7350 | 353 |
| Alachua County, FL | 352-374-5218 | 131 |
| Alamance County, NC | 336-228-1312 | 485 |
| Alameda County, CA | 510-272-6984 | 97 |
| Alamosa County, CO | 719-589-6681 | 111 |
| Albany County, NY | 518-447-7324 | 471 |
| Albany County, WY | 307-721-2502 | 757 |
| Albemarle County, VA | 434-296-5841 | 691 |
| Alcona County, MI | 989-724-9410 | 335 |
| Alcorn County, MS | 662-286-7700 | 373 |
| Aleutians East Borough, AK | 907-383-2699 | 67 |
| Aleutians West Census Area, AK | 907-581-1266 | 67 |
| Alexander County, IL | 618-734-7000 | 193 |
| Alexander County, NC | 828-632-9332 | 485 |
| Alexandria (Independent City), VA | 703-838-4500 | 691 |
| Alfalfa County, OK | 580-596-2145 | 539 |
| Alger County, MI | 906-387-2076 | 335 |
| Allamakee County, IA | 563-568-3318 | 235 |
| Allegan County, MI | 269-673-0205 | 335 |
| Allegany County, MD | 301-759-2070 | 323 |
| Allegany County, NY | 585-268-9270 | 471 |
| Alleghany County, NC | 336-372-8949 | 485 |
| Alleghany County, VA | 540-863-6600 | 691 |
| Allegheny County, PA | 412-350-6490 | 565 |
| Allen County, IN | 260-449-7245 | 215 |
| Allen County, KS | 620-365-1407 | 257 |
| Allen County, KY | 270-237-3711 | 279 |
| Allen County, OH | 419-228-3700 | 519 |
| Allen Parish, LA | 337-639-4328 | 303 |
| Allendale County, SC | 803-584-3438 | 585 |
| Alpena County, MI | 989-356-0930 | 335 |
| Alpine County, CA | 530-694-2287 | 97 |
| Amador County, CA | 209-223-6470 | 97 |
| Amelia County, VA | 804-561-3039 | 692 |
| Amherst County, VA | 434-946-9400 | 692 |
| Amite County, MS | 601-657-8022 | 373 |
| Anaconda-Deer Lodge County, MT | 406-563-4000 | 415 |
| Anchorage Municipality, AK | 907-343-4311 | 67 |
| Anderson County, KS | 785-448-6841 | 257 |
| Anderson County, KY | 502-839-3401 | 279 |
| Anderson County, SC | 864-260-4000 | 585 |
| Anderson County, TN | 865-457-2559 | 609 |
| Anderson County, TX | 903-723-7406 | 629 |
| Andrew County, MO | 816-324-3624 | 391 |
| Andrews County, TX | 432-524-1426 | 629 |
| Androscoggin County, ME | 207-784-8390 | 317 |
| Angelina County, TX | 936-634-8339 | 629 |
| Anne Arundel County, MD | 410-222-7000 | 323 |
| Anoka County, MN | 763-421-4760 | 353 |
| Anson County, NC | 704-694-3200 | 485 |
| Antelope County, NE | 402-887-4410 | 427 |
| Antrim County, MI | 231-533-6353 | 336 |
| Apache County, AZ | 928-337-4364 | 75 |
| Appanoose County, IA | 641-856-6101 | 235 |
| Appling County, GA | 912-367-8100 | 147 |
| Appomattox County, VA | 434-352-5275 | 692 |
| Aransas County, TX | 361-790-0101 | 629 |
| Arapahoe County, CO | 303-795-4200 | 111 |
| Archer County, TX | 940-574-4811 | 630 |
| Archuleta County, CO | 970-264-5633 | 112 |
| Arenac County, MI | 989-846-4626 | 336 |
| Arkansas County, AR | 870-946-4321 | 81 |
| Arlington County, VA | 703-228-3130 | 692 |
| Armstrong County, PA | 724-543-2500 | 565 |
| Armstrong County, TX | 806-226-2081 | 630 |
| Aroostook County, ME | 207-493-3318 | 317 |
| Arthur County, NE | 308-764-2203 | 427 |
| Ascension Parish, LA | 225-621-5709 | 303 |
| Ashe County, NC | 336-246-5641 | 486 |
| Ashland County, OH | 419-282-4220 | 519 |
| Ashland County, WI | 715-682-7000 | 741 |
| Ashley County, AR | 870-853-2020 | 81 |
| Ashtabula County, OH | 440-576-3637 | 519 |
| Asotin County, WA | 509-243-2081 | 719 |
| Assumption Parish, LA | 985-369-7435 | 303 |
| Atascosa County, TX | 830-767-2511 | 630 |
| Atchison County, KS | 913-367-1653 | 257 |
| Atchison County, MO | 660-744-6214 | 391 |
| Athens County, OH | 740-592-3242 | 520 |
| Athens-Clarke County, GA | 706-613-3031 | 147 |

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| Atkinson County, GA | 912-422-3391 | 147 |
| Atlantic County, NJ | 609-641-7867 | 457 |
| Atoka County, OK | 580-889-2643 | 539 |
| Attala County, MS | 662-289-2921 | 373 |
| Audrain County, MO | 573-473-5820 | 391 |
| Audubon County, IA | 712-563-4275 | 236 |
| Auglaize County, OH | 419-738-4219 | 520 |
| Augusta County, VA | 540-245-5600 | 692 |
| Augusta-Richmond County, GA | 706-821-2400 | 147 |
| Aurora County, SD | 605-942-7165 | 595 |
| Austin County, TX | 979-865-5911 | 630 |
| Autauga County, AL | 334-358-6700 | 53 |
| Avery County, NC | 828-733-2900 | 486 |
| Avoyelles Parish, LA | 318-253-9208 | 304 |
| Baca County, CO | 719-523-4372 | 112 |
| Bacon County, GA | 912-632-5214 | 148 |
| Bailey County, TX | 806-272-3044 | 630 |
| Baker County, FL | 904-259-0209 | 131 |
| Baker County, GA | 229-734-3004 | 148 |
| Baker County, OR | 541-523-8207 | 555 |
| Baldwin County, AL | 251-937-0264 | 53 |
| Baldwin County, GA | 478-445-4791 | 148 |
| Ballard County, KY | 270-335-5168 | 279 |
| Baltimore (Independent City), MD | 410-396-3100 | 323 |
| Baltimore County, MD | 410-887-2697 | 323 |
| Bamberg County, SC | 803-245-5128 | 586 |
| Bandera County, TX | 830-796-3332 | 631 |
| Banks County, GA | 706-677-6240 | 148 |
| Banner County, NE | 308-436-5265 | 427 |
| Bannock County, ID | 208-236-7211 | 183 |
| Baraga County, MI | 906-524-6183 | 336 |
| Barber County, KS | 620-886-3988 | 257 |
| Barbour County, AL | 334-775-3203 | 53 |
| Barbour County, WV | 304-457-2232 | 729 |
| Barnes County, ND | 701-845-8500 | 507 |
| Barnstable County, MA | 508-375-6648 | 331 |
| Barnwell County, SC | 803-541-1020 | 586 |
| Barren County, KY | 270-651-3783 | 280 |
| Barron County, WI | 715-537-6200 | 741 |
| Barrow County, GA | 770-307-3035 | 148 |
| Barry County, MI | 269-948-4810 | 336 |
| Barry County, MO | 417-847-2113 | 392 |
| Bartholomew County, IN | 812-379-1600 | 215 |
| Barton County, KS | 620-793-1835 | 258 |
| Barton County, MO | 417-682-3529 | 392 |
| Bartow County, GA | 770-387-5030 | 149 |
| Bastrop County, TX | 512-581-4258 | 631 |
| Bates County, MO | 660-679-5171 | 392 |
| Bath County, KY | 606-674-2613 | 280 |
| Bath County, VA | 540-839-7221 | 693 |
| Baxter County, AR | 870-425-3475 | 81 |
| Bay County, FL | 850-763-9061 | 131 |
| Bay County, MI | 989-895-4280 | 336 |
| Bayfield County, WI | 715-373-6100 | 741 |
| Baylor County, TX | 940-889-3322 | 631 |
| Beadle County, SD | 605-353-7165 | 595 |
| Bear Lake County, ID | 208-945-2212 | 183 |
| Beaufort County, NC | 252-946-0079 | 486 |
| Beaufort County, SC | 843-255-5050 | 586 |
| Beauregard Parish, LA | 337-463-8595 | 304 |
| Beaver County, OK | 580-625-3151 | 539 |
| Beaver County, PA | 724-728-3934 | 565 |
| Beaver County, UT | 435-438-6463 | 679 |
| Beaverhead County, MT | 406-683-3720 | 415 |
| Becker County, MN | 218-846-7301 | 353 |
| Beckham County, OK | 580-928-2457 | 540 |
| Bedford (Independent City), VA | 540-587-6001 | 693 |
| Bedford County, PA | 814-623-4807 | 566 |
| Bedford County, TN | 931-684-1921 | 609 |
| Bedford County, VA | 540-586-7601 | 693 |
| Bee County, TX | 361-362-3245 | 631 |
| Belknap County, NH | 603-527-5400 | 453 |
| Bell County, KY | 606-337-6143 | 280 |
| Bell County, TX | 254-939-3521 | 631 |
| Belmont County, OH | 740-695-2121 | 520 |
| Beltrami County, MN | 218-333-4169 | 353 |
| Ben Hill County, GA | 229-426-5112 | 149 |
| Benewah County, ID | 208-245-3241 | 184 |
| Bennett County, SD | 605-685-6969 | 595 |
| Bennington County, VT | 802-447-2700 | 687 |
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| Converse County, WY | 307-358-2244 | 758 |
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| Cook County, IL | 312-603-6566 | 196 |
| Cook County, MN | 218-387-3620 | 356 |
| Cooke County, TX | 940-668-5420 | 638 |
| Cooper County, MO | 660-882-2114 | 396 |
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| Coos County, OR | 541-396-3121 | 556 |
| Coosa County, AL | 256-377-2420 | 56 |
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| Cortland County, NY | 607-753-5021 | 473 |
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| Coshocton County, OH | 740-622-1753 | 522 |
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| Cottle County, TX | 806-492-3823 | 638 |
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| Cottonwood County, MN | 507-831-2678 | 356 |
| Covington (Independent City), VA | 540-965-6302 | 696 |
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| Covington County, MS | 601-765-4242 | 376 |
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| Cowley County, KS | 620-221-5400 | 260 |
| Cowlitz County, WA | 360-577-3016 | 720 |
| Craig County, OK | 918-256-2445 | 542 |
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| Crawford County, IN | 812-338-2565 | 217 |
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| Crawford County, PA | 814-333-7300 | 569 |
| Crawford County, WI | 608-326-0200 | 743 |
| Creek County, OK | 918-227-6304 | 542 |
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| Crisp County, GA | 229-276-2672 | 154 |
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| Crook County, WY | 307-283-1323 | 758 |
| Crosby County, TX | 806-675-2334 | 639 |
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| Culberson County, TX | 432-283-2059 | 639 |
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| Dallas County, TX | 214-653-7361 | 639 |
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| Davie County, NC | 336-751-6001 | 490 |
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| Edgar County, IL | 217-466-7433 | 197 |
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| Evangeline Parish, LA | 337-363-5671 | 307 |
| Evans County, GA | 912-739-1141 | 157 |
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| Fairfield County, SC | 803-635-1415 | 588 |
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| Fallon County, MT | 406-778-7114 | 417 |
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| Franklin (Independent City), VA | 757-562-8559 | 700 |
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| Kershaw County, SC | 803-425-7685 | 590 |
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| Kewaunee County, WI | 920-388-7133 | 747 |
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| Keya Paha County, NE | 402-497-3791 | 436 |
| Kidder County, ND | 701-475-2632 | 511 |
| Kimball County, NE | 308-235-2241 | 437 |
| Kimble County, TX | 325-446-3353 | 654 |
| King & Queen County, VA | 804-785-5975 | 704 |
| King County, TX | 806-596-4412 | 654 |
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| King William County, VA | 804-769-4927 | 704 |
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| Kinney County, TX | 830-563-2521 | 654 |
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| Kiowa County, OK | 580-726-5286 | 546 |
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| Kitsap County, WA | 360-337-7146 | 722 |
| Kittitas County, WA | 509-962-7508 | 722 |
| Kittson County, MN | 218-843-2655 | 359 |
| Klamath County, OR | 541-883-5134 | 558 |
| Kleberg County, TX | 361-595-8548 | 654 |
| Klickitat County, WA | 509-773-5744 | 723 |
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| Knox County, ME | 207-594-0420 | 318 |
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| Knox County, NE | 402-288-5604 | 437 |
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| Knox County, TX | 940-459-2441 | 655 |
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| Koochiching County, MN | 218-283-1152 | 360 |
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| Kosciusko County, IN | 574-267-4444 | 223 |
| Kossuth County, IA | 515-295-2718 | 245 |
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| La Paz County, AZ | 928-669-6115 | 76 |
| La Plata County, CO | 970-382-6280 | 117 |
| La Porte County, IN | 216-326-6808 | 223 |
| La Salle County, TX | 830-879-3033 | 655 |
| Labette County, KS | 620-795-2138 | 266 |
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| Lackawanna County, PA | 570-963-6723 | 572 |
| Laclede County, MO | 417-532-5471 | 401 |
| Lafayette Consolidated Government, LA | 337-233-0150 | 308 |
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| Lafayette County, MO | 660-259-4315 | 401 |
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| Lafourche Parish, LA | 985-446-8427 | 308 |
| LaGrange County, IN | 260-499-6368 | 223 |
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| Lamb County, TX | 806-385-4222 | 655 |
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| Lampasas County, TX | 512-556-8271 | 655 |
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| Lavaca County, TX | 361-798-3612 | 656 |
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**Area (sq mi):** 3,795,951 (land 3,531,822; water 264,129). **Pop per sq mi:** 87.4.
**Pop 2010:** 308,745,538. **Pop change:** 2005-2010 +4.1% & 2000-2005 +5.3% **Pop 2005:** 296,410,404(White72.4%; Black or African American 12.6%; Hispanic or Latino 16.3%; Asian 4.8%; Other 6.2% including 0.9% American Indian/Alaska Native). **Foreign born:** 12.9%. **Median age:** 37.2. **Income 2007:** Per capita income – $26,059 & Median household income – $60,609; **Pop below poverty level:** 13.8%.
**Personal per capita income 2007-2010:** $26,688 - $26,059.
**Unemployment 2010:** 6.9%. **Change from 2007:** +2.8%. **Median travel time to work:** 25.2 minutes. **Working outside county of residence:** 27.4%.

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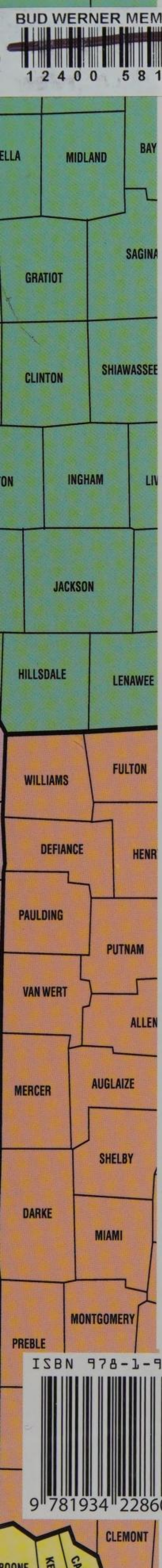


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